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OF THE

State of Alabama

SESSION OF 1890-91,

HELD IN THE

CITY OF MONTGOMERY
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WITH AN INDEX,
Prepared by the clerk of the House.

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Begun and held at the Capitol in the city of Montgomery, in the State of Alabama, on Tuesday, after the second Monday in November, 1890, being the eleventh day of November, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and ninety, at 12 o'clock, m.

On which day, being the day fixed by law for the meeting of the General Assembly of Alabama, the House of Representatives of Alabama was called to order by Benj. F. Elmore, its Clerk, owing to the lamented death of the Speaker of the House, Hon. C. C. Shorter. The following named members appeared and took their seats:

From the county of— Autauga—Philip A. Wood. Baldwin—R. H. Moore.
Barbour—11. D. Clayton, A. A. Crews, C. C Lee. Bibb—S. M. Adams.
Blount— T. H. Davidson. Bullock—N. B. Powell, W. C. Hufham.
Butler—Louis Harrell. Calhoun—W. P. Cooper
Chambers—J. H. H.arris, J. F. Whatley. Cherokee—M. A. Cornelius.
Chilton—G. A. Northington. Choctaw—J. A. Watters.
Clarke—J. W. Armistead. Clay—T. H. Howle.

Cleburne—W. U. Almon.
Coffee—J. B. Peacock.
Colbert—C. C. Rather.
Conecuh—Robert A. Lee.
Coosa—K. S. Nolen.
Covington—J. P. Rosseau.
Crenshaw—M. Tucker.
Cullman—W. H. Guthrie.
Dale—C. A. B. Edwards.
Dallas—Lewis Johnson, J. Craig Smith, W. W. Quarles,
Francis L. Pettus.
DeKalb—John B. Appleton.
Elmore—George H. Parker.
Escambia—E. P. Loveless.
Etowah—G. B Wade.
Fayette—John M. Davis.
Franklin—B. E. Finch.
Geneva—J. C. Coleman.
Greene—Wm. Smaw, H. M. Judge.
Hale—A. M. Avery, Thomas K. Jones.
Henry—George Leslie.
Jackson—Thos. B. Parks, W. H. Clanton.
Jefferson—M. V. Henry, H. H. Brown.
Lamar—M. L. Davis.
Lauderdale—O. P. Tucker, T. O. Bevis.
Lawrence—John Leigh, G. W. Thrasher.
Lee—V. M. Bass, E. C. Jackson.
Limestone—James B. Townsend, Hector D. Lane. Lowndes—J. D. Poole, Willis Brewer.
Macon—J. R. Simmons.
Madison—M. A. Bishop, R. T. Blackwell, Samuel H. Moore.
Marengo—D. J. Meador, J. A. Steele.
Marion—J. T. Yonng.Marshall—W. U. Bain.
Mobile—Winfield S. Lewis, M. B. Kelly, E. H. Buck,
George J.Suilivan.
Monroe—W. B. Kemp.
Montgomery—B. H. Screws, J. N. Gilchrist, A. D. Sayre,
Walton Hill
Morgan—S. A. Sparkman,
Perry—George P. White, W. B. Alexander.
Pickens—J. A. Gass, J. W. Cox.
Pike—W. R. Barnett, A. C. Townsend.

Randolph – W. L. Ayres.
Russell – John V. Smith, S. S. Scott.
Shelby—A. P. Longshore.
St. Clair—W. S. Forman.
Suwter—J. R. Ramsay, S. C. M. Amason.
Talladega—W. T. Webb, John T Wilson.
Tallapoosa—E. B. Langley, J. M. Amason.
Tuscaloosa—J. M. Foster, N. N. Clements.
Walker—T. L. Long,
Washington—John Gordon.
Wilcox—John Purifoy, William P. Burford.
Winston—W. W. Davis.

The Clerk announced that a quorum had appeared, (ninety-nine members having answered to their names.)

OATH OF OFFICE.

The oath of office was then administered to the above named members, by Hon. Geo. W. Stone, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Alabama.

SPEAKER PRO TEM.

On motion of Mr. Adams, Mr. Lewis was elected Speaker pro tem.

SEATS.

Mr. Webb offered the following resolution which was adopted.

Resolved, That a committee be appointed consisting of one from each congressional district, whose duty it shall be to assign seats to the members, and that the same be done by districts and counties as far as possible.

COMMITTEE.

1st District, Mr. Meadow.
2d " Mr. Lee of Conecuh.
3rd " Mr. Smith of Russell.
4th " Mr. White.
5th " Mr. Adams.
6th " Mr. Smaw.
7th " Mr. Webb.
8th " Mr. Lane.

RESOLUTION.

Mr. Longshore offered the following resolution which was adopted:

Resolved, That the Rules of the last House be adopted for the government of the House until otherwise ordered.

ADJOURNMENT.

On motion of Mr. Smith of Russell, the House adjourned till 10 a. m. to-morrow.

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SECOND DAY.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

WEDNESDAY, Nov. 12, 1890.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.
Prayer by Rev. Mr. Adams of the House.
A quorum was present.
The Journal of yesterday was read and approved.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

The next business in order being the election of permanent officers of the House, the Speaker pro tem. announced that nominations for Speaker were in order.

Mr. Brewer nominated Hon. Newton N. Clements of Tuskaioosa.

Those who voted for Mr. Clements are :

Messrs. Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hill, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh,

Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young-—94.

Mr. Clements having received all the votes cast was declared, duly and constitutionally elected Speaker of the House foor the term prescribed by law.

On motion of Mr. Lee or Conecuh, a committe of three was appointed by the Speaker to notify Mr. Clements of his election and to conduct him to the chair.

Committee: Messrs. Lee of Conecuh, Pettus and Brown.

Mr. Clements was conducted to the chair and addressed the House in a few appropriate remarks, after which the oath of office was administered to him by Hon. W. S. Lewis, Speaker pro tem.

The House then proceeded to the election of a Clerk.

Mr. Watters nominated Benj. F. Elmore of Marengo.

Those who voted for Mr. Elmore are:

Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa. Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rosseau, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson—96.

Mr. Elmore having received all the votes cast was declared duly elected Clerk of the House for the term prescribed by law.

The House then proceeded to the election of an Assistant c1erk.

Mr. Rather nominated A. H. Carmichael, Esq., of Colbert.

Those who voted for Mr. Carmichael are:

Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young—93.

Mr. Carmichael having received all the votes cast was declared duly elected Assistant Clerk of the House for the term prescribed by law.

The House then proceeded to the election of an Enrolling Clerk.

Mr. Harrell nominated Charles W. King, Esq., of Butler.

Those who voted for Mr. King are:

Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Amason of Sumter Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Bain' Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Davis of' Winston, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster Gass,Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young—92.

Mr. King having received all the votes cast was declared

duly elected Enrolling Clerk of the House for the term prescribed by law.

The House then proceeded to the election of an Engrossing Clerk.

Mr. Sullivan nominated Masey Wilson, Esq., of Clarke.

Those who voted for Mr. Wilson are:

Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter. Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Finch, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Lung, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood Wilson, Young.—92.

Mr. Wilson having received all the voles cast was declared duly elected Engrossing Clerk of the House for the term prescribed by law.

The House then proceed to the election of a Door keeper.

Mr. Webb nominated Robert Hasson, Esqr., of Etowah.

Those who voted for Mr. Hasson are:

Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton. Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham. Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of

Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.--95.

Mr. Hasson having received all the votes cast was declared duly elected Door-keeper of the House for the term prescribed by law.

The House then proceeded to the election of an Assistant Door-keeper.

Mr. Edwards nominated Thos. J. Fain, Esqr., of Dale.

Those who voted for Mr. Fain are:
Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of' Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Amistead, Avery Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrel], Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.—94.

The oath of office was then administered by the Speaker to the several officers just elected.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

SENATE CHAMBER,

November 12th, 1890..

Mr. Speaker:

I am instructed by the Senate to inform the House of Representatives that it has effected a permanent organization by the election of the following officers:

Hon. A. C. Hargrove of Tuskaloosa, President; Mr. Wm. L. Clay of Madison, Secretary ; Mr. Thomas H. Clark of Montgomery, Assistant Secretary; Miss Jem Weakley of Lauderdale, Engrossing and Enrolling Clerk; Mr. James Armstrong of Jackson, Door-keeper and Mr. L. P. Bamberg of Perry, Assistant Door-keeper.

WM. L. OLAY,
Secretary.

RESOLUTIONS.

Resolutions were offered and adopted as follows:

By Mr. Clanton—

Resolved, That the clerk of the House be instructed to in-Form the Senate that the House of Representatives is now permanently organized and ready for the transaction of business.

By Mr. Meador—

Resolved, That the Door keeper be authorized to purchase such supplies as may be necessary for the use of the House during its session.

By Mr. Smith, of Russell—

Resolved, That the Door-keeper shall obtain from the Secretary of State, for each member of the House, a copy of the Civil and Criminal Code of 1886, and a copy of the Acts of the Legislature of 1888 and 1889, and a copy of the Journal of the House of 1888-9, for their use during this session of the Legislature, and it shall be the duty of the Door-keeper to return the Codes and Acts after the final adjournment of the Legislature.

By Mr. Sullivan—

Resolved, That the Door-keeper be instructed to repair The desks and furnish keys for the same.

By Mr. Screws—

Resolved, That the Speaker appoint an Assistant Door-keeper for the gallery, who shall receive the usual per diem,. and the Speaker appointed P. W. Thornton, Esq., of Fayette, Assistant Door-keeper for the gallery.

By Mr. Purifoy—

Resolved, by the House, (the Senate concurring), That a committee of five, two from the Senate and three from the House, be appointed to wait on the clergy of the city of Montgomery, and invite them to attend at the opening of the morning sessions of the two houses and conduct the religious services.

Committee on the part of the House: Messrs. Purifoy, Appleton and Adams.

By Mr. Avery—

Resolved by the House (the Senate concurring), That a committee of three from the House and two from the Senate be appointed to wait on the Governor and inform him that the General Assembly of Alabama is now permanently organized and ready for the transaction of business, and to-receive any communication he may have to send them.

Committee on the part of the House: Messrs. Avery, Lee of Barbour and Sullivan.

By Mr. Steele—

Resolved by the House of Representatives, That the standing committee of Rules shall consist of the Speaker and four other members to be named by the Speaker, and that the Speaker shall be chairman of such committee ; and that said committee be instructed to report to the House at the earliest practicable time, rules for the government of the House.

Gommittee : Messrs. Steele, Pettus, Brewer and Clayton.

GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE.

STATE OF ALABAMA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR.
Montgomery.

November, 12th, 1890.

Mr. President:

I am directed by His Excellency, the Governor, to communicate to the Senate a message in writing.
Very respectfully,
J. K. JACKSON,
Private Secretary.

GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE.

CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICE,
MONTGOMERY, ALA., NOVEMBER 12, 1890.

Gentlemen of the Senate and House of Representatives:

At the close of my administration, I undertake to advise you of the condition of the State, with such recommendations as are deemed worthy of your consideration.

I receive you in the closing months of one of the most prosperous years with which the State has been blessed. In every department of industry; even in agriculture, so long depressed, there has been an improvement, and we are now gathering abundant crops, the well earned meed of labor intelligently applied. In the midst of plenty we have been preserved from pestilence, and a spirit of obedience to law pervades the State.

THE FINANCES.

Our finances are in excellent condition. All of the money of the people of Alabama is with them, except that which is in the State treasury, and the amount in the Treasury is sufficient to meet the demands of the Government economically administered. there is no surplus. There should not be any, for it would represent just so much unfairly withdrawn from the circulation.

On the day of the meeting of the General Assembly just two years ago, the entire balance in the Treasury was $381,-373.83. Of this there were special funds, not available, $51,020.61, and of money already appropriated $49,621.69, leaving a true balance with which the last General Assembly began business of $280,731.53.

On this day there is a balance in the treasury of $309,047.-28, and of special funds not available $61,919.59. In the grand total is included $46,182.77 of the school fund already appropriated, and therefore, the true balance with which the General Assembly begins its business is $200,944.82 against $380,731.53 two years ago.

this presents a broad difference and compels thoughtful attention.

In the four years of my administration the increase in valuation of property in the State has been prodigious. It has passed from $173,808,097 in 1886 to $258,979,575 in 1890. But the tax rate too has been greatly lowered, a levy of 6 mills on the dollar has been reduced at the rate of a half a mill each year until we now find the rate at the reasonable figure of 4 mills on the dollar. Nothing short of a marvelous development of the material interests of the State could have sustained this grateful relief to the people.

The wisdom of your predecessors has been justified, for the State has met its obligations of every character; has grown in wealth, in every social respect, and has listed its credit with the very best in the great marts of commerce and of trade.

This experiment of reducing the tax levy at the rate of a half a mill each year was a great one when the total rate was 7 and a half mills on the dollar; it was almost dangerous when the rate became 6 mills, and now that we have reached a levy of 4 mills on the dollar such a reduction will not be justified on any reasonable expectation of that great increase in values, which would be required to meet such reduction.

A comprehension of our financial status is easy. The valuation of property in this State on which the tax moneys are to be raised the current year is already determined to be $258,979,575, and the rate of taxation for the current fiscal year is already fixed and is now being collected at four mills on the dollar. The usual expenses of' collection amount to about a hundred thousand dollars, so that from the general

taxes we may reasonably expect about $935,918. From poll taxes, licenses and all other sources we may expect about $600,000, and our resources may therefore be reasonably stated at about $1,530,918 for the fiscal year ending the 30th of September, 1891. The disbursements for the current fiscal year are estimated by the Auditor at $1,697,320, and this estimate does not include any special appropriations which shall be made at this session. As the State grows in material wealth and in population, our expenses necessarily increase, and 1 estimate that at the very lowest, as much money will be required for the expenses of the Government for the fiscal year beginning on the 1st of October, 1891.

We may expect some increase in the valuation of the property of the State for the year 1891, and for each recurring year, but there are demands, such as the claims of the deaf-mutes of the State, of additional accommodations for the indigent insane, of the public schools and that most sacred one, so long postponed, of provision for the maimed and disabled survivors of the war between the States, which ought not to be ignored.

Is with great pleasure that I communicate to you the successful funding of our six per cent. bonds. It will be remembered that to retire the outstanding issue of $954,000 of the bonds of the State, bearing interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum, proper legislation authorized the Governor to sell that amount of bonds to bear four per cent. interest. The six per cent. bonds become redeemable on the first day of January,1890. In the summer of 1889 I advertised for bids for the new bonds, and caused this advertisement to be circulated in the great cities of the Union as well as in the State. I received a bid for the bonds at 100½ but I declined to accept it and repaired in person to New York where I succeeded without difficulty in placing the bonds at 101 1-10. I caused the money to be covered into the State Treasury and called for the sixes with the declaration of cessation of interest after the first day of January, 1890, and their retirement has so successfully progressed that the entire issue, except $11,500 has been taken up.

It is with pardonable pride that an Alabamian who has been a part of that administration existing in this State for fourteen years, and who witnessed our financial distress of sixteen years ago, now sees our financial credit so firmly es-

tablished. All the papers connected with this transaction are on file.

There was no authority given to me to burn the sixes. They have been cancelled and are in the vault of the Treasury and I recommend immediate legislation authorizing their destruction and the destruction of the few outstanding as soon as they shall be retired.

SECRETARY OF STATE.

I transmit the report of the Secretary of State, and in this connection I desire to call your attention to a necessary amendment of the law whereby he is required to contract. for fuel furnished to the various departments. As the law now stands he is required to advertise for the lowest bidder at a time of the year when the price of fuel is at its very height, and this omission in the law has entailed an unnecessary expense in this particular.

CAPITOL GROUNDS.

At the last session of the legislature an appropriation of $20,000 was made for the improvement of the Capitol grounds and building. Acting under this statute I made a contract with Messrs. Figh & Williams, of the city of Montgomery, for the improvement of the grounds and this contract is on file. I found the appropriation not adequate to the necessary expenses in keeping in repair the building and in the improvements of the grounds. The regular annual appropriation of $2,500 per annum not having been made for this purpose, I trenched upon the contingent fund. But the work has been performed at an expense to the State of $16,465,12, and the unsightly appearance of the elevation on which the building stands has been changed to the condition in which you now find it. The work was performed by the contractors under the supervision of Mr. W. G. Williamson, a skillful and reliable engineer, on reasonable terms, and constitutes a valuable improvement to the property of the State. I recommend that an appropriation be made at this session for heating the Capitol building; with steam, lighting it with electricity and supplying it with an elevator.

MONUMENT.

The appropriation of $5,000 to aid in the erection of a monument to the Alabama soldiers who fell in the late war between the States was expended on the 5th of May, 1890, being applied principally to payment for the beautiful figure which crowns this sacred work.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE.

The report of the Commissioner of Agriculture is transMitted. The receipts From this department under the efficient administration of the present Commissioner have increased from $23,853.47 For the year ending September 30, 1887, to $47,216.89 for the year ending September 30, 1890.

One-third of the net proceeds arising from the sale of tags is applied to the support of the Agricultural and Mechanical College and constitutes a large and necessary contribution to that Institution. The money which supports this department is paid by the agriculturists exclusively, and it constitutes a special fund for the promotion of agriculture and immigration. To this department, in connection with the A. & M. College, is largely due to that increasing prosperity which agriculture in Alabama now enjoys.

GEOLOGICAL 8URVEY.

I transmit to you the report of the State Geologist. It will be seen that the work has made great progress since the last session of the General Assembly. I believe that we owe very much of the marvelous development in the mineral region of Alabama to the work of the geological survey under the administration of Dr. Eugene A Smith, which has been in progress since the 19bh day of February, 1883. It will be seen from the report that it is recommended that the survey be continued and its scope enlarged, and I concur in this recommendation.

ALABAMA INSTITUTES FOR THE DEAF AND BLIND.

The separation of the Institutes for the deaf mutes and blind has proven an acknowledged advance in the care and

superintendence which the State exercises over these tender orphans of nature.

You are warmly commended to make provision for the care of the deaf, dumb and blind of the colored race. No such provision has yet been made by this State, and the appeal for it, always existing, has waited with patience the pleasure and ability of the State. I recommend that you make an appropriation for this purpose at this session.

INSANE HOSPITAL.

The management of the Hospital for the Insane yet enjoys unchallenged confidence. I concur in the recommendation made in the report of the trustees, which is in the hands of the printer, and which will be laid upon your desks in a few days.

STATE BOARD OF HEALTH.

I send you the very thorough and full report of the Health Officer. The State has reason to congratulate itself upon its system of health laws and their faithful administration. The Health Officer himself, by his diligence and fidelity, has contributed much toward making this Department greatly useful to the State, and to cause it to be the object of admiration in other States of the Union.

AGRICULTUBAL AND MECHANICAL COLLEGE.

Over two years ago the main building of the A. and M. College was destroyed by fire. The State rescued this great work by appropriating at the last session of the General Assembly of $50,000 for the replacement of the building. The money, together with the insurance received, has been carefully and economically applied, an elegant structure built of the best material in the most substantial manner, and adapted to the great work of this institution, adorns and honors the spot where lately rested the ashes of the old building. Not only is this structure an adornment, but the value of the work which is being done there cannot be overestimated. The scientific principles of agriculture are being taught there with an efficiency which leaves little margin for criticism and is filling the State with young men

capable of applying these scientific principles to practical use.

The Federal Government has increased the aid heretofore extended to this great work by an appropriation approved July 30, 1890. By this statute $l5,000 for the year ending June 30, 1890, and an annual increase of the amount of said appropriation thereafter for ten years by an additional sum of $1,000 over the preceding year, and thereafter a total of $25,000 per annum, has been appropriated out of the proceeds of the public lands to the endowment and support of' the colleges for the benefit of agriculture and the mechanic arts, established under an act of Congress approved July 2, 1862. This statute provides that no money shall be paid out under this act to any State or territory for the support and maintenance of a college where a distinction of race or color is made in the admission of students, but the establishment and maintenance of such colleges separately for white and colored students shall be held to be in compliance with the provisions of this act, if the fund received in such State or Territory be equitably divided between one college for white students and one institution for colored students established and aided by the State for the education of colored students in agriculture and in the mechanic arts. The statute further provides that such State may propose and report to the Secretary of the Interior of the United States a just and equitable division of the fund to be received under this act between one college for white students and one institution for colored students established for the education of colored students in agriculture and the mechanic arts. And it is further necessary for you to assent to the purpose of this grant. In advance of your meeting I have already done so, and now recommend legislative assent to the proposition to divide the funds between the two institutions referred to in the statute in the proportion of white and colored people in Alabama as shown by the returns of the present census year.

STATE UNIVERSITY.

The condition of the State University is satisfactory. "With ample accommodations, it is largely patronized. The standard of education has been elevated, and under its pres-

ent management it will continue to occupy that place in public estimation which it has always held.

Almost at the beginning of the last session death deprived us of the President of this Institution—one who as a soldier and a citizen had endeared himself to all the people of this State, and in public and private life ever justified their confidence.

And now, while I prepare this message, news comes to us. of the death of another—my predecessor in the office of Governor—distinguished on battle field and in civil life.

Their high examples inspire emulation and their memories "will be treasured by the people 'whom they served so well.

STATE TROOPS.

I transmit to you the full and excellent report of the Adjutant General, showing the condition of the State Troops.

Every thoughtful person must contemplate with pride and a sense of security this organization of citizen soldiery. In the quiet time of that universal peace preserved to Americans without a standing army, the citizen soldiery of the Republic keep ever aloft the standard around which in time of war would gather that volunteer force which stands to the country in lieu of a standing army. In this Slate they not only represent this idea, hut they constitute a constabulary perfectly reliable and always ready to assist the civil officers in the enforcement of the laws.

The State appropriates $ll,500 for their annual encampments, where they are drilled and disciplined. The report of the Adjutant General shows that this appropriation is insufficient to meet the actual expenses of the troops, and the balance is generously met by them with their own funds. I recommend that this appropriation be made sufficient to meet the expenses of the encampments.

The office of Adjutant General is an important One, and yet it is purely honorary. It takes a not inconsiderable portion of his time, and yet there is no compensation attached to the office. I think it would be right to attach to the office at least a small salary, sufficient to compensate the officer for the time consumed in attention to its duties.

EXAMINEB OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTS.

I have ordered five hundred copies of the report of the Examiner of Public Accounts to be printed for your use, and they will be transmitted to you at an early day in the session.

The Examiner has been almost constantly employed, and has fulfilled the functions of his office with fidelity and. ability.

On the 10th inst, I caused the money in the treasury to be counted. The count was made in the presence of the Secretary of State and the Examiner, by Mr. G. W. Craik. of the First National Bank of Montgomery. The count showed that there was on that day in the treasury $304,-317.63. A copy of the report is transmitted with this mes sage.

ATTORNEY GENERAL AND CRIMINAL ADMINISTRATION.

I transmit to you the report of the Attorney General for your consideration. The office of' Attorney General makes great demands on its incumbent. In all cases in which the State is a party in the court of final resort, his personal attention is required by law. He is compelled to confront the best legal talent and the actual time required by this work is very considerable. In addition to ail this, in all the numerous and ever recurring questions arising in the administration of the revenue laws, in advance of the action of' the courts his opinion is binding on officers, is almost daily required, concerns difficult questions and altogether constitutes an important branch of civil administration. He is required to live at the capital and indeed his work can not be fully performed unless he is almost constantly here. And yet the salary affixed to this office is fifteen hundred dollars a year and there are substantially no fees attached. ïhe compensation is entirely inadequate. The labor and responsibility of the office grow with the progress of the State and the salary ought to be increased.

In this connection, I submit and do so at the close of my term of office without embarrassment that the salaries paid the Governor and the State officials are not sufficient to guarantee such services as the State is entitled to receive. The fact that the offices may be now competently filled, if true, is not a sufficient argument to justify the present salaries.

It is right to pay a public servant reasonable compensation for his services. Where these services are obtained at less than a reasonable compensation, it is not unlikely that the incumbent of the offices must rely upon his private fortune to supplement his salary, the tendency of which is to bar from public office all those who are not provided with an independent estate. On the contrary the State ought to be able to command the highest virtues and the best talents, and considering the competition for the employment of such in private and corporate enterprises it is desirable that the salaries of' the State officials should be increased.

Four years ago the legislature destroyed the old system of maintaining the prosecuting officers or solicitors by fees and substituted therefor reasonable salaries. I do not have any doubt but that the uniform impartial administration of criminal law, so essential to the integrity of any commonwealth has been almost immeasurably reinforced by this opportune legislation. The smaller misdemeanors have not been overlooked, and the hands of able and impartial prosecuting officers have been clenched on the felonies committed in the State. This legislation has strengthened and elevated the office of solicitor and made it one to be desired, by our very best men.

A crying evil of the same character yet remains to be destroyed. It is even a profounder difficulty than that which concerns the office of solicitor, for it is nearer the people. 1 refer to the maintenance of the offices of justice of the peace, and notaries public with the jurisdiction of justices of the peace, by fees and perquisites. The payment of public officers by fees, adopted in a crude state of society, where each item of payment was meant to compensate the officer for the particular service, is entirely unsuited to that, social condition which we have reached, and indeed, it has become obsolete in most civilized communities. Certainly there is no argument which would give an honest color to its continuance as to judicial offices. At present in the outlying country districts it is difficult to get good men to accept these offices not so much on account of the want of compensation, but because of the question put upon the office by reason of the manner ef its maintenance; on the other hand in the cities, some of these officials, through fees and perquisites, secure an annual compensation probably greater than that of the salary attached to the office of the Chief Justice.

I recommend the classification of these offices, and if found consistent with the organic law a reduction of their number and their maintenance by a reasonable salary. It may be that a work of such extent and difficulty cannot be accomplished at the present session, but I am sure that such a system should eventually be adopted.

I again call the attention of the Legislature to the delays incident to criminal administration. They are unworthy of our civilization. The court below in any considerable case frequently presents a trial of useless technicalities. On every issue the Circnit Judge must, then and there, without an opportunity to investigate, decide, and all the question» whether merely technical or meritorious, may become, and do generally become a part of the record on review by the appellate Court. There must continue to be very many causes where the merits of the issue are in a remote degree affected by the particular point on which the case was reversed.

There was a time when the citizen, particularly in the trial of any charge in the King's name against him, did need the merciful and watchful guardianship of law against oppression, I have no doubt, however, that the only danger, if any there be, in the future, must come from the people, the source of all authority, and not from the servants designated to administer their laws.

Can there be any doubt that all the meritorious points involved in the trial of a criminal cause are reasonably certain to be made in behalf of the defendant by his counsel, chosen by him, or appointed by the court? And yet, section 4059 of the code affirms that no assignment of error or joinder in error is necessary, and requires the Supreme Court in effect to search the record for the reversal of error. I recommend the repeal of this section of the code. Further 1 do not think that the Supreme Court should be required to reverse a judgment in any case unless a majority of the judges should be of the opinion that the defendant is on the evidence presented in the record entitled on the merits to a new trial. I know that such a law would crowd the record with substantially all the testimony taken in the trial in the court below, and to this extent would increase the labor of our already overworked appellate court, but the evil which such legislation would remedy is so great that I think this additional labor might reasonably be required; indeed in the

long run in the suppression of unmeritorious appeals, it might be found to lessen the work of reviewing criminal cases

SWAMP AND OVERFLOWED LANDS AND SCHOOL LANDS.

It will be remembered by those familiar with the legislative history of the State, that for many years the demands of the State against the United States for swamp and overflowed land, and for two and three per cent. funds, were denied by the Federal Government, on the ground that the direct tax imposed 011 the States by Congress to aid in the prosecution of the late war was not paid by Alabama and the amount assessed for this purpose was held to constitute an equitable set off against our demands. This argument was extended until it threatened to interpose this assessment, amounting to about half a million of dollars, to any and every demand whether of money or land asserted by the State.

As early as 1873 a statute was enacted authorizing the Governor to contract for the prosecution of certain named claims against the United States. Under this statute a contract was made by Governor Cobb with Mr. John H. Caldwell, and pursuant to the condition imposed by law his remuneration was made contingent on his success, and payable out of the fund or property realized, with the additional obligation that all the costs of the prosecution should be borne by Mr. Caldwell. This contract with Mr. Caldwell was renewed by Governor O'Neal, and afterwards by myself under the act of the Legislature of February 28, 1887, whereby under the terms of the act the contract was made to include all claims of the State against the Federal Government. The claims of the State were prosecuted with diligence, ability, fidelity and success, until after long and doubtful litigation and after many struggles in Congress the formidable claim of set-off was abandoned; and the swamp and overflowed lands were certified to the State, and the two and three per cent. fund with the accumulation of former years, was once more permitted to find its way into the State Treasury.

In the pursuit of these claims against the Federal Government, the agent, Mr. Caldwell, called attention to the long neglected claim of the State under section 2275 of the revised Statutes of the United States to indemnity for defi-

ciencies in the 16th sections, which, as is well known, have been set apart to the public schools. Even this claim was sought to be avoided on the same ground as hereinbefore stated, but it was finally conceded. In the progress of its assertion the agent, of the State conceived that the schools were entitled to have selections made from anyof the public lands. This claim was met with strenuous objection, and, being carried into the courts, after a long and tedious litigation, the right of the State in behalf of the townships was affirmed, and, thereupon, the agent was allowed to pro ceed to make the selections of the reserved mineral lands of the State. The value of this work to the State is great. It was accomplished by the agent, with this associates, with the agreement that the State should be burdened with no expense, and, that the agent should receive no compensation except in the event of success, and in that case that he should receive the same rate of compensation which he had received on account of his work in connection with the swamp and overflowed lands, and the 2 and 3 per cent. fund. This rate had been 25 per cent. of the money actually realized. I proposed, under the Statute, and under contract made in accordance therewith, to secure this to him. Upon an examination, however, of the contract made on the 17th day 01 March, 1887, in connection with the Statute of the 28th of February, 1887, I reached the conclusion that this valuable work was not covered by the terms of the Statute or of the contract. The work had been accomplished, a great advantage secured, and I was unable to secure to Mr. Caldwell the compensation which he had earned. The lands aggregating 35,395.17 acres have been certified to the State. These lands belong to a great number of townships. They are owned in vastly different proportions. A partition «f them among the townships is practically impossible, and I recommend the passage of a law authorizing these lands to be sold, and the proceeds of the sale to be applied 'to the different townships of the State, after a deduction of twenty-five per cent. to be paid to the diligent, faithful and efficient agent through whose service the State has received this benefit.

I have not sold any of the swamp and overflowed lands, though authorized to do so.

I have held to the opinion that any sale which might be made would not realize their true value. They are alto-

gether timber lands, some of them valuable, and if owned by an individual it would doubtless be the part of good policy to sell them, for depredations upon them cannot be prevented. The St.ate, however, should hesitate to convey these lands to other than actual settlers, for in the residence of a good citizen is to be found the only adequate compensation to the State for parting with its title to any of the public domain.

CONVICT DEPARTMENT.

The penal system of a State contemplates the preservation and improvement of society. Punishment for crime is not intended to inflict pain or degradation. Its purpose is to improve social conditions by preventing crime, and the sentiment of revenge is no more permissible in a State than in an individual. Capital punishment itself is but a species of moral surgery, whereby a wicked and hopelessly depraved member of the body politic is severed for the health of the community. In every other punishment the law proposes the reformation of the criminal, as well as terror to evil doers. These are the principles which for many years have inspired our legislative and official administration. They have been applied under peculiar difficulties. In every State it is important that the system should be self-supporting, and in our financial condition we have been compelled lo attach the greatest importance to this consideration. It was the financial consideration which induced the State to adopt the lease system, as it is known, for it is not contended in any respectable quarter that it is best calculated to secure the purposes for which punishment is inflicted. In our experience we have passed from very crude experiments to a condition which enables us to claim that we have in Alabama the most humane administration of the lease system known to any of the States. And yet the lease system in Alabama may be greatly improved.

There are two classes of convicts. Under the law a prisoner may be sentenced to the penitentiary or to hard labor for the county. Those who are sentenced to the penitentiary are under control of the Board of Inspectors of convicts. They are State convicts. The money arising from their hire is the State's money. These are all hired to one corporation under a contract wherein the absolute control of

the convicts is reserved to the inspectors. A careful system of classification is imposed, to the end, that no man shall be required to perform labor beyond his reasonable ability.

And then without embarrassment the sick, the disabled, the women and children are transferred to the walls of the Penitentiary at Wetumpka, a place prepared by the State, where punishment is still imposed, but where it is administered in accordance with humanity. The other class of convicts are those who by the terms of the statute, or by the discretion of the Courts, are condemned to hard labor forthe several counties. As to these convicts separate contracts are made with the authorities of the several counties. The money arising from their hire is the money of the counties, and while supervision of these convicts and the power of abrogating the contract is given to the Board of Inspectors, practical control of them is prevented by their relatio ton the counties. If a contractor shall be found abusing his relations, or if any reason requires the abrogation of the contract, what disposition would the Inspectors make of the convicts. Shall they be returned at great expense and inconvenience, and probably at the risk of discharge by legal process, to the jails to be rehired? Surely this presents a condition which calls for a remedy. Again, the sick, the disabled and the young can not under the law be transferred to the walls of the penitentiary, but they must remain at the prison and be denied the privilege which is accorded to State convicts in the same condition.

I recommend that the Board of Inspectors be authorized to remove this class of convicts to the walls of the penitentiary, and further that whenever it may become necessary to abrogate the contract of a county or counties, that the Inspectors be authorized to rehire the convicts under proper regulations for the benefit of the counties. I again recommend that every person convicted of felony be sent to the penitentiary.

These amendments are recommended to be made at this session of the Legislature to improve the present system while it exists. The system itself can not be immediately supplanted without the assumption of an expense which at this time the State cannot afford. There are no horrors or barbarities which cry for such a sacrifice. This argument is meant to advance our progress to the best penal system. This we are entitled to have, and this we can only have

when the State gets between the spirit of avarice and the servitude of the convict, until the labor of the convict is received directly on public account, until there shall come in touch with the convict those immediate agents chosen with reference to their administrative capacity, to their diligence and to their fidelity to the doctrine, that punishment is intended to reform the offender if that be possible; if that be impossible, to secure society forever against his depredations by unending confinement; to terrify evil doing, and in no sense wnatever to revenge the State by inflicting pain or degradation.

The buildings and grounds at Wetumpka are worthy to be a nucleus about which the new system may gather. The women and children and the disabled of the State convicts are gathered there already, and their labor under the able and faithful administration of the President of the Board of Inspectors, secured directly on public account, as shown by his report, which is referred to for details, has yielded a return even beyond our expectations. But the land of the State at this place was and is not sufficient to afford agricultural employment for the convicts there, and the Inspectors were induced to make a contract, with Mr. Thos. Williams, a large land owner in that vicinity, whereby this labor has all been employed and with profit to the State. This was meant, however, as an expedient, and I recommend the purchase by the State of land in the immediate vicinity of the penitentiary, to the end that the convicts may be worked exclusively on public account. The State owns a farm consisting of 1,819 acres in Montgomery county. It is distant six, miles from Wetumpka. It is subject to overflow. It has rented for a number of years at five hundred dollars per year. It is too distant to be worked by the convicts at the penitentiary. The land is fertile and its proximity to Montgomery will eventually bring it into demand. Its true value can not be had by a present sale. The State can afford to hold it until a reasonable price is offered for it. In the meantime it is rented yearly at public outcry.

I again recommend the creation of a special commission composed of three men of business capacity, of courage and humanity, familiar with siate-craft and devoted to social progress, who shall be charged with an investigation of the entire subject of penal servitude as it should be adminis-

tered in the State, and to report at the next session of the Legislature with recommendations.

PUBLIC ROADS, RAILROADS AND PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

It is not long since the population of this country was dispersed along the seashore and the banks of the navigable rivers. The sea and the rivers, with a few roadways, were the only highway, and along these, towns and cities by slow processes formed themselves, their progress being largely dependent on natural conditions. These pathways of travel are uncontrolled by the hand of private or corporate enterprise. But the application of steam to railway transportation has worked a complete change. The railroads belong to individuals or corporations. They have superseded largely the wagon-road and river transportation. Uncontrolled, they have the power not only to build towns and cities, but to depopulate communities. Competition between railroad companies has been found entirely insufficient to relieve the situation. Even where there are competing lines between two great cities, the rates from city to city are often fixed at figures claimed to be beneath the actual cost of transportation, and the difference is placed upon the residents along the lines of the respective roads.

It is necessary that our rivers and water ways should be made as far a possible navigable, and this the Federal Government has assumed to do, and I think we may confidently expect that before the lapse of a long time this great work will be accomplished. In many sections of the State the wagon roads are not in condition to make travel and transportation easy. The system by which they are mended is bad. We continue to work the public roads as our ancestors fought the savages—by calling out the able-bodied men. The time consumed in working the public roads is a great deprivation to the farm, and frequently a waste of effort on the roads. Whenever road work has to be performed, it ought to be committed to men who have become expert in it. The law of the division of labor is mocked at by the present system, and it ought to be reformed. The public roads ought to be worked under contract with the township or county authorities, and paid for by a tax levied for that purpose.

It has now been nearly ten years since this State estab-

lished a Railroad Commission. It was then argued that an effort to thus arbitrate between the public and the great railroad corporations would be abortive, if for no other reason, because the operation of the law was necessarily confined to the territorial limits of the State. Since that time we have seen the Federal Government assume the regulation of Inter-State commerce, and the Federal Commission, together with the State Commission, have already accomplished great good to the country. The administration of the law in this State has justified the wisdom of its enactnnent, and a prudent extension of the powers of the Commission as exigencies arise, will doubtless secure that equality between individuals and sections that is so much to be desired.

The one proposition on which all intelligent men are agreed, the very corner stone of all that there is in the world, is that the training of youth is the best guaranty of progress. In Alabama the public school still languishes. We put out this year 890,360 tons of pig iron, mined about 4,000,000 tons of coal and are gathering bountiful crops of cotton, and yet we only paid about 80 cents for the education of each child in the State.

The report of the Superintendent of Education is in the hands of the printer and will be transmitted. His recommendations are entitled to great consideration. He retires from office after a faithful and able administration. He has done the very best that could be done with the material, but the difficulty has been that the State has not been able to spare enough money from the general fund.

The power of local taxation for local purposes is necessary to the progress of any community. Every man should pay for what he gets, and get what he pays for. Every township should have a good school and good roads, but the township itself should furnish them if it be able to do so. Yet since the decision of the case of Schultes against Eberly, 82 Alabama, 242, which denies the authority of the Legislature to delegate to school districts the right to levy a tax, there has been found no remedy. As in the case of public roads, the Constitution is in the way.

A NEW CONSTITUTION.

It is quite the habit of the day: here and elsewhere, to dis-

cuss the race question, and it is not to be denied that there are difficulties in the social problem where homogeneity in race is wanting. Fortunately for Alabama the trouble, such as it is, is a local one. There are sixty-six counties in Alnbama. In 1880 there were in this State, of whites 662,185, and of' blacks and mixed blood 600,108. In forty-three counties the whites were in the majority, averaging 6,691; in twenty-three counties the colored people were in the majority, averaging 14,158. In two of these counties the ratio of blacks and whites was nearly five to one; in three others four to one, and in several more three to one. Nearly 70 per cent. of the colored people in 1880 lived in twenty-three counties; 40 per cent. in ten counties; 35 per cent. in five counties and 13 per cent. in two counties. In forty-three counties of this State there is not nor has there been any trouble on this score. The white people and the colored people here live together in perfect amity, and the rights of all are not even questioned. It is in the limited district of Alabama that I have described where any question is made, and there the difficulty is largely exaggerated. I regret that I have not been able to obtain the figures on this particular subject from the present census, but enough is known to assure us that the evil so far from having increased, has greatly diminished. The progress of distribution, already begun, and sure to advance with accelerated pace, will settle the whole question almost before we have ceased to talk about it. It is acknowledged on every side that the debasement of the suffrage by the reconstruction legislation was a mistake, and every just person admits that the suffrage should have been extended just as the new citizens proved themselves qualified to cast an intelligent ballot.

Apart from any question of race, however, and deeper is ballot, reform, already proven in many of the States, and around which gathers an ever-increasing interest. We can not but desire to keep pace with this intelligent movement. It is not accurate to say that upon it depends the perpetuity of free institutions. That is already secured. But, it does involve the measure of our progress.

Difficulties are in the way. The State was re-admitted to representation in Congress on the 25th day of June 1868, upon the fundamental condition that the grant of universal suffrage made by the Constitution of 1868 should never be revoked. The validity of this legislation has to some extent

been considered in two cases of Texas against White, Wallace, 720, and White against Hart, 13 Wallace, 650. Section 38 of article I of the present Constitution of this State declares that no educational or property qualifications for suffrage or offices shall be made by the legislature, and article 8 of this same instrument provides the qualification for. suffrage. Every male citizen of the United States who is 21 years old, who shall have resided in the State one year and in any county for three months, and who is not a convicted felon or an idiot or an insane person, has the right to vote and the legislature has no power to add any other qualification. The principle that the qualification having been fixed by the Constitution cannot be altered by the legislature is affirmed by the best commentators, and I think is expressly declared in the case of ex parte Dorsey, in Porter, 293.

The entire subject of ballot reform is environed by the State Constitution and it cannot be reached except by an amendment of the Constitution or by the call of a convention and the adoption of a new Constitution. The Constituition can only be altered or amended in accordance with the following provisions of the present Constitution:

"ARTICLE XVII—MODE OF AMENDING CONSTITUTION.

"Section 1. The General Assembly may, whenever two-thirds of each House shall deem it necessary, propose amendments to this Constitution, which, having been read on three several days in each house, shall be duly published in such manner as the General Assembly may direct, at least three months before the next general election for Representatives, for the consideration of the people, and it shall be the duty of the several returning officers at the next general election which shall be held for Representatives to open a poll for the vote of the qualified electors on the proposed amendments, and make a return of said vote to the Secretary of State, and if it shall thereupon appear that a majority of all the qualified electors of the State, who voted at such election, voted in favor of the proposed amendments, said amendments shall be valid, to all intents and purposes, as parts of this Constitution, and the result of such election shall be made known by a proclamation of the Governor.

"Sec. 2. No convention shall hereafter be held for the purpose of altering or of amending the Constitution of this

State, unless the question of convention or no convention shall be first submitted to a vote of' all the electors of the State, and approved by a majority of those voting at said election."

Experience indicates the difficulty of having an amendment adopted, and the only remedy left is to submit the question of convention or no convention to a vote of the people with the view of ascertaining their will on this subject. I should favor a convention, not with the view of rendering nugatory the 14th and 15th amendments of the Federal Constitution, for I consider this absolutely impossible, but with the view of securing by just limitations applicable to all citizens in every election, the free, intelligent, unintimidated and unpurchased choice of the people. Notwithstanding the fundamental conditions to which I have referred, I think that the accomplishment of a purpose so patriotic and so exalted would commend itself to all thinking people without regard to party lines or race distinction. I acknowledge that I consider a grant of power to the local authorities to be exercised at the request of a community to levy a special tax for the benefit of public schools, which could also be secured in a new Constitution, even more important than ballot reform. Every remedy is largely an expedient except that which makes the citizen a better man.

These are some of the considerations which induce me to invite your attention to the propriety of submitting to the people at the next general election the question of calling a convention of the people.

I transmit to you the very full and complete report of the Treasurer.

The report of the Auditor is still with the printer but will be upon your desks in a few days. The excellent management of the office is shown by the collection of all the revenues of the State, except a very small amount in litigation.

I acknowledge in conclusion the hearty co-oporation of all the officers and assistants of the various departments of the State Government during my administration.

THOS. SEAY.

The message from the Governor was read and on motion of Mr. Brewer 500 copies ordered printed for the use of the House.

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RESOLUTION.

Mr. Screws offered the following resolution, which was referred to the Committee on Rules:

Resolved, That the Speaker shall appoint, as early as practicable, the following standing committees:

Ways and Means, to consist of eleven members ;

And the following committees to consist of nine members each:

Judiciary, Revision of Laws, Education, Agriculture, Commerce and Common Carriers, Privileges and Elections, Appropriations, Penitentiary and Criminal Administration, Mining and Manufacturing, Corporations, Counties and County Boundaries, Temperance, Local Legislation, Public Roads and Highways;

And the following committees to consist of seven members each:

Military, Accounts and Claims, Fees and Salaries, Public Printing, Federal Relations, Public Buildings and Institutions, Immigration;

And the following committees to consist of five members each:

Rules, (of which the Speaker shall be chairman,) Engrossed Bills, Enrolled Bills.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

NOVEMBER 12, 1890.

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has adopted the House Joint Resolution with reference to raising a committee to wait upon the Governor and to inform him of the organization of the General Assembly, and that the General Assembly was ready to receive any communication he desired to make.

Committee on the part of the Senate: Messrs. Parks and Skeggs.

Also, has adopted the House Joint Resolution with reference to raising a committee to invite the clergy of the city to open the sessions of the General Assembly with prayer.

Committee on the part of the Senate: Messrs. Cowan and Godfrey.

WM., L. CLAY,
Secretary.

On motion of Mr. Leslie the House adjourned till 10, a. m., to-morrow.

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THIRD DAY.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

THURSDAY, November 13, 1890.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.
Prayer was offered by the Rev. H. D. Moore of the city.
The roll was called and a quorum was present.
Indefinite leave of absence was granted Mr. Moore of Madison on account of sickness. Leave of absence was granted to Mr. Purifoy for one day.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON RULES.

Mr. Speaker, Mr. Pettus in the Chair, reported the rules of the last House, together with the standing committees with the number of committeemen therein named for the government of the present House.
The report was adopted.

RULES.

RULE 1. The Speaker shall take the Chair every day at the hour fixed on the preceding adjournment; shall immediately call the members to order, and on the appearance of a quorum, cause the journal of the preceding day to be read.
2. He shall preserve order and decorum; may speak to points of order in preference to other members, rising from his chair for that purpose. He shall decide questions of order, subject to an appeal to the House, at the request of any member; which appeal shall be decided without debate.
3. He shall rise to put a question, but may state it sitting. All questions shall be distinctly put in this form, viz:

"Those in favor of (as the question may be,) say Aye;" and after the affirmative voice is expressed, “Those opposed to the motion say No." If the Speaker doubts, or a division is called for, the House shall divide. Those in the affirmative of the question shall rise from their seats; and afterwards those in the negative.

4. He shall have a right to name any member to perform the duties of the Chair, but such substitution shall not extend beyond an adjournment. Whenever he is sick, or otherwise providentially unable to attend, or necessarily absent, the House shall elect a Speaker pro tem, who shall discharge the duties of Speaker till his return and no longer.

5. Fifteen members shall have power to send for absent members or to move a call of the House; but no call of the House shall be made except on the concurrence of a majority of the members present. A majority of the House shall be a quorum to transact business.

6. When any member is about to speak or deliver any matter to the House, he shall rise from his seat and respectfully address himself to the Speaker.

7. If any member, in speaking or otherwise, transgress the rules, the Speaker shall, or any member may, call him to order; in which case the member so called to order shall immediately sit down, unless permitted to explain; and the House shall, if appealed to, decide on the case without debate. If the decision be in favor of the member so called to order, he shall be at liberty to proceed; if otherwise, and the case require it, he shall be liable to the censure of the House.

8. When two or more speakers happen to rise at the same time, the Speaker shall name the person who is first to speak.

9. No member shall speak more than twice to the same question without leave of the House; unless he be the mover or chairman of the committee proposing the matter pending, in which case he shall be permitted to speak in reply, but not until every member choosing to speak shall have spoken.

10. Upon the call of the House for taking the ayes and noes on any question, names of the members shall be called alphabetically, and each member shall answer from his seat.

11. When any question is taken by ayes and noes, and a

member who has been absent returns before the question is decided, he shall be privileged to make inquiry of the subject before the House, and record his vote without discussion.

12. When a motion is made it shall be stated by the Speaker; or if in writing, shall be read aloud by the Clerk; And every motion shall be reduced to writing if the Speaker Or any member request it.

13. Any member may call for a division of the question, When the sense will admit of it.

14. Members shall particularly forbear personal reflec-Tions; nor shall any member name another in argument or debate.

15. after a motion is stated by the Speaker, or read by the Clerk, it shall be deemed in possession of the House, but may be withdrawn by leave of the House, at any time before decision.

16. When a question is before the House motions may Be received in the following order, to-wit: 1st. To fix the Time to which the House shall adjourn. 2d. To adjourn. 3d. To lay on the table. 4th. For the Previous question. 5th. To postpone to a certain day, not beyond the probable Duration of the session. 6th. To commit. 7th. To amend. 8th: To indefinitely postpone.

17. A motion to adjourn shall always be in order, even In the absence of a quorum.

18. When a vote has passed, except on the previous question, or on motion to lay on the table, or to take from the table, it shall be in order for any member who voted with the majority to move for a reconsideration thereof on the same day, or within one hour after reading the journal on the succeeding day, and such motion, if made on the same day, shall be placed first on the orders of the day for the day succeeding that on which it is made; unless the mover desires present consideration; but if first moved on such succeeding day, it shall be forthwith considered; and when a motion for reconsideration is decided, that decision shall not be reconsidered, and no question, be twice reconsidered: Provided, however, that a motion to reconsider a vote, upon any incidental or subsidiary question, shall not remove the main subject under consideration from the House, but shall be considered at the time when it is made.

19. No bill or joint resolution of this House shall be

sent to the Senate (unless by special order of the House,) until the time allowed for the last preceding rule for reconsideration shall have passed.

20. The previous question shall be in the following form: "Shall the main question be now put?" if demanded by a vote of a majority of the members present, its effect shall be to cut off all debate and bring the House to a direct vote. First upon the pending amendments, if there be any, in their order, and then on the main question, but the mover of the question, or the chairman of the committee having charge of the bill or resolution, shall have the right to close the debate, after the call of the previous question has been sustained, for not more than fifteen minutes.

21. The Speaker shall appoint all committees unless otherwise directed by The House; Provided, however, a majority of each committee shall constitute a quorum. And the following shall constitute the standing committees of the House, to be composed of thirteen members each:

1. Judiciary. 2. Revision of Laws. 3. Ways and Means. 4. Education. 5. Agriculture.

The following, composed of eleven members each:

6. Commerce and Common Carriers.
7. Privileges and Elections.
8. Penitentiary and Criminal Administration.
9. Mining and Manufacturing.
10. Appropriations.
11. Corporations.
12. Temperance.
13. Public Health.
14. Counties and County Boundaries.
15. Local Legislation.
16. Public Roads and Highways.
17. Federal Relations.
18. Public Buildings and Institutions.
19. Immigration.

The following, composed of nine members each:

20. Military.
21. Accounts and Claims.
22. Fees and Salaries.
23. Public Printing.

The following, composed of seven members each:

24. Engrossed Bills.

25. Enrolled Bills.
26. Rules, composed of five members, with the Speaker as chairman.

22. In the appointment of a committee to visit any public institution of the State, no representative who is a resident of an adjoining county, shall be appointed on such committee.

23. Every member may be required to vote on any question before the House. When the ayes and noes are desired, the Speaker shall be first called, and if the House be equally divided, the question shall be lost.

24. No member shall absent himself from the sessions of the House, unless he have leave, be sick, or unable to attend.

25. The following shall be the order of business in the House:

1. Reading of the journal of preceding day.

2. Reports of committees on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, but these committees may report at any time.

3. Senate messages; provided that whenever any message is received, notifying the House of the passage of Senate Bills, the Clerk shall, immediately after the passage is read, proceed to read the bills by their titles, (unless the reading be called for by some member, in which event the bill shall be read at length,) and referred forthwith to a committee. The House shall then proceed with the business upon which it was engaged when the message was received.

4. The unfinished business in which the House was engaged at its last adjournment.

5. The call of counties in alphabetical order for bills, resolutions, memorials and petitions. If in any one day the call has not been completed by the hour of 12 in., the Speaker shall begin on the next day, where he left off the preceding day.

When the hour of 12 m., arrives, or before that hour, if the call of the counties has been completed, business shall proceed in the following order:

1. Reports of standing committees, for bills which they have reported favorably, which shall forthwith be read by their titles a second time and entered on the Calendar in the order in which they were read a second time. In the call of committees the Speaker shall call them in their order.

If the Speaker should not get through the call of committees before the House passes to other business, he shall resume next call where he left off.

2. Executive messages shall have priority over other business, and as soon as received they shall be read by the Clerk, and a proper disposition be made of them; and the House shall thereupon proceed with the business engaged in when interrupted by the executive message.

3. If there are any bills on the Calendar they shall be taken up at 1 p. m. on each day, unless reached earlier, and no bill on the Calendar shall be taken up out of its order, except by a vote of two thirds of the members.

4. Miscellaneous business.

26. The House may, by a vote of two-thirds of the members present, suspend the consideration of any regular or special order, for the purpose of taking up another matter, and when that is disposed of, the consideration of the suspended order shall be resumɔd.

27. Any matter may, by a vote of the majority of the members present, be made the special order for any hour, which shall take the precedence, at that hour, of any other business except a motion to reconsider.

28. When a committee has decided adversely to any bill or resolution, such action shall not be reported to the house but such bills shall forthwith be returned to the Clerk, who shall note the unfavorable report on the docket or register of bills. Any member may call for any such bill under adverse report when the same may, by leave of the House, be read by its title a second time, and placed on the Calendar. Such call shall only be in order on any day, immediately after the call of the standing committee which acted on said bill.

29. Upon the introduction of any bill, or when Senate bills are first acted on, the same shall be read by its title, unless the reading be called for by some member, when it shall be read at length, and upon such reading at length, or by its title, the bill so read shall be referred to a committee without a vote being taken, unless objected to, and in that event the question of reference shall be put to the House; and no bill shall be ordered to a second reading till reported back from a committee.

30. Bills, motions and reports may be committed or recommitted at the pleasure of the House.

31. Every bill shall, on its first reading, be committed to

a standing committee, a select committee, or committee of the whole House; but commitment to one shall not preclude the commitment to either of the others, and on recommitment shall be open to amendment.

32. No special committee shall report but upon leave granted by a vote of the House, except committees of inquiry, which may report at any time.

33. All bills shall be dispatched in order as they are introduced, unless when the House otherwise direct.

34. When a bill shall pass it shall be certified by the Clerk, noting the date of its passage at the foot thereof.

35. the House may resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole when deemed necessary ; and the rules of proceeding in the House shall be observed in committees, as far as may be applicable, except that number of times of speaking and putting the previous question, shall not be applicable in committee.

36. In forming a committee of the whole House, the Speaker shall leave his Chair, and a Chairman to preside in committee shall be appointed by the Speaker.

37. Upon a bill being committed to a committee of the whole House, the same shall be first read throughout by the Clerk, and then again be read and debated by clauses, leaving the preamble to be the last considered. After the report the bill shall again lie subjected to debate and amendment by clauses, before the question of engrossing be taken.

38. On all questions of filling blanks, the largest sum and most remote day shall first be put.

39. Whenever it shall be necessary for a communication to be made from the House of Representatives to the Senate, it shall be under the signature of the Clerk.

40. No committee shall sit during the sitting of the House without special leave.

41. No bill or joint resolution shall be received, unless written on an entire sheet of paper, with the caption endorsed.

42. After a vote had been ordered upon any question no member shall be permitted to explain his vote without leave of the House.

43. When House bills are signed by the Speaker. thereupon the Clerk must, by message, notify the Senate and request the signature of the President of the Senate to said bills.

44. The name of the member who introduces a bill or joint resolution shall be by him endorsed upon the same, and shall be inscribed by the Clerk upon The engrossed and enrolled copies when transmitted to the Senate or the Governor.

45. In appointing a committee from the several subdivisions of the State, the Speaker shall designate who shall be Chairman of such committee.

46. No person shall be allowed to smoke within the House lobby or gallery.

47. All bills for amendment to any section or part of the Code, in which the subject 'matter is staled in the title by reference to the section or other sub-division of the Code, must contain on the back of the bill, immediately below the title, a brief statement of the general subject to which such section or sub-division relates.

48. The Speaker shall, whenever he deems it necessary for the speedy dispatch of business, order the Calendar printed for the use of members.

49. When the Chairman of a committee is sick or absent, the member whose name appears second on the committee shall, during the absence of the Chairman become Chairman, and have power to call together the commit.tee for consideration of the bills.

50. None of the foregoing rules shall be rescinded, without one day's notice of the motion thereof being given ; and a violation of either of them may be punished by such censure as a majority of the House may direct.

51. The tabling of any amendment or subsidiary motion, shall not have the effect of carrying with it the original bill or proposition.

52. That the rules of this House shall not be suspended, except by a four fifth's vote of every member present, provided a quorum must vote.

53. No member shall speak more than twice to any question, nor for more than ten minutes at any time, except that the mover of a question, or the chairman of a committee proposing the question, may speak in reply for not more than ten minutes, after all desiring lo speak shall have spoken.

54. When a bill is reported favorably to the House, and a minority report accompanies the favorable report, the minority report shall be considered an amendment, and the

bill shall be read a second time ; and said bill and minority report shall be placed on the Calender and be considered on the third reading of the bill.

Mr. Kelly moved to print 500 copies of the rules for the use of members and on motion of Mr. Brown 200 was substituted for 500 and the motion carried.

On motion of Mr. Brewer, the printing of the rules was deferred until after the appointment of standing committees and the report of committee on joint rules.

RESOLUTIONS.

The following resolution was offered and adopted,

By Mr. Screws—

Resolved, (the Senate concurring,) That six hundred copies of the Attorney General's Report be printed for the use of the General Assembly.

Mr. Speaker announced the appointment of the following

Pages—J. H. Conly, Arthur W. Wade and Michel Screws.

Messenger—Crowell Broadnax.

On motion of Mr. Meador the House adjourned till 10 a. m., to morrow.

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FOURTH DAY.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

FRIDAY, November, 15, 1890.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.
Prayer by Rev. Dr. Moore, of the city.
A quorum was present.
The Journal of yesterday was read and approved.

STANDING COMMITTEES.

The Speaker announced the following Standing committees of the House for 1890-1, viz:

Judiciary—Messrs. Clayton, Pettus, Smith of Russell, Foster, Quarles, Longshore, Rather, Hill, Judge, Kelly, Brown, Sullivan and Sayre.

Revision of Laws—Messrs. Lewis, Longshore, Quarles, Foster, Sayre, Kelly, Sullivan, Judge, Scott, Smaw, Jones, White and Gilchrist.

Ways and Means—Messrs. Brewer, Watters, Adams, Powell, Scott, Meador, Webb, Brown, Blackwell, Siïiith of Dallas, Barnett, Gass and Buck.

Education—Messrs. Davis of Fayette, Henry, Kemp, Simmona, Buck, Hufham, Jackson, Steele, Langley, Whatley, Avery, Clanton, Bishop.

Agriculture—Messrs, Harris, Lee of Conecuh, Nolen, Harrell, White, Bishop, Langley, Cox, Poole, Davis of Lamar, Jones, Ramsay and Tucker of Lauderdale.

Commerce and Common Carriers—Messrs. Smaw, Watters, Kelly, Smith of Dallas, Bishop, Powell, Lane, Coleman, Finch, Davidson and Northington.

Privileges and Elections—Messrs. Foster, Hill, Sullivan, Judge, Burford, Long, Amason of Sumter, Alexander, Ayers, Forman and Sparkman.

Penitentiary and Criminal Administration—Messrs. Brown, Avery, Gordon, Webb, Jones, Lane, Purifoy, Smith of Dallas, Russeau, Amason of Sumter and Poole.

Mining and Manufacturing—Messrs. Pettus, Judge, Lane, Powell, Long, Forman, Sparkman, Northington, Jones, Bevis and Nolen.

Appropriations—Messrs. Scott, Brown, Adams, Meador, Kemp, White, Buck, Edwards, Parker, Gass and Purifoy.

Corporations—Messrs. Longshore, Rather, Smaw, Alexander, Bass, Almon, Henry, Howle, Bevis, Harrell and Whatley.

Temperance—Messrs. Lee of Conecuh, Kemp, Appleton, Cornelius, Edwards, Howle, Loveless, Rosseau, Park, Amason of Tallapoosa and Leigh.

Public Health.—Messrs. Townsend of Pike, Lee of Conecuh, Gordon, Armistead, Steele, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Peacock, Moore of Baldwin and Thrasher.

Counties and County Boundaries—Messrs. Smith of Russell, Bass, Davidson, Long, Henry, Gass, Bain, Poole, Parks, Johnson and Cornelius.

Local Legislation—Lane, Meador, Avery, Lee of Barbour,

Alexander, Ayers, Burford, Parker, Tucker of Crenshaw, Jackson and Finch.

Public Roads and Highways—Messrs. Clanton, Harris, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Blackwell, Leslie, Ramsay, Wood, Bass, Coleman, and Amason of Tallapoosa.

Federal Relations—Messrs. Hill, Kelly, "Wade, Parker, Northington, Moore of Madison, Amason of Sumter, Bain, Leslie, Tucker of Lauderdale, and Guthrie.

Public Buildings and Institutions—Messrs. Screws, Edwards, Cox, Steele, Coleman, Moore of Baldwin, Armistead, Johnson, Peacock and Almon.

Immigration—Messrs. Webb, Smaw, Blackwell, Barnett, young, cooper, Lee of Barbour, Moore of Madison, Wood, Crews and Hufham.

Military—Messrs. Quarles, Screws, Moore of Madison, Bain, Davidson, Wilson, Forman, Townsend of Limestone and Davis of Winston. •

Accounts and Claims—Messrs. Kemp, Davis of Lamar, Simmons, Crews, Cooper, Young, Townsend of Limestone, Loveless, and Moore of Baldwin.

Fees and Salaries—Messrs, Adams, Barnett, Crews, Davis of Lamar, Peacock, Parks, Appleton, Almon and Davis of Winston.

Public Printing—Messrs. Sayre, Bevis, Burford, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Leslie, Wade and Leigh.

Engrossed Bills—Messrs. Sullivan, Davis of Fayette, Screws, Wilson, Hufham, Tucker of Crenshaw and thrasher.

Enrolled Bills—Messrs. Rather, Gilchrist, Simmons, Puriroy, Sparkman, Townsend of Pike and Tucker of Lauderdale.

Rules—Messrs. Speaker, Brown, Clayton, Pettus and Steele.

CALL OF COUNTIES.

Introduction of bills and Resolutions:

Upon a call of the counties the following bills were introduced. •

By Mr. Wood, (by request)--

H. 1. To amend section one of an act entitled an act for the protection of land and property against the depredations of live stock in portions of precincts No. I, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 in Autauga county.

By Mr. Adams—

H. 2. To repeal section 4179 (714), Article III of vol. II code of Alabama, 1886, so far as the same applies to Bibb countv.

By Mr. Whatley—

H. 3. To authorize and require the County Commissioners of the several counties of this State to cause the public roads in this State to be worked so as to secure the permanent improvement of the same.

By Mr. Harris—

H. 4. To amend section 20 of an act entitled an act to ainend an act entitled an act to establish a department of agriculture for the State of Alabama, approved February 23, 1883.

By Mr. Coooper—

H. 5. To relieve Minnie S. Parker of Calhoun county, Alabama, a minor, of the disabilities of non-age.

By Mr. Cooper—

H. 6. To amend section two of an act to incorporate the Anniston Loan and Trust Company of Anniston, Alabama, approved February 28,1889.

By Mr. Northington—

H. 7. To prevent the sale of cigarettes to minors.

By Mr. Armistead—

H. 8. To prohibit any officer of the State of Alabama or any officer of any county thereof, from receiving passes on any railroad or steamboat in this State, and to prohibit such railroads and steamboats issuing passes to such persons;

Also,

H. 9. To prohibit railroads from running excursion trains on Sunday in this State—

By Mr. Rousseau, (with petition)—

II. 10. To repeal an act entitled an act for the preservation of game animals and birds in the counties of St. Clair, Lauderdale, Colbert, Marengo, Jefferson, Pike and covington.

By Mr. Edwards—

H. 11. To establish a separate school district in Dale county to be known as Dean's School District;

Also,

H. 12. To prevent the sale of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors within two miles of the Methodist or Baptist churches in Daleville, Dale county, Alabama ;

Also,

H. 13. To incorporatie the town of Midland City in the county of Dale.

By Mr. Smith of Dallas—

H. 14. To make appropriations for the ordinary expenses of the Executive, Legislative and Judicial departments of the State for interest on the public debt and for public schools;

Also,

H. 15. To make appropriations for the payment of sheriffs for feeding prisoners in jail for the year ending September 30, 1888, and for the removal of prisoners daring the year ending September, 30, 1889, the appropriations for the purposes named for said years having been exhausted.

By Mr. Quarles—

H. 16. To prevent the running of freight trains on Sunday;

Also,

II. 17. To amend section 3812 of the Code of Alabama ;

Also,

H. 18. To amend section 130, of the Code of Alabama ;

Also,

H. 19. To give justices of the peace and notaries public with powers of justice of the peace, jurisdiction over all misdemeanors, to fix their qualifications, and to fix their trial fees in criminal cases ;

Also,

H. 20. To prevent the keeping of cock-pits, cock-fighting and betting on cock-fights ; •1-

Also,

H. 21. To increase the liability of persons owning or operating railroads for injuries to stock by engines or cars ;

Also,

H. 22. To amend section 4078 of the Code of Alabama ;.

Also,

H. 23. To provide for the establishment of separate schools of medicine in Alabama;

Also,

II. 24. To amend section 839 of the code of Alabama ;

Also,

H. 25. To amend section 1120 of the code of Alabama ;

Also,

H. 26. To amend an act entitled an act to define a lawful wire fence in the State of Alabama ;

Also,

H. 27. To repeal an act entitled an act to amend section 3945 of the Code of Alabama, so far as the same applies to the counties of Lowndes, Dallas, Perry, Hale and Wilcox.

By Mr. Wade—

H. 38. To provide for the election of the four County Commissioners of Etowah county, by the qualified voters of said county, and to prescribe the term of office of said commissioners;

Also,

H. 29. To amend sections two (2) and five (5) of an act entitled an act to establish a new charter for the city of Gadsden, approved January 27, 1883.

By Mr. Wade—-

H. 30. To authorize the Court of county Commissioners of Etowah county to issue bonds of said county to an amount not exceeding seventy-five thousand dollars, for the purpose of securing the means to construct the court house, and furnish the same with suitable furniture, and for the purpose of paying for building an addition to the jai1 For said county.

By Mr. Davis, of Fayette—

H. 31. To provide for the permanent location of the county site of Fayette county, by the vote of the people of said county.

By Mr. Coleman—

H. 32. To provide for the holding of elections in the several beats of Geneva county to determine whether alcoholic, vinous or malt liquors shall be sold in such beats.

By Mr. Avery—

H. 33 To reimburse the sheriff of Hale county, the amount expended by him in the extradition of Tom Walker.

By Mr. Leslie (with petition)—

H. 34. To prohibit the sale, giving away or otherwise disposing of spirituoua, vinous or malt liquors within five miles of Oak Grove church, Fellowship church, Centre church and Union Springs church in Henry county, Alabama.

By Mr. Clanton—

H. 35. To amend section 1434 of the code.

Also,

H. 36. (With notice and proof) To authorize Mollie G. Matthews of Jackson county to sell the undivided interest of her two minor children in certain lands and other real es-

By Mr. Tucker (from Lauderdale)—

H. 49. For the relief of H. McVay Moore, late sheriff of Lauderdale county.

By Mr. Bass—

H. 50. For the relief of Robert E. Yarborough, a minor of Lee, from the disabilities of non-age.

By Mr. Jackson—

H. 51. To provide for the examination of bodies supposed to have been poisoned and to meet expenses of the same.

By Mr. Young—

11. 52. To provide for a registration of all legal claims against the fine and forfeiture fund of Marion county.

By Mr. Sullivan—

H. 53. To dispose of the fine and forfeiture fuud in Mobile county, and to provide for the payment of all claims which are by law a charge against said fund.

Also,

H. 54. To amend sections 2 and 4 of an act entitled an act to facilitate the giving of bonds required by law and authorizing certain corporations to become sole surety thereon.

By Mr. Buck—

H. 55. To provide for the election of the General Administrator of Mobile county and for filling vacancies therein.

Also,

H. 56. To require all butchers and dealers in live stock in Mobile county to keep a register of all stock purchased or received by them.

Also.

H. 57. To assess the value of stock killed or injured by the trains or locomotives of railroads in Mobile county and to provide for the collection thereof.

By Mr Lewis—

H. 58. To declare void and of no force the sales of land for taxes made by the tax collectors in this State previous to the first day of July, 1887, when such lands were bid in for the State and have not been redeemed by the owners or other persons entitled under the laws of the State to redeem such lands. or that have not Leen sold or transferred by the State under any law governing the sale or transfer of lands sold for taxes, and to remise, release and quit-claim all the title of the State therein to the owner hereof.

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Also,

H. 59. To exempt all mortgages on real estate in this State from taxation.

Also,

H. 60. To provide for the compensation of State witnesses in Mobile county.

By Mr. Screws—

H. 61. To regulate the election of municipal officers in the city of Montgomery.

Also,

H. 62. To prevent the hiring of any person convicted of a felony or misdemeanor to pay for the costs incurred in and about his conviction.

Also,

H. 63. For the regulation of the punishment of those convicted of misdemeanors.

Also,

H. 64. To regulate the punishment of misdemeanants in this State.

Also,

H. 65. To revise the Criminal Code of Alabama.

Also,

H. 66. To provide for the calling of a convention to revise and amend the Constitution of this State.

By Mr. Sayre—

H. 67. To amend an act entitled an act to more effectually secure competent and well qualified jurors in the county of Montgomery, approved February 21, 1887.

Also, ^

H. 68. To further define and regulate the jurisdiction and duties of the Recorder of the city of Montgomery in the trial of offenses.

By Mr. White—

H. 69. To amend the charter of the city of Uniontown, county of Perry, State of Alabama.

Also,

H. 70. To authorize the mayor and council of the city of Uniontown to issue bonds of said city for au amount not exceeding twenty-five thousand dollars, bearing six per cent interest, payable semi-annually, for the pnrpose of erecting or providing said city with water works, and for funding the indebtedness of said city.

Also,

H. 71. To fix the compensation of witnesses for the State

In all criminal cases in the circuit court of Perry county, and before the grand jury of said county and to prescribe when and how they are to be paid.

Also,

H. 72. To prevent the tying or staking out of any stock on or alongside of any public road.

Also,

H. 73. To amend sections 4429 (vol II) Code of Alabama.

Also.

H. 74. To amend section 4436 (vol II) Code of Alabama.

Also,

H. 75. To repeal section 4430 (vol II)Code of Alabama.

Also,

H. 76. To amend section 4816 (vol II) Code of Alabama.

By Mr. Townsend (of Pike)—

H. 77. To amend section 4861 of the Code of Alabama.

Also,

H. 78. Prescribing the liability of bondsmen in cases of fQ\OT\V

By' Mr. Barnett—

H. 79. To amend section 2755 of the Code of Alabama.

Also,

H. 80. To amend subdivision 6 of section 699 of the Code of Alabama.

Also,

H. 84. To regulate appeals in criminal cases from the county court of Pike county and from justices of the peace and notories public and in proceedings to keep the peace, to the criminal court of Pike county.

By Mr. Ayres—

H. 82. To preserve order at the corn house camp ground in the county of Randolph, Alabama.

By Mr. Smith (of Russell.)

H. 83. To amend rule 4 of Chancery practice.

By Mr. Webb—

H. 84. To prohibit pools, trusts or combines to regulate the prices of produce or goods, wares and merchandise in this State ;

Also,

H. 85. To relieve James B. Sandford, of Talladega county, Alabama, from the disabilities of non-age ;

Also,

H. 86. To amend subdivision 31 of section 629 of the Code of Alabama,

By Mr. Long—

H. 87. To amend section 2 and paragraphs 5, 7, 9, 10 and 13. and section 4 and sections 9 and 10 of an act entitled an act to provide for a charter for the city of Jasper, in Walker county, Alabama, approved February 6, 1889 ;

Also,

H. 88. For the preservation of game animals and birds in the county of Walker ;

Also,

H. 89. To provide sui(;able compensation for the Superintendent of Education of the county of Walker.

By Mr. Gordon—

H. 90. To establish a boundary line between the counties of Washington and Mobile ;

Also,

A petition of the Antioch Baptist Association ;

Which was referred to committee on Temperance.

By Mr. Simmons—

H. 91. To levy a State and county tax on peddlers of clocks and sewing machines.

By Mr. Adams—

H. 92. To amend section 1750 of the Code.

REFERRED TO COMMITTEES.

The above and foregoing bills were severally read one time and referred to appropriate committees as follows :

Judiciary, House Bills 5, 7, 8, 9, 17, 19, 20, 21, 22, 24, 25, 30, 35, 36, 39, 42, 48, 92, 85, 84, 83, 81, 78, 70, 68, 67, 66, 65, 64, 63, 62, 59, 51, 49.

Ways and Means, House Bills 33, 91, 86, 58, 57, 56.

Revision of Laws, House Bills 2, 26, 27, 43, 44, 47, 80, 79, 77, 76, 75, 74, 73, 71, 69, 55, 54, 53, 60.

Corporations, 6, 13, 29, 40, 45, 46, 87.

Temperance, 12, 32, 34.

Local Legislation, 31, 37, 88, 82, 61, 52, 50.

Education, 4, 11, 23, 38, 41, 89.

Appropriations, 14 and 15.

Agriculture, 1, 10 and 18.

Privileges and Elections, 28.

Commerce and Common Carriers, 16.

Public Roads and Highways, 3 and 72.

Counties and County Boundaries. 90.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

SENATE CHAMBEB,
November, 14th, 1890.
Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has adopted a joint resolution sent herewith relative to raising a joint committee on rules. Committee on the part of the Senate—Messrs. Stansel and Hundley.

And a joint resolution, relative to the two and three per Cent fund. Committee on the part of the Senate—Messrs. Wiley and Milner.

And a joint resolution relative to raising a committee to consider needed improvements on the Capitol grounds and buildings. Committee on the part of the Senate—Messrs. Wiley and Handley.

And a joint resolution relative to raising: a committee to take into consideration the re-apportionment, of the State, according to the last census. Committee on the park of the Senate—Messrs, Milner, Godfrey, Parks, Compton and Skeggs.

And has concurred in the House joint resolution, relative to raising a committee to invite the clergy of the city to open the proceedings of the General Assembly with prayer. Committee on the part of the Senate—Messrs. Cowan and Godfrey.

WM. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE.

the Senate joint resolution relative to raising a joint committee on rules was concurred in.

Committee on the part of the house Messrs. Brewer, Clayton and Pettus.

Also,

Relative to the two and three per cent fund.

Committee on the part of the house, Messrs. Lewis, Avery and Purifoy.

Also,

Relative to raising a committee to consider needed improvements on the capitol grounds and buildings.

Committee on the part of the house, Messrs. Scott, Smaw and Smith of Dallas.

Mr. Smith of Russell offered the following amendment to the senate joint resolution relative to raising a committee to take into consideration the re-apportionment of the State according to the last census, viz :

Provided, That if in the judgment of the committee, the decennial census of the United States taken in 1890, is not full and satisfactory, that said committee shall report a bill to provide for a correct enumeration of the inhabitants of the State, as provided by section 5, article 9, of the constitution ;

Which was lost.

Yeas 18, nays 77.

Yeas—Avery, Buck, Clayton, Harris, Johnson, Judge, Kelly Meador, Pettus, Powell, Quarles, Scott, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan,Whatley, White—18.

Nays—Messrs. Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton. Armistead, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop. Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Burford, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox. Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster, Crass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Jones, Kemp, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Purifoy, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Sparkman, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Walters, Webb, Wood, Wilson, Young—77.

And the joint resolution was then concurred in.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR

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EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE OF THE GOVEKNOR,
MONTGOMERY, November 14th, 1890.

Mr. Speaker :

I deliver to you, by the hands of the Private Secretary, unopened, the certificates of the board of supervisors of election, as to the election for Governor, Secretary of State, Auditor, Treasurer, Superintendent of Education and Altorney General, which have been received at this office.

Respectfully,
THOS. SEAY.

RESOLUTIONS.

Resolutions were offered as follows :

By Mr. Davis of Fayette—

Resolved, That the Committee on Education be authorized to elect a clerk, who shall receive for his services the regular per diem, whose duty it will be to act also, as clerk for the Committee on Agriculture.

Mr. Brown offered the following as a substitute which was adopted:

Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed to take into consideration the subject of employing clerks for committees, and report them at the earliest day practicable.

Committee—Messrs. Brown, Lee of Conecuh, and Davis of Fayette.

By Mr. Brown—

Resolved by the House, (the Senate concurring), That a joint committee, consisting of three from the House and two from the Senate, be appointed on printing public documents, to which all matters pertaining to the printing of such shall be referred. Adopted.

Committee on the part of the House, Messrs Sayre, Brown and Buck.

By Mr. Longshore—

Resolved by the House, (the Senate concurring), That the two Houses of the General Assembly shall meet on Saturday, November 15th, at 11 o'clock a. m. in the Hall of the House of Representatives for the purpose of opening the returns and counting the vote of the late general election for Governor and other State officers. Adopted.

MESSAUE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker :

The Senate has concurred in the House Joint Resolution, providing for the printing of the report of the Attorney-General.

W. L. OLAY,
Secretary.

On motion the House adjourned till 10 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

FIFTH DAY.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Saturday, November, 15,1890.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.
Prayer by Rev. Dr. Moore of the city.
A quorum was present.
The Journal of yesterday was read and approved.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Was granted to Messrs. Wood, Harrell, Leslie, Poole and Gass for one day.

COMMITTEE APPOINTMENT.

The Speaker announced the following committee under the Senate Joint Resolution relative to re-apportionment of Representatives:
From the State at large, Messrs. Meador and Adams.
Ist District—Mr. Watters.
2d District—Mr. Lee of Conecuh.
3rd District—Mr. Smith of Russell.
4th District—Mr. Brewer.
5th District—Mr. Harris.
6th District—Mr. Foster.
7th District—Mr. Cooper.
8th District—Mr. Laue.

RECONSIDERATIONS.

Mr. Smaw moved to reconsider the vote by which the House on yesterday concurred in the Senate Joint Resolution relative to apportionment of Represenatives and Senators and also to reconsider the vote by which the amendment to said resolution by Mr. Smith of Russell, was lost.
After discussion Mr. Pettus moved to make the consideration of said motion a special order for Tuesday after reading of the Journal.
Mr. Brown offered an amendment to substitute "12 m. Monday next," for "Tuesday after reading the Journal," which was adopted. The motion as amended was adopted.

MESSSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker:
The Senate has concurred in the House Joint Resolution raising a joint committee on printing public documents.
Committee on the part of the Senate, Messrs. Grant and Skeggs. Also, in the House Joint Resolution, providing for counting the gubernatorial vote, to-day, at 11 o'clock.
W. L. OLAY,
Secretary.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEE8.

Mr. Clayton, from the judiciary committee, reported favorably,
II. 5. To relieve Minnie S. Parker of Calhoun county, Alabama, a minor, of the disabilities of non-age;
Which was read a second time and placed on the calendar.
Mr. Purifoy, from the committee to wait on the clergy of the city, made the following report, which was received, and the committee discharged :

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:
Your committee in conjunction with a similar committee on the part of the Senate, charged with the duty of seeing the clergy of the city of Montgomery, and requesting the attendance of one of their number at the morning sessions of the two Houses for the purpose of opening with prayer, report that they have performed the duty, and that the gentlemen have generally consented to comply with the request. The committee ask to be discharged.
JOHN PURIFOY, Chairman.

JOINT CONVENTION.

The hour of 11 o'clock, A. M., having arrived, the general assembly of Alabama, assembled in the Hall of the House of Representatives to witness the opening, counting and proclaiming of the votes cast for executive officers of the State on the first Monday, in August, 1890.
The joint convention was called to order by the Hon. A.

C. Hargrove, President of the Senate, who directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate, when the following Senators responded to their names :

Messrs. President, Berry, Bradley, Bloch, Cowan, Compton, Davie, Downey, Grant, Godfrey, Handley, Haralson Harris of Hale, Harris of Lee, Hayes, Hundley, Lackey, Milner, Minge, Nesmith, Parker, Parks, Skeggs, Smith of Autauga, Smith of Mobile, Stallworth, Stansel, Steagall, Wiley, Williams—30.

The Speaker of the House then directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the House, when the following Representatives responded to their names :

Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson. Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young—90.

The President of the Senate announced that there was a quorum of the two Houses present, and that the purpose of the joint convention was to open, count and proclaim the result of the election held on the first Monday in August, 1890, for executive officers of the State.

The Speaker of the House then proceeded to open and publish, in the presence of the two Houses of the General Assembly, in joint convention, the returns of the election held on the first Monday in August, 1890, for executive officers of the State of Alabama as follows :

OFFICIAL VOTE OF ALABAMA, AUGUST, 1890.

COUNTIES.	For Governor.	For Secretary of State.	For Attorney General.	60					
	Thos. G. Jones	B. M. Long	L. C. Coulson	J. D. Barron	Chas. C. Austin	B. Andrews	W. L. Martin	C. D. Alexander	L. M. Davis
Autauga									
Baldwin									
Barbour									
Bibb									
Blount									
Bullock									
Butler									
Calhoun									
Chambers									
Cherokee									
Chilton									
Choctaw									
Clarke	1,387								
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	4,982								
	1,101								
	1,500								
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	2,731								
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Coffee
Colbert
Conecuh
Coosa
Covington
Crenshaw
Cullman
Dale
Dallas
DeKalb
Elmore
Escambia
Etowah
Fayette
Franklin
Geneva
Greene
Hale
Henry
Jackson
Jefferson
Lamar
Lauderdale
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OFFICIAL VOTE OF ALABAMA, AUGUST, 1890.

COUNTIES.	For Governor.	For Secretary of State.	For Attorney General.	62						
	Thos. G. Jones	B. M. Long	L. C. Coulson	J. D. Barron	Chas. C. Austin	B. Andrews	W. L. Martin	C. D. Alexander	L. M. Davis	
Lee,										
Limestone,										
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Perry,	2,387									
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	5,787									
	1,672									
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	473									
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Washington,
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Winston,

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SCATTERING VOTES :-

For Governor, there were cast for R. F. Kolb, in Blount, 3; Cherokee, 1; Cleburne, 7; Coffee, 9; Cullman, 1; Dallas, 2; Elmore, 1; Greene, 1; Jefferson, 6; Lawrence, 4; Marshall, 1; Morgan, 9; Shelby, 20 ; St. Clair, 1; Sumter, 1; Talladega, 5—Total, 72. For I. A. Collins, in Clay, 10 ; For S. L. Russell, in Chambers, 1; Chero-kee, 3; Jackson, 2; Jefferson, 3; Marshall, 1—Total, 10. For L. F. Box, in Marshal, 6. For —- Files, in Choctaw, 5. For James Crook, in Cherokee, 1. For T. C. Kidd, in Elmore, 1. For —-Powell, in Lamar, 1. For J. F. McDonald, in Shelby, 2. For J. M. Whitehead, in Shelby, 1.

For Secretary of State: For G. C. Thigpen, in clay, 9. For Lee Bentley, in Shelby, 2. For J. B. Stanley, in Mor-

gan, 1. For A. M. Irwin, in Jefferson, 1. For A. N. McEwin, in Jefferson, 2. For J. T. Baker, in Morgan, 1.

For Attorney General: For E. F. Jennings, in Cleburne, 33 ; Greene, 29 ; Hale, 2 ; Marion, 1 ; Perry, 70; Talladega, 14—Total, 149. For C. G. Alexander, in Elmore, 128 ; For C. L. Alexander, in Elmore, 92. For S. A. Billingslea, in Jefferson, 3. For D. Collier, in Jackson, 1. For I . H. Thomas, in Jefferson, 1.

OFFICIAL VOTE OF ALABAMA, AUGUST, 1890—Continued.

COUNTIES.	For Auditor.	For State Treasurer.	For Superintendant of Education.	64
	C. D. Hogue.	E. F. Jennings.	G. C. Thigpen.	Jno. L. Cobbs.
	Richard Wood.	J. H. Vandergrift	Jno. G. Harris.	R. H. Parker.
	W. M. Wood.			
Autauga				
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Barbour				
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Cherokee				
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OFFICIAL VOTE OF ALABAMA, AUGUST, 1890—Continued.

COUNTIES.	For Auditor.	For State Treasurer.	For Superintendant of Education.	66
	C. D. Hogue.	E. F. Jennings.	G. C. Thigpen.	C. D. Hogue.	E. F. Jennings.	G. C. Thigpen.	C. D. Hogue.	E. F. Jennings.	G. C. Thigpen.
Lee,									
Limestone,									
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Macon,									
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Mobile,									
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Montgomery,									
Morgan,									
Perry,	2,391								
	1,347								
	4,965								
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	1,182								
	1,941								
	2,297								
	2,174								
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SCATTERING VOTES :-

For Audito, there were cast for C. D. Alexander, in Cleburne county, 33; Perry, 70; Talladega, 14; Tallapoosa, 4—Total, 152. For Richard Wood, in Elmore, 5; Jackson, 1—Total, 6. For J. H. Vandergrift, in Lamar, 4. For J. M. Smith, in Shelby, 2. For C. D. Kidd, in Elmore, 1. For Henry Hall, in Jefferson, 1.

For State Treasurer, For E. F. Jennings, in Escambia, 5; Jackson, 1; Tallapoosa, 4—Total 10. For G. C. Thigpen,

In Lamar, 4. For R. H. Porter, in Baldwin, 1. For H. H. Dixon, in Jefferson, 1. For H. H. Johnson, in Jefferson 1.

For Superintendant of Education, For W. C. Warmock, in Jackson, 15. For E. M. Crawford, in Jefferson, 2. For

R. H. Papeter, in Winston, 1.

The Speaker then proclaimed the result as follows:

FOR GOVERNOR.

Thomas G. Jones 139,912
Benjamin M. Long 42,390
L. C. Coulson 1,385
R. F. Kolb 72
I. A. Collins..... 10
S. L. Russell 10
L. F. Box 6
—— Files 5
Jas. Crook 1
T. G. Kidd 1
——Powell 1
J. F. McDonald 2
J. M. WhiteLead 1
Total 183,796

FOR SECRETARY OF STATE.

Jos. Day Barron 141,698
Chas. C. Austin 41,914
B. Andrews 1,316
G. C. Thigpen 9
Lee Bentley 2
J. B. Stanley 1
A. M. Irwin 1
A. N. McEwin 2
J. T. Baker 1
Total 184,944

FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL.

William L. Martin..... 141,128
C. D. Alexander 40,865
L. M. Davis 1,236
E. F. Jennings 149
C. G. Alexander 128
C. L. Alexander 92

S. A. Billingslea	3
Dan'l Collier	1
I. H. Thomas	1
Total	183,603

FOR AUDITOR.

Cyrus D. Hogue	141,362
E. F. Jeimings	41,513
G. C. Thigpen	1,350
C. D. Alexander.	152
Richard Wood	6
J. H. Vandergrift	4
J. M. Smith	2
C. D. Kidd	1
Henry Hall	1
Total	184,391

FOR TREASURER.

John L. Cobbs	141,676
Richard Wood	41,371
J. H. Vandergrift	1,280
E F Jennings	10
G. C. Thigpen	4
R. H. Porter	1
H. H. Dixon	1
H. H. Johnson	1
Total	184,344

FOR SUPERINTENDENT OF EDUCATION.

John G. Harris	141,712
R. H. Porter	41,531
W. M. Wood	1,460
W. C. Warmock	15
E. M. Crawford	2
R. H. Papiter	1
Total	184,721

The Speaker of the House then declared that Thomas G. ones, having received the highest number of votes cast for Governor, was duly and constitutionally elected Governor of Alabama, for the term prescribed by law ;

That J. Day Barron, having received the highest number of votes of all the votes cast for Secretary of State, was duly and constitutionally elected Secretary of State, for the State of Alabama, for the term prescribed by law;

That William L. Martin, having received the highest number of votes of all the votes cast for Attorney General, was duly and constitutionally elected Attorney General of Alabama for the term prescribed by law ;

That Cyrus D. Hogue, having received the highest number of votes of all the votes cast for State Auditor, was duly and constitutionally elected State Auditor for the State of Alabama, for the term prescribed by law ;

That John L. Cobbs, having received the highest number of votes of all the votes cast for State Treasurer, was duly and constitutionally elected State Treasurer of Alabama, for the term prescribed by law ;

That J. Gideon Harris, having received the highest number of votes of all the votes cast for Superintendent of Education, was duly and constitutionally elected Superintendent of Education of Alabama, for the term prescribed by law.

The President of the Senate then announced that the purpose of the joint convention having been accomplished, it was dissolved :

And the Senate retired to its Chamber.

RESOLUTIONS.

Resolutions were offered and adopted as follows:

By Mr. Smith of Russell—

Resolved, That the Clerk of the House be authorized to employ additional clerical assistance whenever necessary to do so.

By Mr. Adams—

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn until Monday morning, 10 o'clock.

SIXTH DAY.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
MONDAY, Nov., 17, 1890.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.
Prayer by Rev. Dr. Burkhead of the city.
A quorum was present.
The Journal of yesterday was read and approved.
Mr. Sparkman offered the following resolution, which was adopted.
Resolved, that the Door keeper of the House be instructed to furnish ice for the use of the House so long as it may be necessary.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

Was granted to Mr. Smith of Russell, for one day.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Bills were introduced as follows :
By Mr. Lee of Barbour—
H. 93. To add section 1319½ to the Code of Alabama. Regulating the issue of license to retail spirituous or vinous liquors in the State ;
Also,
H. 94. To amend and add to an act to amend section 1319 of the Code so far as the same relates to the town of Louisville, Barbour county;
Also,
H. 95. To amend section 3775 of the Code of Alabama.
By Mr. Davidson—
H. 96. To require railroads in Alabama to stop passenger trains at all stations where the amount received for tickets sold, is five hundred dollars per month.
By Mr. Harris (with petition)—
H. 97. To prohibit the sale, giving away, delivering or otherwise disposing of vinous, spirituous or malt liquors within live miles of LaFayette College in LaFayette, Chambers county, Alabama.

By Mr. "Rousseau (with petition)—

H. 98. To change the boundary line between the counties of Covington and Crenshaw.

By Mr. Edwards—

H. 99. To allow the Probate Judge, County Clerk and Sheriff of Dale county to sell or dispose of their fine and forfeiture claims in the same way and manner that State witnesses are allowed to dispose of their claims ;

Also (with notice),

H. 100. To legalize the marriage of James A. Tindell and Winnie O. Tindell, the widow of Samuel Tindell, his uncle now deceased, and of Dale county, Alabama.

By Mr. Smith of Dallas—

H. 101. To provide for assorting and classifying certain papers and documents in the cellars of the Secretary of State's office.

By Mr. Wade—

H. 102. To create and form the new county of Houston, out of portions of Jefferson, Walker, Tuscaloosa, Bibb and Shelby counties, and to provide for the organization of said county ;

Also,

H. 103. To prohibit the sale giving away or otherwise disposing of vinous, spirituous or malt liquors, intoxicating bitters or cordials within three miles of Pilgrim's Rest Baptist church and also, Morton's Chapel Methodist church all in Etowah county, Alabama.

By Mr. Davis of Fayette—

H. 104. To authorize the Court of County Commissioners of Fayette county to issue the bonds of said county for an amount not exceeding twenty thousand dollars, for the purpose of building a court house and jail in said county.

By Mr. .Tones—

H. 105. To amend section 5 of an act entitled an act to create the office of County Solicitor for the county of Hale, to provide for appointment of such County Solicitor and to prescribe his powers and duties, approved February 28th, 1889.

By Mr. Henry—

H. 106. To incorporate the Alabama. State Mining and Manufacturing Company;

Also,

H. 107. To authorize the recording of maps of property

in Jefferson county, which from oversight or otherwise have not been hitherto recorded ;

Also,

H. 108. To fill the vacancy caused by the death of John Swan, one of the trustees under the act approved February 23rd, 1876.

By Mr. Brown—

H. 109. To establish a new charter for the town of Pratt Mines, in Jefferson county.

By Mr. Davis of Lamar—

H. 110. To amend an act to provide for the times of holding the Circuit Court in the sixth judiciary circuit of this State, approved February 19th, 1889 ;

Also,

H. 111. To amend section 1157, of the Code of Alabama.

By Mr. Tucker of Lauderdale—

H. 112. To create the eleventh judicial circuit of the State of Alabama, and to fix the time for holding courts therein, and to provide for the appointment of a judge and a solicitor for said circuit;

Also,

H. 113. To prohibit the selling, bartering, exchanging or giving away of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, intoxicating bitters or beverages nearer New Mt. Bethel church in Cross Roads. Beat No. 4, Township two, Range eight, Lauderdale county, than Beat line in every direction from said church.

By Mr. Thrasher—

II. 114. To change and define the corporate limits of Courtland, Alabama, and amending section one of an act to incorporate the town of Courtland, in the county of Lawrence, approved December 16th, 1873.

By Mr. Young—

H. 115. To separate the office of sheriff and tax collector in Marion county, and to provide for the election of a tax collector;

Also,

H. 116. To repeal an act entitled an act to authorize the tax collector of Marion county, to collect the unpaid taxes for the years 1880,1881, 1883, 1883 and to pay the same to J. R. Hughes, late tax collector of Marion county, for the purpose of re-imbursing the said J. R. Hughes, for money paid the State and county an account or said taxes;

Also,

H. 117. To amend section 538 of the Code.

By Mr. Steele—

H. 118. To repeal section 3210, and to amend sections 3211, 3212, 3214, 3215, 3216 and 3217 of the Code, relating to the condemnation of lands for public uses.

By Mr. Lewis—

119. To promote the comfort of passengers on railroad trains.

Also,

H 120. To create a Convict Labor Reform Commission for the purpose of investigating how best to employ the convicts in this State, other than by the contract system, and what improvements in the commitment, custody and employment, management and discipline of convicts should be adopted;

Also,

H. 121. To abolish the rule of law which requires the unanimous finding of a jury in civil causes, and to provide that in all civil causes the finding of three fourths of the jury shall constitute the verdict of the jury ;

Also,

H. 122 To exempt from taxation for ten years, all capital hereafter invested in any manufacturing enterprise;

Also,

H. 123. To better provide for the safety of running railroad trains, and lo promote the health and comfort of railroad conductors, engineers, fireman and brakemen.

By Mr. Screws—

H. 124. To repeal an act, entitled an act to provide for the regulation of railroad companies and persons operating railroads in this State, approved February 26, 1881 ;

Also,

H. 125. To authorize writs of garnishment against incorporated cities, towns and villages;

Also,

H. 126. To regulate civil engineering in the State of Alabama;

Also,

H. 127. To protect bondsmen in certain civil cases.

By Mr. Sayre (by request)—

H. 128. To amend section 430 of the Code.

By Mr. Sparkman—

H. 129. To confirm the ordinance passed by the mayor and council of the town of Decatur, and the contract in pursuance thereof, passed on the 7th day of October, 1890, granting to J. Judson Barclay, J. C. Hollowell, and J. D. Jervis the right to operate and maintain a line of railroad over and along Market, Washington, Davis and Lee streets in the town of Decatur.

Also,

H. 130. To confirm and amend the charter of the New Decatur terminal Company.

By Mr. Alexander—

H. 131. To provide for the election of Register in Chancery for Perry county;

Also,

H. 132. To provide for the election of a County Superintendent of Education for Perry county.

By Mr. Longshore—

H. 133. To amend section 352 of the Code so far as the same relates to Shelby county.

By Mr. Forman—

H. 134. For the relief of certain soldiers maimed or disabled during the late war between the States and widows of confederate soldiers whose husbands were killed or died in said war or who died within five years thereafter who have not since married.

Also,

H. 135. To prohibit moving, injuring or destroying any stab, stake, pin or anything else placed or used in mapping or designating boundaries or lines of streets, avenues, alleys or lots, pieces or parcels of land laid off for town site or other purpose by the owner thereof.

By Mr. Webb (by request)—

H. 136. To incorporate the Confederate Association of Alabama.

By Mr. Clements—

H. 137. To provide for the teaching in the public school of physiology and hygiene with special reference to the effects of alcoholic drinks, stimulants and narcotics upon the human system ;

Also,

H. 138. To extend the usefulness and efficiency of the geological and agricultural survey of Alabama.

By Mr. Foster—

H. 139. For the relief of State witnesses in Tuscaloosa county in cases in which the State fails.

Also (by request)—

H. 140. For the relief of Charlie McKellon.

Also,

H. 141. To increase the jurisdiction of justices of the peace in Tuscaloosa county;

Also,

H. 142. To make the fees of bonded constables in Tuscaloosa county the same as sheriff's fees, when they perform the same or similar service.

By. Mr. Powell—

H. 143. To authorize the Court of County Commissioners of Bullock county to hire out the county convicts in less number than one hundred, to he worked, in any county, but under the rules prescribed for working convicts generally.

By Mr. Cooper—

H. 144. To amend section 1, of an act to prevent stock from running at large in the several boats of Randolph and Calhoun counties, and to authorize elections thereon, approved February 27th, 1889.

By Mr. Pettus—

H. 145. To amend an act to incorporate the Central City Insurance Company, approved November 28th, 1863.

By Mr. Brown—

H. 146. To establish a charter for the town of Woodlawn in Jefferson county, Alabama.

By Mr. Meador—

H. 147. Joint Resolution proposing amendment to section 2 of article XI of the Constitution of Alabama.

REFERRED TO COMMITTEES.

The above and foregoing bills whose titles are set forth were severally read one time and referred to appropriate committees as follows;

Judiciary, 95, 99, 100, 104, 106, 107, 108, 110,112, 145, 121,125,127,128 135.

Revision of Laws, 105, 111, 118, 133.

Ways and Means, 116, 117, 122, 134, 138, 140.

Corporations, 109, 129, 130, 136.

Local Legislation, 141, 144, 146, 114, 115, 131, 132.

Temperance, 93, 94, 97, 103, 113.
Appropriations, 101.
Education, 147, 137.
Counties and County Boundaries, 98, 102.
Fees and Salaries, 142, 839.
Penitentiary and Criminal Administration, 143,120.
Commerce and Common Carriers, 124, 123, 119, 96, 126.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

Mr. Clayton from the judiciary committee, reported favorably,

H. 35. To amend section 1434 of the Code.

H. 70. To authorize the mayor and council of the city of Uniontown, to issue bonds of said city for an amount not exceeding twenty-five thousand dollars, bearing six per cent interest, payable semi-annually, for the purpose of erecting or providing said city with water works, and for funding the indebtedness of said city ;

Mr. Longshore, from the committee on Corporations, reported favorably,

H. 29. To amend sections two (2) and five (5) of an act entitled an act to establish a new charter for the city of Gadsden, approved January 27, 1883 ;

Which were severally read a second time, and placed on the calendar.

Mr. Clayton from Judiciary, returned H. 59, which was referred to Ways and Means; also H. 62, 63 and 64 were returned and referred to Penitentiary and Criminal Administration.

Mr. Davis of Fayette, from committee on Education returned H. 23, and it was referred to Judiciary.

Mr. Brown, from a special committee submitted the following report, which was adopted :

Mr. Speaker:

The special committee on the subject of employing clerks for standing committees, have had the same under consideration, and instruct me to report as follows:

That the committees on Judiciary, Ways and Means, Revision of Laws, Education, and temperance, each be authorized to employ a clerk, and that the clerk of the Ways and

Means committee shall act as clerk for the committee on Local Legislation, and that the clerk of the committee on Education shall act as clerk for the committee on Corporations, and that the clerk of the committee on Temperance, shall act as clerk of the committee on Agriculture. And that the said committee clerks shall receive $3.00 a day for their ser-vices.

H. H. BROWN,
Chairman.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour of 12 m. having arrived, the House considered the motion of Mr. Smaw, to reconsider the vote by which the Senate joint resolution relative to raising a joint committee to consider the re-apportionment of Representatives and Senators.

Mr. Pettus moved to postpone the consideration of said motion till to•morrow morning after reading the Journal, and to make it a continuing special order.

Lost—Yeas 40, nays 47.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Avery, Barnett, Buck, Burford, Crews, Cox, Foster, Gass, Harris, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Parker, Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Pike, Watters, Whatley, White—40.

Nays—Messrs. Adams, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Ayers, Bain, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Hill, Howle, Lane, Leslie, Long, Longshore, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Sparkman, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Wood, Wilson, Young—47.

Mr. Smaw's motion to reconsider was lost.

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

H. 5. To relieve Minnie S. Parker of Calhoun county, Alabama, a minor, of the disabilities of non-age.

Was read a third time at length and passed. Yeas 89 nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist. Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Jackson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone. Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Whatlev, White, Wood, Wilson, Young—89.

On motion of Mr. Cooper the bill was ordered forthwith to the Senate without engrossment.

RESOLUTIONS

Were offered as follows :

By Mr. Lee of Conecuh—

Resolved, That the Committee on Public Roads and Highways be and they are hereby instructed to prepare and report a bill for a more efficient public road system for the State of Alabama ; '"

Referred to Committee on Public Roads and Highways.

By Mr. Pettus—

Resolved by the House, (the Senate concurring), that a joint committee of nine from the House, and five from the Senate be appointed for the purpose of readjusting the schedules of the several circuit and chancery courts, so as to avoid conflicts in the terms of holding said courts;

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Brewer—

Resolved, That on and after Wednesday next the Clerk shall prepare a calendar of bills, resolutions, and orders special thereon for each days session, and have printed 150 copies for the use of the House, and lay the same on the desks of members. But in the preparation of such calendar

the Clerk shall not reprint any part of the previous day's calendar, but only such proper additional matter as was created by the action of the previous legislative day.
Adopted.
On motion the House adjourned till 10 a. m. to-morrow.

SEVENTH DAY.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Tuesday, November 18, 1890.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.
Prayer by Rev. Dr. Burkhead of the city.
A quorum was present.
The journal of yesterday was read and approved.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Was granted Mr. Rather for one day on account of sickness.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Bills were introduced, read once, and referred to appropriate committees as follows :
By Mr. Cooper—
H. 148. To amend an act to establish the city court of Anniston, approved February 25th, 1889, by amending certain sections thereof;
Judiciary.
Also,
H. 149. To authorize the Parker Memorial Baptist Church of Anniston, Alabama, to hold real and personal property to the value of not exceeding one hundred and fifty thousand dollars;
Judiciary.
By Mr. Howle—
H. 150. To provide for an election in the various beats

or parts of beats in the county of Olay on the subject of stock running at large in the beats, or parts of beats, in said county;

Local legislation.

By Mr. Tucker of Crenshaw—

H. 151. To provide for a vote of the people on the question of the removal of the courthouse of Crenshaw, Alabama, to Luverne, and providing for such removal if the people so direct;

Local legislation.

By Mr. Guthrie—

H. 152. To incorporate the Alabama Northern Railway Company, and to further the construction of the same;

Corporations.

Also,

H. 153. To establish a new charter for the city of Cullman, (with petition);

Corporations.

Also,

H. 154. To repeal an act entitled an act to amend section eleven of an act to establish a separate school district, to be known as the Cullman school district in Cullman county, Alabama, and for the appointment of a board of' trustees tor said school district with certain powers and privileges, approved February 28th, 1887 ;

Education.

By Mr. Smith, of Dallas—

H. 155. To amend sub-division 40 of section 629 of the code;

Eevision of laws.

Also,

n. 156. To amend section 4 of an act entitled an act to provide for the listing of lands by tax assessors ;

Ways and means.

Also,

H. 157. To require all insurance companies, whether chartered by this state or admitted from other states, to pay a uniform license tax of $100.00, and a uniform fee of $2.00 for each certificate of authority for agents, per annum into the state treasury for the privilege of doing business in this state;

Ways and means.

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H. 158. To amend section 497 of the code ;
Ways and means.
By Mr. Pettus—
H. 158½. To amend and extend the charter of the Commercial Bank of Selma, approved December 10th, 1864;
Judiciary.
By Mr. Appleton—
H. 159. To incorporate Fairview M. E. Church South and Friendship Baptist church, situated in T. 8, R. 7, DeKalb county, Alabama, in close proximity, with the following named trustees and their successors in office, viz : Jas. A. Young, Jas. M. Pickens, J. A. Dobbins, Peter F. Stewart and B. D. Ward, chosen by their respective churches ;
Temperance.
By Mr. Finch—
H. 160. To allow the sheriff of Franklin county more time to summons jury ;
Judiciary.
By Mr. Jones—
H. 161. To amend section 1186 of the code;
Revision of laws.
Also,
H. 162. to amend section 1174 of the code ;
Revision of laws.
Also,
H, 163. To amend section 1187 of the code;
Revision of laws.
By Mr. Avery—
H. 164. to establish a separate school district to be known as China Grove school district in Hale county ;
Education.
By Mr. Parks—
H. 165. For the relief of James P. Streety, Mary Streety, Roland Wood and Elizabeth Russell, of Jackson county;
Local legislation.
By Mr. Clanton—
H. 166. To amend section 128 of the code of 1886;
Fees and salaries.
By Mr. Brown—
H. 167. To divide the State of Alabama into five chancery divisions;
Judiciary.
By Mr. Steele—

H. 168. To provide for the revision of the state constitution ;

Judiciary.

By Mr. Sayre—

H. 169. To provide for the disposition of Smith's condensed reports, now in the possession of the secretary of state;

Revision of laws.

By Mr. Gilchrist—

n. 170. to prohibit the sale, giving away of, or otherwise disposing of intoxicating liquors within one-half (½) mile in every direction of Bethel church, at Adams' cotton mills, near the city of Montgomery;

Temperance.

By Mr. Northington—

H. 171. To amend an act to require all trains on railroads in this state, carrying passengers, to stop at the telegraph station now existing, or hereafter established nearest, or most accessible, to be determined by the railroad commission, to the county seat of each county through which the road, or any part thereof, may pass for receiving and discharging passengers, approved February 25th, 1887;

Commerce and common carriers.

By Mr. Gass—

H. 172. To amend section 3812 of the code ;

Judiciary.

By Mr. Townsend, of Pike—

H. 173; To amend sections 1, 7, 15, 16, 19, 21,23 and 24 of an act entitled an act to establish a criminal court for the county of Pike, with criminal jurisdiction in misdemeanor cases and to repeal certain sections therein ;

Judiciary.

By Mr. Smith of Russell—

n. 174. To amend section one of an act approved February 25th, 1889, to provide for the payment of costs on convictions of felony where the defendant is sentenced to imprisonment in the penitentiary ;

Judiciary.

By Mr. Forman—

H. 175. To reduce and fix the salaries of circuit solicitors, and for the county solicitor of Montgomery in this state ;

Fees and salaries.

By Mr. Amason, of Tallapoosa—

H. 176. To regulate the election of county coomissioners for Tallapoosa county ;

Local Legislation.

By Mr. Long—

H. 177. To declare conditional sales of personal property void unless in writing, and to require that such sales be recorded in order to be valid as against purchasers for value and judgment creditors without notice, and to regulate the recording of the same ;

Judiciary.

Also,

H. 178. To amend section 750 of the code ;

Revision of laws.

By Mr. Lee of Conecuh—

H. 179. For the preservation of game in certain districts in Conecuh county;

Local legislation.

Also,

H. 180. Declaring certain water courses in Conecuh county to be navigable streams, and to prevent the obstruction of the same.

Commerce and common carriers.

Also,

H. 180½. To amend an act entitled " an act to require the county commissioners of Conecuh county to procure printed blank forms of certain conveyances, and printed blank record books in conformity therewith for the use of, and distribution by the probate judge of said county, and to regulate the fees for recording the same ;

Local legislation.

By Mr. Foster—

H. 181. To amend section 3781 of the code ;

Judiciary.

Also,

H. 182. To make the husband and wife of the defendant competent to testify as a witness in all prosecutions for bigamy and adultery or fornication ;

Judiciary.

Also,

n. 183. To allow felonies and misdemeanors when of the same class of crime to be joined in different counts of one indictment ;

Judiciary.

A1so,

H. 183½. To remove existing disqualifications of witnesses because of religious belief, age and ignorance;

Judiciary.

By Mr. Smith of Russell—

H. 184. To authorize constables in Russell county to receive the same fees for executing process from justice courts in criminal cases as sheriffs are allowed by law, serving process in criminal cases from circuit court, as far as the same may be applicable;

Judiciary.

By Mr. Cornelius—

H. 185. To abolish third grade certificates ;

Education.

By Mr. Whatley—

H. 186. To more fully protect the people of this state in the purchase of fertilizers, and to provide that the commissioner of agriculture shall establish such rules and regulations as will give effect to the meaning of this act.

Agriculture.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

The chairman of the several committees reported favorably on the following bills :

H. 30. To authorize the court of county commissioners Of Etowah county to issue bonds of said county to an amount not exceeding seventy-five thousand dollars, for the purpose of securing the means to construct the court-house, and furnish the same with suitable furniture, and for the purpose of paying for building an addition to the jail for said county.

H. 108. To fill the vacancy caused by the death of John Swann, one of the trustees under the act, approved February 23, 1876.

H. 76. To amend section 4816 (vol. II.) code of Alabama.

H. 27. To repeal an act entitled an act to amend section 3945 of the code of Alabama so far as the same applies to the counties of Lowndes, Dallas, Perry, Hale and Wilcox.

With an amendment,

H. 43. To amend section 2319 of the code of Alabama, so far as the same relates to Jefferson county.

H. 71. To fix the compensation of witnesses for the state, in all criminal cases, in the circuit court of Perry county, and before the grand jury of said county, and to prescribe when and how they are to be paid.

H. 55. To provide for the election of the general administrator of Mobile county, and for filling vacancies therein.

H. 38. To provide for the better maintainance and support of the public schools of Jefferson county, Alabama.

H. 41. To incorporate the East Lake Atheneum.

H. 18. To amend section 130 of the code of Alabama.

H. 10. To repeal an act entitled an act for the preservatiou of game animals and birds in the counties of St. Clair, Lauderdale, Colbert, Marengo, Jefferson, Pike and Covington.

H. 28. To provide for the election of the four county commissioners of Etowah county by the qualified voters of said county, and to prescribe the term of office of said cornmissioners.

H. 45. To incorporate the Birmingham and Little River Coal Company.

H. 34. To prohibit the sale, giving away or otherwise disposing of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors within five miles of Oak Grove church, Fellowship church, Centre church, and Union Springs church in Henry county, Alabama.

H. 12. To prevent the sale of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors within two miles of the Methodist or Baptist churches in Daleville, Dale county, Alabama.

The above and foregoing bills were severally read a second time and placed on the calendar.

PRINTING.

On motion of Mr. Clayton 150 copies of H. B. 84 were ordered printed for the use of the house.

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

H. 35. To amend section 1434 of the code ;

Was read a third time at length and passed—yeas 87, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell,

Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Landerdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.--88.

H. 70. To authorize the mayor and council of the city of Uniontown to issue bonds of said city for an amount not exceeding twenty-five thousand dollars, bearing six per cent. interest payable semi-annually for the purpose of erecting or providing said city with waterworks and for funding the indebtedness of said city ;

Was taken up.

Mr. Wood offered the following amendment, which was adopted:

Strike out the words "and that the bonds issued under this act shall be exempt from county and municipal taxes,' in the latter part of section three of the bill."

The bill was then read a third time at length and passed—yeas 83, nays 2.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Finch, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leslie, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsey, Rousseau, Sayre, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young—83.

Nays—Messrs. Coleman, Leigh.—2.

H. 29. To amend sections two (2) and five (5) of an act entitled an act to establish a new charter for the city of Gadsden, approved January 27, 1883 ;

Was read a third time at length and passed—yeas 89, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsey, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.—89.

SPECIAL REPORT.

Mr. Pettus, from judiciary committee, reported favorably on the following resolution, which was adopted :

Resolved by the house (the senate concurring), that a joint committee of nine from the house, and five from the senate be appointed for the purpose of re adjusting the schedules of the several circuit and chancery courts so as to avoid conflicts in the times of holding said courts.

Committee on the part of the house.

Messrs. Pettus, Clayton. Sayre, Harris, Lewis, Judge, Longshore, Rather and Foster.

RESOLUTIONS

Were offered as follows :

By Mr. Lee of Conecuh—

Resolved, that the committee on privileges and elections be and they are hereby instructed to prepare and report a bill reviving and amending the election laws of Alabama;

Which was referred to the committee on privileges and elections.

By Mr. Amason, of Tallapoosa—

Resolved, That the committee on Temperance be instructed to prepare and present at the earliest practicable day, a bill to restrict the sale of intoxicating liquors to incorporated cities and towns, and to exclude it from sale within certain limits of all churches and schools within the state ;

Which was referred to committee of Temperance.

By Mr. Brown—

Resolved by the house (the senate concurring), that the committee on mining and manufacturing of the house, and the committee on internal improvements of the senate, be constituted a joint committee to take into consideration the propriety of passing a mining law for the state of Alabama, and report by bill or otherwise, at the earliest day practicable.

Adopted.

On motion of Mr. Lane, the house adjourned till 10 a. m., to-morrow.

EIGHTH DAY.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
WEDNESDAY, November 19, 1890.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Dr. Burkhead of the city.

A quorum was present.

The journal of yesterday was read and approved.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE,

Was granted to Mr. Pettus, for one day on account of sickness.

RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Kelly moved to reconsider the vote by which H. 70 was on yesterday passed.

Lost—yeas 43, nays 50.

Yeas—Messrs. Alexander, Amason of Sumter, Avery, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, C1anton, Clayton, Edwards, Foster,

Gilchrist, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lee of Conecuh, Lewis, Meador, Moore of' Baldwin, Parker, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Scott, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, White—43.

Nays—Messrs. Adams, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Brewer, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Finch, Forman, Gass, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Jackson, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Rousseau, Simmons, Thrasher, Townseud of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Webb, Whatley, Wood. Wilson, Young—50.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has originated and passed the following bills:

s. 21. To dispose of the fine and forfeiture fund in Mobile county, and to provide for the payment of all claims which are by law a charge against said fund.

s. 22. To provide for the compensation of state witnesses in Mobile county.

s. 27. To prohibit the sale, giving away or otherwise disposing of spirituous, vinous, or malt liquors within half a mile of the City Mission church, and the Corinthian Baptist church, in Mobile county.

And has concurred in the report of the joint committee on rules.

And has adopted a joint resolution herewith sent relative to constituting a joint committee on public roads.

WM. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The senate bills just received whose titles are set forth in the above and foregoing message were severally read once and referred to the committees, as follows;

s. 21 and 22, to revision of laws.
s. 27, to committee on temperance.
The House concurred in the senate joint resolution relative to raising a joint committee on public roads.

BILLS ON FIRST READING.

The following bills were severally read the first time and referred to appropriate committees :
By Mr. Moore, of Baldwin—
H. 187. To prohibit the sale of intoxicating liquor in that portion of Baldwin county, north of L. & N. Railroad;
Temperance.
By Mr. Davidson—
H 188. To create a new county from portions of Blount, Jefferson, Cullman and Walker counties to be known as Cleveland county.
Counties and county boundaries.
Also,
H. 189. For the relief of I. H. Smith;
Judiciary.
By Mr. Harris--(with petition),
H. 190. To prohibit the sale, giving away or otherwise disposing of spirituous, vinous, or malt liquors or intoxicating bitters, or beverages, within five miles of Mountain Spring Baptist church in Chambers county, Ala.;
Temperance.
By Mr. Northington—
11. 191. To repeal an act to establish a court of county revenues for Chilton county, approved February 28,1887;
Local Legislation.
By Mr. Northington—
H. 192. To amend an act entitled an act to make the fees of bonded constables in Kingdom beat No. 1, Bibb county, Alabama, the same as the sheriffs' fees when they perform the same service without increase of bond, approved February 28, 1887;
Local legislation.
By Mr. Watters—
H. 193. To authorize and empower the commissioners court to have a general index made for the records in the probate court of Choctaw county ;
Ways and means.

Also (by request),

H. 194. To repeal paragraph twenty-eight (28) of section 629 of the code of Alabama;

Ways and means.

By Mr. Rather—

n. 195. To require all persons carrying on the business of running flying jennies, or cane stands, and devices of like kind, to take out license ;

Ways and means.

By Mr. Guthrie—

H. 196. To amend section 2311 of the code;

Revision of Laws.

By Mr. Edwards—

H. 197 To amend section 3784 (4348) of the code of Alabama;

Revision of laws.

Also,

H. 198. To amend section 3790 (4360) (4361) of the code of Alabama;

Revision of laws.

By Mr. Smith of Dallas—

n. 199. To amend sub-division 28 of section 629 of the code;

Ways and means.

By Mr. Appleton (with petition)—

H. 200. To establish a separate school district to be known as the Loveless school district, embracing all that portion of township 8, range 8, east, in DeKalb county, A1abama,lying on top of Lookout Mountain, the main lop of said mountain being the western boundary of said school district, also to make provisions for a superintendent of the same ;

Education.

Also,

H. 201. To prohibit the sale of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, or intoxicating beverages, or bitters, in the county of DeKalb, State of Alabama;

Temperance.

By Mr. Finch—

H. 202. To have testimony of witnesses before the grand jury kept ;

Local legislation.

By Mr. Coleman—

H. 203. To prohibit the sale, giving away or otherwise

disposing of vinous, spirituous, or malt liquors, intoxicating bitters or cordials, within two miles of Shiloh, Pleasant Hill, and Friendship Missionary Baptist churches, and also Wesley chapel, Pond Town, Hurricane creek, and Tabernacle M. E. churches, all in Geneva county, Alabama ;

Temperance.

By Mr. Henry—

H. 204. To prescribe the time in which bills of exception must be filed in the criminal court of Jefferson county ;

Judiciary.

Also,

H. 205. For the proper ventilation and conduct of coal mines, or collieries in the State of Alabama, and providing for the creation of a state board of examiners for the examination of candidates for the office of mine inspector, and prescribiug the mode of such inspector's appointment, duties and term of office, and providing for his compensation, and that of examiners;

Mining and manufacturing.

Also,

H. 206. To amend sections 4 and 11 of an act entitled an act to establish the criminal court of Jefferson county ;

Judiciary.

By Mr. Brewer—

H. 207. To change and fix the rule of descents and distributions in this state as to persons dying intestate who leave no widow, or children, or their descendants, but who leave parents surviving them;

Judiciary.

By Mr. Blackwell—

n. 208. To prevent the keeping of restaurants, or eating stands in connection with retail liquor houses, or saloons;

Temperance.

By Mr. Jackson—

H. 209. To appropriate funds to the Agricultural and Mechanical College, for building and other purposes ;

Education.

Also,

H. 210. To receive, and appropriate the moneys granted to the State of Alabama, by the act of congress, approved August 30th, 1890, entitled an act to apply a portion of the proceeds of the public lands to the more complete endowment, and support of the colleges for the benefit of agricul-

ture, and the mechanic arts, etc., and for other purposes;
Agriculture.
Mr. Kelly—
H. 211. To prohibit the taxing of any mortgage, the payment of which is secured by real estate in the State of Alabama;
Ways and means.
By Mr. Hill—
H. 212. To amend section 1810 (2166) of the code of Alabama;
Judiciary.
By Mr. Screws—
H. 213. To repeal section 3210, and to amend sections 3211, 3212,3214, 3215, 3216 and 3217 of the code, relating to the condemnation of lands for public use ;
Judiciary.
Also,
H. 214. To repeal section 3036 of the civil code of 1886 ;
Judiciary.
By Mr. Sparkman—
H. 215. To authorize the board of trustees of the school district of the town of New Decatur to iss ue bonds of said school dis rict for the purpose of' paying the debts of said district, and of entering, adding to and improving school buildings and furnishing the same ;
Education.
Also,
H. 216. To amend section 839 of the code of Alabama ;
Judiciary.
Mr. Barnett—
H. 217. To authorize the laying off of the county of Pike into commissioners districts, and providing for the election of commissioners by the qualified voters of the county;
Local legislation.
Also,
H. 218. To prevent stock from running at large in Pike county ;
Agriculture.
By Mr. Smith of Russell—
H. 219. To authorize the commissioners court of Russell county to lay off said county into four commissioners districts, and to provide the manner of electing the county commissioners ;

Revision of laws.
By Mr. Longshore—
H. 220. To amend section 1752 of the code;
Judiciary.
By Mr. Kelly—
H. 221. To protect oysters on the public beds and reefs in the waters of the State of Alabama ;
Revision of laws.
Also,
H. 222. To make the records of county administrators free for examination of all persons;
Revision of laws.
By Mr. Lewis—
H. 223. To amend sub-division 2 of section 629 of the code;
Ways and means.
Also,
H. 224. To amend sub-division 40 of section 629 of the code;
Ways and means.
Also,
H. 225. To protect and regulate the time and manner of catching, and taking fish from and in the waters of the State of Alabama in the counties of Mobile and Baldwin ;
Revision of laws.
By Mr. Foster—
H. 226. To amend an act in relation to the trial of misdemeanors in Tuskaloosa and other counties therein named in so far as the same relates to Tuskaloosa county ;
Local legislation.
Also,
H. 227. To amend section one of an act entitled "an act to more effectually secure competent and well qualified jurors in the several counties of this state," approved February 28,1887;
Judiciary.
By Mr. Purifoy—
H. 228. To increase the penalty when persons are convictcd of second, third and fourth offences, punishable by imprisonment in the penitentiary ;
Judiciary.
Also,
H. 229. To promote the comfort of passengers on railroad trains;

Commerce and common carriers.
By Mr. Lee of Conecuh—
H. 230. To amend sub-division 11 of section 453 of the code ;
Revision of laws.
By Mr. Long—
H. 231. To amend section one of an act entitled an act to increase the criminal jurisdiction of justices of the peace and notaries public having like powers in the counties of Lee, Madison, Jackson, Clarke, Choctaw, Walker and Marion, approved February 8, 1877 ;
Judiciary.
Also,
H. 232. To authorize the payment of fines and forfeitures in Walker county with the claims of the officers of said county, which are now, or may hereafter be registered against the fine and forfeiture fund of Walker county ;
Judiciary.
Also,
H. 233. To amend section four of an act entitled an act in relation to trials of misdemeanors in Walker county, approved February 23rd, 1883 ;
Judiciary.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

The chairmen of' the several standing committees reported favorably the following bills which were read a second time and placed on the calendar :
H. 83. To amend rule 4 of chancery practice, page 811, code of Alabama.
H. 100. To legalize the marriage of James A. Tindell and Winnie O. Tindell, the widow of Samuel Tindell, now deceased uncle of James O. Tindell, of Dale county, Alabama.
H. 4. To amend section 20 of an act entitled an act to amend an act to establish a department of agriculture for the State of Alabama, approved February 23,1883.
H. 15. To make appropriations for the payment of sheriffs for feeding prisoners in jail for the year ending September 30,1888, and for the removal of prisoners during the year ending September30, 1889, the appropriations for the purpose named for said years having been exhausted (with an amendment.

H. 40. To incorporate the Birmingham Coal Company.

H. 13. To incorporate the town of Midland City, in the county of Dale.

H. 136. To incorporate The Confederate Association of Alabama.

H. 46. To amend the charter of the Birmingham Water-works Company.

H. 98. To change the boundary line between the counties of Covington and Crenshaw.

H. 115. To separate the office of sheriff and tax collector in Marion county, and to provide for the election of a tax collector.

H. 88, For the preservation of game, animals and birds in the county of Walker.

H. 144. To amend an act to prevent stock from running at large in the several beats of the counties of Randolph and Calhoun, and to authorize elections thereon.

H. 141. To increase the jurisdiction of justices of the peace in Tuskaloosa county.

H. 31. To provide for the permanent location of the county site of Fayettey county by the vote of the people of said county.

H. 114. To change and define the corporate limits of Courtand, Alabama, and amending section one of an act entitled an act to incorporate the town of Courtland, in the county of Lawrence, approved December 16, 1873.

H. 142. To make the fees of bonded constables in Tuskaloosa county the same as sheriffs fees when they perform the same or similar services.

H. 139. For the relief of state witnesses in Tuskaloosa county in cases m which the state fails.

On motion of Mr. Quarles—

H. 16. To prevent the running of freight trains on Sanday;

Under an adverse report, was taken up, read the second time and placed on the calendar.

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

H. 30. To authorize the court of county commissioners of Etowah county to issue bonds of said county to an amount not exceeding seventy-five thousand dollars for the purpose of securing the means to construct the court house and furnish

the same with suitable furniture, and for the purpose of paying for building an addition to the jail for said county ;

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas, 82, nays, 2.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Ayres, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster, Grass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hill, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Northington, Parks, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young—82.

Nays—Messrs. Brewer and Nolen—2.

H. 108. To fill the vacancy caused by the death of John Swann, one of the trustees under the act approved February 23, 1876 ;

Was read the third time at length and passed--yeas, 85, nays, 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Armistead, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of of Russell, Sparkman, 8teele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young—85.

H. 76. To amend 4816 (vol. II) Code of Alabama ;

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas, 87 ; nays, 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa. Armistead, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Glanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young—87.

H. 27. To repeal au act entitled an act, to amend section 3945 of the code of' Alabama, so far as the same applies to the counties Lowndes, Dallas, Perry, Hale and Wilcox ;

Was read a third time at length and passed—yeas 88,nays0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar. Davis of Winston, Edwards, Finch, Forman. Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Guthrie. Harrell, Harris, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour. Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Qnarles, Rather, Roussean, Sayre, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith, of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw. Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young—88.

H. 48. To amend section 2319 of the code of Alabama, so far as the same relates to Jefferson county ;

Was taken up.

The amendment of the committee to strike out the words, "so far as the same relates to Jefferson county," in the title and body of the bill, was adopted.

The bill was then read the third time at length and passed—yeas 90, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain,Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton,Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar Davis of Winston, Edwards, Finch,Forman, Foster,Gass,Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Poo1e, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young—90.

H. 71. To fix the compensation of witnesses for the state in all criminal cases in the circuit court of Perry county, and before the grand jury of said county, and to prescribe when and how they are to be paid.
nays 0.

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 89, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa. Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Loveless. Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan. Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young—89.

H. 55. To provide for the election of the general administrator of Mobile county and for filling vacancies therein ;

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 84, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young—84.

H. 38. To provide for the better maintenance and support of the public schools of Jefferson county, Alabama;

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 78, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Finch. Forman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of' Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.—78.

H. 41. To incorporate the|East Lake Atheneum;

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 81, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Buck, Burford, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews. Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Finch, Foreman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Gor-

don, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Langley. Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Lewis, Long, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.—81

REPORT OF COMMITTEE.

Mr. Brewer, from committee on joint rules, submitted the following joint rules of the two houses of the general assembly, which were adopted:

JOINT RULES OF THE TWO HOUSES OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF ALABAMA.

1. Upon the reception of a message from either house notifying the other of the originating and passing of bills, the secretary or clerk, as the case may be,shall,immediately after the message is read, proceed to read the bills by their titles unless the reading he called for by some member, in which event the bill shall be read at length, and it shall be ordered forthwith to a second reading, or referred to a committee. The house or senate, as the case may be, shall then proceed with the business upon which it was engaged when the message was received.

2. When house or senate bills are signed by the speaker or president of the senate, thereupon the clerk or secretary, as the case may be, shall notify the other house, and request the signature of the presiding officer to the same; and as soon as the message is read, the presiding officer shall immediately sign the bills in the presence of the house or senate, as prescribed by the constitution.

3. That no local or special bill shall be introduced into either house unless the member who introduces it discloses at the time the fact that the notice required by the constitution and laws has been given, and submits the proof thereof with the bill.

4. Bills affecting individuals or private corporations are local or special bills within the meaning of the preceding

rule 3, but said rule does not apply to bills relating to public or educational institutions of, or in this state,or to industrial, mining, immigration, or manufacturing corporations, or interests, or to corporations for constructing canals, or improving navigable rivers and harbors of this state; nor to bills which apply to all persons within the territorial limits to be affected thereby, and general in their application to the class or locality.

5. All bills for amendment to any section or part of the code, in which the subject matter is stated in the title by reference to the section or other sub-division of the code, must contain 011 the back of the bill, immediately below the title, a brief statement of the general subject to which such section or sub-division relates.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker:

The senate has concurred in the house joint resolutions relative to constituing a committee to frame a mining law for the state and raising a joint committee to readjust the schedules of the judicial circuits and chancery divisions of this state.

Committee on the part of the senate :

Messrs. Inzer, Godtrey, Skeggs, Lackey and Parks.

WM. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

On motion, the house adjourned till 10 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

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NINTH DAY.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
THURSDAY, Nov. 20, 1890.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.
Prayer by Rev. Dr. Burkhead of the city.
A quorum was present.
The journal of yesterday was read and approved

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Was granted to Messrs. Pettus and Judge for one day, on account of sickness.

SPECIAL ORDERS.

On motion of Mr. Harris,
H. 18. Was made a special order for Monday next at 12 m.
On motion of Mr. Quarles,
H. 16. Was made a special order for Wednesday next at 12 m.
On motion of Mr. Gilchrist,
H. 4. Was made a special order for Tuesday next at 12 m.

RESOLUTIONS

Were offered and adopted as follows :
By Mr. Walters—
Resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring, That a committee consisting of two on the part of the senate, and three on the part of the house, be appointed to take into consideration, and report a time for the general assembly to take a recess tor the holidays.
Committee on the part, of the house :
Messrs. Watters, Harris and Webb.
By Mr. Sayre—
Resolved by the House, the Senate concurring, That a joint committee consisting of three on the part of the house and two on the part of the senate be appointed to make arrangements for the inauguration of governor-elect -Tones and to provide a suitable program for the inaugural ceremonies.
Committee on part of the house:
Messrs. Sayre, Watters and Jones.

RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Smith of Russell moved to reconsider the vote by which H. 4 was made a special order for next Tuesday. Carried.
On motion of Mr. Smith of Russell, H. 4 was laid on the the table.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker:

The senate has originated and passed the following bills:

s. 9. To amend an act to allow the constable of Troy beat, Pike county, and the constable of beat No. 24 in Jefferson countv, Alabama, to appoint deputies, approved February 12, 1885.

s. 31. To require the judge of the probate court of Jefferson county, in this state, to have made general indexes to the deed and mortgage records in his office prior to February 17, 1887, and to allow compensation therefor out of the county treasury of said county.

s. 32. To amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the town of Courtland in the county of Lawrence, approved December 16th, 1873.

s. 17. To amend section 1476 of the code.

s. 20. To change the time of electing commissioners of Lee county.

WM. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The senate bills just received whose titles are set forth in the above and foregoing messages were severally read once and referred to committees as follows:

s. 32, to corporations.

s. 9, to privileges and elections.

s. 31 and 20, to local legislation.

s. 17, to judiciary.

BILLS ON FIRST READING.

The following bills were introduced, read severally the first time and referred to appropriate committees,as follows:

By Mr. Clayton (by request)—

H. 234. To appropriate ten thousand dollars towards the establishment of an industrial home in Alabama, for the destitute children and grand-children of confederate soldiers;

Appropriations.

By Mr. Lee of Barbour—

H. 235. To create a lien on live stock for the cost of pasturing the same;

Judiciary.

By Mr. Hufham—

H. 236. To repeal an act entitled an act to pay salaries to solicitors, instead of the fees which they now receive, and to require said fees to be paid into the state treasury, so far as the same relates to Bullock county;

Fees and salaries.

By Mr. Harrell—

H. 237. To repeal an act entitled an act to protect fish in the county of Butler, approved February 21st, 1887 ;

Agriculture.

By Mr. Cornelius—

H. 238. To relieve Mrs. India Sutherlin of the disabilities of non-age;

Judiciary.

By Mr. Quarles—

H. 239. To amend section 3974 of the code of Alabama ;

Judiciary.

Also,

H. 240. To amend an act entitled an act to Provide for The election of county superintendent of education of Dallas county;

Education.

Also,

H. 241. To amend section 1, of an act to prohibit stock from running at large in a portion of Dallas county;

Agriculture.

Also,

n. 242. To amend section 19 of an act to regulate the drawing and empanelling of grand and petit juries in Dallas county;

Judiciary.

Also,

H. 243. To amend an act entitled an act to provide for the registration and lien of judgments and decrees for the payment of money;

Revision of laws.

Also,

n. 244. To allow the constable of beat No. 36, in Dallas county, Alabama, to appoint deputies;

Revision of laws.

By Mr. Northington—

H. 245. To amend section 354 of the code

Privileges and elections.

By Mr. Davis of Fayette—

H. 246. To provide for the safety of the traveling public, and to prevent the loss of life and property by railroad accidents;

Judiciary.

By Mr. Avery—

H. 247. To amend section 354 of the code;

Privileges and elections.

By Mr. Brown—

H. 248. To establish a new charter for the city of Birmingham;

Corporations.

Also,

H. 249. To require all •fines and forfeitures in criminal cases in the county of Jefferson to be paid in lawful money ;

Judiciary.

Also,

H. 250. To pay the solicitor of Jefferson county fees instead of an annual salary ;

Fees and salaries.

By Mr. Bevis—

n. 251. To amend an act entitled "an act for the protection of plantations and crops within certain limits in Lauderdale county, Alabama;

Revision oflaws.

By Mr. Screws—

H. 252. To punish persons who keep and permit domestic animals to run at large known to break or jump over lawful fences and inclosures;

Agriculture.

Also,

n. 253. To amend an act entitled an act to provide for the payment of costs in convictions of felony where the defendant is sentenced to imprisonment in the penitentiary, approved February 25, 1889 ;

Revision of laws.

Also,

H. 254. To amend section 4429 of the Code of Alabama ;

Revision of laws.

By Mr. Barnett—

H. 255. To provide for the pay and compensation of the superintendent of education of Pike county;

Fees and salaries.

By Mr. Townsend of Pike—

H. 256. To amend section one of an act to prohibit the sale or giving away of spirituous or vinous liquors in one mile of Spring Hill church,in Pike county, Alabama;

Temperance.

By Mr. Gordon (with petition)—

H. 257. To prohibit the handling, storing, transporting, selling or giving away any spirituous, vinous or malt liquors or cider within two miles of the Industrial High School at Healing Springs, Washington county ;

Temperance.

By Mr. Longshore, with notice and proof—

H. 258. For the relief of M. A. Jennings, of Shelby county ;

Judiciary.

By Mr. Lee of Conecuh—

H. 259. To amend section 141 of the code ;

Agriculture.

By Mr, Whatley, by request—

H. 260. To amend section 2765 of the code of Alabama ;

Revision of laws.

By Mr. Edwards—

H. 261. To require all person or persons who sell, or ex pect to sell, liquors, to make publication m the county newspapers for thirty days previous to the time he or they expect to present his or their petition to the people for signatures to the same;

Temperance.

By Mr. Cooper—

H. 262. To provide for the assessment of state and county taxes on property within the corporate limits of the city of Anniston;

Ways and means.

Also,

H. 263. To constitute the city of Anniston a separate school district, and to provide a board of education therefor;

Education.

Also,

H. 264. To amend the charter of the city of Anniston ;

Corporations.

By Mr. Longshore—

H. 265. To amend section 248 of the code;

Revision of laws.

By Mr. Clayton—

H. 266. To regulate the submission of causes for final decree in the chancery courts in this state, and appeals therefrom;

Judiciary.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

The chairmen of the several committees reported favorably on the following bills :

H. 169. To provide for the disposition of the volumes of Smith's Condensed Reports now in the possession of the secretary of state.

H. 163. To amend section 1187 of the code.

H. 162. To amend section 1174of the code.

H. 161. To amend sectionll86 of the code.

H. 105. To amend section 5 of an act entitled an act to create the office of solicitor for the county of Hale, to provide for the appointment of such county solicitor, and to prescribe his powers and duties, approved February 28th,1889.

H. 2. To repeal section 4117, Article HI of Code of Alabama, so far as the same applies to Bibb county.

H. 159. To incorporate Fairview M. E. Church South, and Friendship Baptist church in township 8, range 7, DeKalb county, Alabama, in close proximity, with the following named trustees and their successors in office, viz.: Jas. A. Young, Jas. M. Pickens, J. A. Dobbins, Peter F. Stewart, and B. D. Ward, chosenby their respective churches.

H. 32. To provide for the holding of elections in the several beats in Geneva county to determine whether alcoholic, vinous or malt liquors shall be sold in such beats.

H. 103. To prohibit the sale, giving away or otherwise disposing of vinous, spirituous or malt liquors, intoxicating bitters or cordials within three miles of Pilgrims' Rest Baptist church, and also Morton's Methodist church, all in Etowah county, Alabama.

H. 170. To prohibit the sale, giving away or otherwise disposing of intoxicating liquors within one-half (½) mile in any direction of Bethel church at Adams' cotton mills, near the city of Montgomery.

H. 113. To prohibit the selling, bartering or exchanging or giving away of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, intoxicating bitters or beverages, nearer New Mt. Bethel church,

in Cross Roads Beat No. 4, township two, range eight, Lauderdale county, than beat line in every direction from said church.

H. 146. To establish a charter for the town of Woodlawn, Jefferson county, Alabama.

H. 179. For the preservation of game in certain districts in Conecuh county.

H. 132. To provide for the election of a county superintendent of education in Perry county.

H. 52. To provide for a re-registration of all legal claims against the fine and forfeiture fund of Marion county.

H. 176. To regulate the election of county commissioners for Tallapoosa county.

H. 150. To provide for an election in the various beats or parts of beats in the county of' Clay on the subject of "stock running at large" in the beats or parts of beats in said county.

On motion of Mr. Lewis—

H. 59. To exempt all mortgages on real estate in this state from taxation ;

Was taken from adverse report, read the second time and placed upon the calendar.

The above and foregoing bills, whose titles are set out under the head of Bills on Second Reading, were severally read a second time and placed on the calendar.

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

H. 10. To repeal an act entitled an act for the preserva tion of game animals and birds in the counties of St.Clair, Lauderdale, Colbert, Marengo, Jefferson, Pike and Covington;

Was taken up.

Mr. Rather offered an amendment to add these words to the title, “so far as the same relates to the county of Covington."

Adopted.

The bill was then read the third lime at length and passed —yeas, 85, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell,Brewer, Brown, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Corne-

lius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie. Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kelly Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Long, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young—85.

H. 28. To provide for the election of the four county commissioners of Etowah county by the qualified voters of said county, and to prescribe the term of office of said commissioners;

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 76, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Forman, Foster, Grass, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leslie, Long:, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young—76.

H. 45. To incorporate The Birmingham and Little River Coal Company ;

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 79, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Edwards. Finch, Foreman, Foster, Grass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie; Harrell. Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hut ham, Jackson, Johnson, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh,

Leslie, Long, Longshore,Loveless,Meador,Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young—79.

On motion of Mr. Brown, the bill just passed was sent forthwith to the senate without engrossment.

n. 34. To prohibit the sale, giving away or otherwise disposing of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, within five miles of Oak Grove church, Fellowship church, Center church and Union Springs church, in Henry county, Alabama ;

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 75, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Barnett, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Finch, Gass, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parker. Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of' Russell, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Whatley, Whïte, Wood Wilson. Young.—75.

n. 12. To prevent the sale of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors within two miles of the Methodist or Baptist church in Daleville, Dale county, Alabama ;

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 74, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Ayres, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Finch, Gass, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott,

Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Thasher, Townsend of Pike, Watters, Webb, White, Wood, Wilson, Young—74.

H. 83. To amend rule 4 of chancery practice, page 811, code of Alabama ;

Was read the third time al length and passed—yeas 81, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar. Edwards, Finch, Foreman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend .of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young—81.

H. 100 To legalize the marriage of James A. Tindell and Winnie O. Tindell, the widow of Samuel Tindell, the now deceased uncle of said James A. Tindell of Dale county;

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 88, nays 1.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton,Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Davis of' Winston, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young—88.

Nays—Mr. Northington—1.

H. 15. To make appropriations for the payment of sheriffs for feeding prisoners in jail for the year ending September 30th, 1888, and for the removal of prisoners during the year ending September 30, 1889, the appropriations for the purposes named for said years having been exhausted ;

Was taken up,

The amendment offered by the committee to strike out " 1888 " where it occurs in the body and title of the bill and insert in lieu thereof "1889," and strike out "1889" where it occurs in the title and body of the bill, and insert in lieu thereof " 1890," was adopted.

The bill was then read the third time at length and passed—yeas 89, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, lïarrell, Harris. Ilenry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young—89.

H. 40. To incorporate the Birmingham Coal Company ;

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 80, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bass, Bevis,Bishop, Blackwell,Brown,Burford, Clayton,Coleman,Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Lamar,Edwards, Finch, Forman, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Kanisay, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Screws,

Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Watters, Webb, White, Wood, Wilson, Young—80.

H. 13. To incorporate the town of Midland City, in the county of Dale ;

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 91, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason, of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone. Townsend of' Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Landerdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young—91.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr Speaker :

The senate hasconcurred in the house joint resolution relative to raising a joint committee on the inauiguration of governor-elect Jones. Committee on part of the senate, Messrs. Block and Compton.

Also,

In the house joint resolution relative to raising a committee to consider the fixing of a date for the adjournment of the general assembly for the recess. Committee on the part of the senate, Messrs. Stansel, and Harris of Hale.

WM. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

On motion of Mr. Adams, the house adjourned till ten o'clock a. m., to-morrow.

TENTH DAY.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
FRIDAY, November 21st, 1890.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.
Prayer by Rev. Dr. Burkhead of the city.
A quorum was present.
The journal of yesterday was read and approved.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Was granted to Messrs. Ramsay and Edwards for two days: to Mr. Wood mdefinit.ely; to Messrs. Pettus, Kemp and Harrell, for one day.

RESOLUTIONS

Were offered as follows :
By Mr. Webb—
Be it Resolved-, That the clerks of the several committees of the house during the present sesssion of the general assembly be paid four ($4.00) dollars per day for their services while in the employ of the house.
Mr. Davis of Lamar offered an amendment to include the assistant door keeper.
Adopted.
Mr. Screws offered the following as a substitute:
Resolved, That the per diem of clerks of committees and other employes remain as fixed by last house, which, on motion of Mr. Foster, was laid on the table.
M. Webb's resolution was then adopted.
By Mr. Sullivan—
Resolved, That the engrossing clerk be authorized to employ additional clerical force when necessary.
Adopted.
By Mr. Brewer—
To amend rule 25, subdivision 5, by inserting after the word "petitions" in the second line, these words, viz : "but every resolution shall lie over till the next day and be acted on immediately after the reading of the journal, unless such resolution is referred to some committee.

The consideration of which, under the rules, went over for to-morrow.

BILLS ON FIRST READING.

Bills were introduced, read severally the first time and referred to appropriate committees, as follows:

By Mr. Cooper (by request)—

H. 267. To enlarge the criminal jurisdiction of justices of the peace in Calhoun county;

Judiciary.

By Mr. Armistead—

H. 268. To require tax collectors to take duplicate receipts for all moneys paid county treasurers;

Ways and means.

By Mr. Peacock—

H. 269. To prohibit the sale of vinous or malt liquors within three miles of Antioch church, near Elizabeth post-office Coffee in county ;

Temperance.

By Mr. Quarles (by request)—

H. 270. To authorize the purchasers of a street railroad at a judicial sale by authority of law to organize as a corporation ;

Corporations.

Also,

H.271. To amend an act to establish court of county revenues for Dallas county;

Revison of laws.

By Mr. Parker—

H. 272. To require all railroad companies which carry passengers, to stop every train carrying passengers at the station in every county nearest the court house of each county through which the railroad may pass, and to require the agents of said railroad companies to sell tickets to any person who wishes to slop at or depart from such station ;

Commerce and common carriers.

By Mr. Avery—

n. 273. To amend an act entitled an act to amend section (1) one of an act to amend an act entitled an act for the pro-l ection of game and animals and birds in the counties of Hale, Cullman and Green, approved February 26th, 1887,

so far as the same applies to Hale county, approved February 27, 1889;

Local legislation.

By Mr. Coleman—

H. 273½. To revise section 4202 of the code of 1886, so far as the same may have reference to the county of Geneva, and to make it applicable to the said county of Geneva and repeal an act entitled an act to repeal section 4031 of the revised code of 1867, so far as said act relates to the county of Geneva;

Revision of laws.

By Mr. Henry—

H. 274. To authorize the mayor and aldermen of Birmingham to issue bonds of said city for an amount not more than four hundred and fifty thousand dollars ($450,000), for the purposes of building and constructing sewers in the said city, and extending sewer mains leading from said city to such point as the board may deem advisable; and for building school houses and furnishing the same; and for paving or macadamizing the streets of said city; and in improving the cemetery ground heretofore purchased by said city; and in paying whatever floating or outstanding debts said city may have on the 1st day of January, 1891, not to exceed thirty five thousand dollars ($35,000);

Judiciary.

Also,

H. 275. To repeal an act entitled an act, relating to the working of male convicts sentenced to hard labor for the county of Jefferson upon the public roads of said county ;

Public roads and highways.

Also,

H. 276. To confirm the charter of the Birmingham Building and Loan Association, to define and declare the powers, to provide for the increase of the capital stock, and to extend the time within which said association shall continue to exist as a corporation ;

Judiciary.

By Mr. Brown (with note and proof)—

H. 277. To amend section (18) eighteen of the charter of the city of Bessemer, relative to appeals from the mayor's court of said city;

Corporations.

Also (with notice and proof)—

H. 278. To authorize the city of Bessemer to issue its bonds for an amount not exceeding ($50,000.00) fifty thousand and no-100 dollars for the|purpose of building and constructing sewers, improving the streets, building school houses, making other permanent improvements in, and paying the floating debt of said city;

Judiciary.

By Mr. Henry—

H 279. To create a board of education for the city of Bessemer, and to prescribe the powers and duties of the same;

Education.

By Mr. Brewer (by request)—

H. 280. To amend subdivision thirty-two of section six hundred and twenty-nine of the code of Alabama;

Ways and means.

By Mr. Simmons (with petition)—

H. 281. To authorize the mayor and councilmen of Tuskegee, Alabama, to license and regulate the sale of spirituous, vinous and malt liquors within the corporate limits of said town ;

Judiciary.

By Mr. Meador—

H. 282. To amend section 2858 of the Code of Alabama;

Judiciary.

By Mr. Kelly—

H. 283. To amend section 27 4 of the code ;

Judiciary.

By Mr. Screws—

H. 284. To secure better roads in Alabama ;

Public roads and highways.

Also,

H. 285. To expedite the printing of the acts and joint resolutions of the general assembly;

Public printing.

Also (by request),

H. 286. For the protection of dealers in monuments, grave stones, inclosures or other structures in cemeteries ;

Revision oflaws.

By Mr. While—

H. 287. To amend section 1 of an act for the protection and preservation of game animals and birds in Perry county, approved February 7th, 1885;

Local legislation.

Also (by request),
H. 288. To amend sections 463 and 529 of the code;
Revision of laws.
Also,
H. 289. To amend section 568 of the code;
Revision of laws.
By Longshore (notice and proof)—
H. 290. For the relief of Newton Eddings of Shelby county ;
Corporations.
By Mr. Foster—
H. 291. To provide for the appointment by the governor, of a commission to devise and formulate a plan for the revision of the convict system of this state ;
Penitentiary and criminal administration.
By Mr. Sayre—
n. 292. To provide for the publication of the general lawsenacted at The present general assembly of Alabama, in some newspaper ;
Public printing.
By Mr. Young—
H. 293. To change the time of taking up the criminal docket in the circuit court of Marion county ;
Judiciary.
By Mr. Cornelius—
H. 294. To amend section 908 of the code of Alabama;
Revision of laws.
By Mr. Brown—
H. 295. To amend section 4571 (4546) of the code of Alabama ;
Penitentiary and criminal administration.
Also,
H. 296. To amend an act entitled an act to amend section 3027 of the code of Alabama, approved February 28, 1889;
Judiciary.
Also,
H. 297. To amend section 4641 of the code of Alabama ;
Penitentiary and criminal administration.
By Mr. Leslie—
H. 298. To prohibit the sale, giving away or otherwise disposing of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors within two miles of Liberty church in Henry county ;
Temperance.

By Mr. Foster—

H. 299. Empowering private corporations to engage in or transact any business which shall be specified in their declarations of purposes;

Judiciary.

By Mr. Guthrie—

H. 300. To repeal an act entitled an act to establish an inferior court for Cullman county, approved March 1st, 1881;

Judiciary.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

The chairmen of the several committees reported favorably on the following bills, which were severally read a second time and they were placed on the calendar:

H. 225. To protect and regulate the time and manner of catching and taking fish from and in the waters of the State of Alabama, in the counties of Mobile and Baldwin.

H. 133. To amend section 352 of the code so far as the same relates to Shelby county.

s. 21. To dispose of the fine and forfeiture fund of Mobile county and to provide for the payment of all claims which are by law a charge against said fund.

s. 22. To provide for the compensation of state witnesses in Mobile county.

H. 109. To establish a new charter for the town of Pratt Mines, in Jefferson county.

H. 153. To establish a new charter for the city of Cullman, Alabama.

H. 6. To amend section two of an act to incorporate the Anniston Loan and Trust Company of Anniston, Alabama, approved February 28th, 1889.

H. 152. To incorporate the Alabama Northern Railroad Company and to further the construction of the same.

H. 208. To prevent the keeping of restaurants or eating stands in connection with retail liquor houses or saloons.

H. 203. To prohibit the sale, giving away or otherwise disposing of vinous, spirituous or malt liquors, intoxicating bitters or cordials within two miles of Shiloh, Pleasant Hill and Friendship Missionary Baptist churches, and also, Wesley's chapel, Pond Town, Hurricane Creek and Tabernacle M. E. churches all in Geneva county, Alabama.

H. 201. To prohibit the sale of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors or other intoxicating beverages or bitters in the county of DeKalb, State of Alabama.

H. 187. To prohibit the sale of intoxicating liquors in that portion of Baldwin county north of the L. & N. R. R.

S.27. To prohibit the sale, giving away or otherwise disposing of spirituous, vinous or ma1t liquors within half a mile of the City Mission Church and the Corinthian Baptist Church in Mobile county, to take effect January 1st, 1891.

HILLS ON THIRD READING.

H. 136. To incorporate the Confederate Association of Alabama;

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 90, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Screw, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young--90.

The bill was ordered to the senate without engrossment.

H. 46. To amend the charter of the Birmingham Waterworks Company ;

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas, 78, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Amason, of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Forman, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jack-

son, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, Wilson, Young—78.

The bill was ordered to the senate without engrossment.

H. 98. To change the boundary line between the counties of Covinton and Crenshaw ;

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 78, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Parks, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Simmons, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, Wilson, Young --78.

H. 115, To Separate the office of sheriff and tax collector in Marion county, and to provide for the election of a tax collector;

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 81, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Finch, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles,

Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young—81.

H. 88. For the preservation of game animals and birds in the county of Walker ;

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 77, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Finch, Foster, Crass, Gilchrist Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Long, Loveless, Meador, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Landerdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young—77.

H. 144. To amend section 1 of an act to prevent stock from running at large in the several beats of Randolph and Calhoun counties and to authorize elections thereon, approved February 27, 1889;

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 86, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason, of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Burford, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Finch, Foreman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Town-Send of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young—86.

H. 141. To increase the jurisdiction of justices of the peace in Tuscaloosa county ;

Was taken up and on motion, the caption and body of the bill were amended by inserting the words, "and Chilton, Morgan, Macon, Cherokee, Fayette, Crenshaw and Blount" after the word, "Tuscaloosa" wherever it occurs m the bill.

On motion of Mr. Hill, the consideration of the bill was made a special order for Tuesday next at 11:30 o'clock a. m.

H. 31 To provide for the permanent location of the county site of Fayette county by the vote of the people of said county;

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 78, nays, 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosn, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Finch, Forman, Gass, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parker. Parks, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Whateley, White, Wilson, Young—78.

H. 114. To change and define the corporate limits of Courtland, Alabama, and amending section 1 of an act entitled an act to incorporate the town Courtland, in the county of Lawrence, approved December 16th, 1873 ;

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 79, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp,

Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young—79.

H. 142. To make the fees of bonded constables in Tuscaloosa county the same as sheriffs fees where they perform the same or similar service ;

Was taken up and on motion of Mr. Smith of Russell, the following amendment was adopted. " Amend by adding to the title and body of the bill the following counties : Macon, Elmore, Russell, Henry, Colbert, Lee, Dallas, Cherokee, Pickens, Chilton, Calhoun, Walker, Fayette, Bibb, Escambia, Crenshaw, Cullman, Cleburne, Talladega, Tallapoosa, Morgan, Blount, Pike, Dekalb, Lauderdale, Limestone, Winston, Bullock, Marshall and Lawrence ;"

And as amended, the bill was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 83, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bevis. Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harris, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp. Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, White, Wilson, Young—83.

H. 139. For the relief of state witnesses in Tuscaloosa county in cases in which the state fails;

Was taken up and on motion, the following amendment was adopted : Amend by adding in the caption and body of the bill, "Bibb, Chilton, Calhoun, Washington, Crenshaw, Fayette, Lauderdale, Colbert, Chambers, Pike, Cleburne, Etowah, Escambia, Covington, Clay, Lamar, Conecuh, Ran-

dolph, Blount, Lawrence, Baldwin and St. Clair," and to change the word, “county” into “counties.”

The bill as amended, was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 86, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa. Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell. Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston,Finch,Forman,Fostor,Gass,Gordon,Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecnh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young—86.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker :

The senate has passed the following house bill:

H. 5. To relieve Minnie S. Parker of Calhoun county, Alabama, a minor, of the disabilities of non-age.

And has originated and passed, and ordered forthwith to the house without engrossment, the bills,

s. 43. To amend an act, entitled an act to incorporate the city of Fort Payne, DeKalb county, Alabama, approved February 28,]889.

s. 18. To amend and confirm the charter of Fort Payne Coal and Iron Company, a corporation organized under the general incorporation laws of the state.

WM. L. CLAY.
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The Senate bills just received, whose titles are set forth in the above and foregoing message, were severally read once and referred to the committee as follows :

s. 18, and s. 43, to corporations.
On motion of Mr. Adams, the house adjourned till 10 o'clock to-morrow morning,

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ELEVENTH DAY.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
SATURDAY, November 22,1890.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.
Prayer by the Rev. Dr. Burkhead of the city.
A quorum was present.
The journal of yesterday was read and approved.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Was granted to Messrs. Northington, Steele, Jackson, Pettus, Scott, Harrell, White, Powell, Bass, Sparkman, Simmons, Clanton and Rather for one day, and to Mr. Purifoy for two days.

MESSAGE PKOM THE SENATE.

Mr Speaker:
The senate has originated and passed the following bills :
s. 14. To .amend and confirm the charter of the Foster Hardware Manufacturing Company, a corporation organized under the general incorporation laws of the state ; to change the name of said company, and to reduce the amount of its capital stock.
s. 24. To protect chickens and other poultry on the premises in the night time.
s. 25. To require railroad companies to provide suitable water closets on passenger cars and coaches.
s. 30. To amend the charter of the Birmingham Waterworks Company.
s. 36. To make the office of commissioner of agriculture elective.

s. 38. To require all butchers, and dealers in livestock, in Mobile county to keep a register of all stock purchased or received by them.

s. 40. To authorize and allow execution to be issued on any judgment which has been, or may hereafter be, properly registered in the office of the judge of probate.

s. 41. To amend section 2755 of the code.

s. 42. To amend section 3403 of the code.

s. 44. To amend section 750 of the code, so far as the same applies to the counties of Lamar, Fayette, Marion and Franklin.

s. 47. To prevent trespass on st.ate lands.

s. 51. To provide for the purchase of lands, and to provide additional accomodations for the patients of the Alabama Insane Hospital.

H. 52. To regulate the admission of patients in the Alabama Insane Hospital.

s. 53. In relation to the admission of insane criminals into the Alabama Insane Hospital.

s. 62. To incorporate the Lineville College at Lineville, Clay county, Alabama.

And has concurred in the house joint resolutions relative to instructing the joint committee on public roads, to devise a better system of working the public roads and report by bill or otherwise. WM. L. CLAY,

Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The senate bills just received, whose titles are set forth in the above and foregoing message, where severally read once and referred to committees as follows :

Judiciary, s. 53, 47, 44, 42, 41, 40.

Corporations, s. 14, 30.

Revision of laws, s. 24, 25, 38.

Agriculture, s. 36.

Appropriations. s. 51.

Education, s. 62.

Public buildings and institutions, s. 52.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

By his private secretary, Mr. Jackson :

Gentlemen of the Senate and of the House of Representatives :

I herewith transmit the biennial report of the board of

trustees of the University of Alabama for the period ending June 15th, 1890.

THOS. SEAY.

Gentlemen of the Senate and of the House of Representatives :

I herewith communicate to you in manuscript the report of the trustees of the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Alabama, for the years 1888-9 and 1889-90.

I also transmit in connection with this report a letter from the president of the board of trustees of the State Normal School for colored students, touching a division of the fund recently appropriated by Congress to supplement the endowment and support of colleges for the benefit of agriculture and mechanic arts established under act of congress, approved July 2nd, 1862.

THOS. SEAY.

The two last messages with documents were referred to the committee on public buildings and institutions.

BILLS ON FIRST READING.

The following bills were introduced, read the first time severally, and referred to appropriate committees, as follows :

By Mr. Armistead—

H. 301. To repeal sections 323, 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 332, 333, 334, 335 of the code of Alabama, so far as the same relates to Clarke county ;

Judiciary.

By Mr. Almon—

H. 302. To prohibit the sale, giving away or otherwise disposing of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, or intoxicating bitters, within two miles of Muscadine church in Cleburne county;

Temperance.

By Mr. Wade—

H. 303. To create "Walnut Grove College a normal college of the state, and to provide for the education of white teachers of the state therein ;

Education.

By Mr. Davis of Fayette—

H. 304. To provide for the adoption of a uniform series

of text books by the counties of this state for use in the public schools;

Education.

Also,

H. 305. To authorize the governor to offer a standing reward for absconding felons ;

Revision of laws.

By Mr. Coleman—

H. 306. To dissolve the bonds of matrimony existing between H. H. Hays and Elizabeth Hays, a lunatic, and to allow said H. H. Hays to marry again ;

Judiciary.

By Mr. Henry—

H. 307. To ratify and amend the incorporation of the Birmingham Bar Association of Birmingham, Alabama, and to enlarge the powers thereof;

Judiciary.

By Mr. Sayre—

H. 308. To finally dispose of lands which have been sold for its taxes and bid in for the state;

Judiciary.

By Mr. Cooper—

H. 309. To fix the compensation of the sheriff of Calhoun county for ex-officio services;

Ways and means.

RESOLUTIONS

Were offered and adopted as follows :

By Mr. Clayton—

Resolved, That it be referred to the judiciary committee to prepare and report a bill providing for a charter tax or license upon all business corporations created hereafter under the general or special laws of this state.

By Mr. Foster—

Resolved, That the committee on ways and means be instructed to formulate a plan for the revision of the assessment laws of this state, and for the more just and equitable assessment of property for taxes in this state.

By Mr. Whatley—

Resolved by the House the Senate concurring, That the joint committee on public roads and highways be instructed to devise and formulate a plan for securing better public

roads in this state, and report by bill or otherwise to this general assembly at as early a day as practicable.

By Mr. Brewer—

To amend rule 25 subdivision 5, by inserting after the word "petitions" in the second line these words, viz: but every resolution shall lie over till the next day and be acted on immediately after the reading of the journal unless such resolution is referred to some committee.

By Mr. Henry—

JOINT RESOLUTION IN RELATION TO PUBLIC LAND IN THE STATE OF ALABAMA.

Whereas, Senator Morgan bas introduced a bill in the senate of the United States, giving and granting to the state of Alabama, for the use and benefit of the public schools of said state all unsold government land, the title to which it now in the United States.

Resolved, 1. That the senate and house of representatives, constituting the general assembly of Alabama, request our representatives in congress to support said bill, and use their best endeavors to procure the passage of the same.

Resolved 2. That a copy of this resolution be sent to each member of congress from this state.

The consideration of which, under the rules, was postponed till to-morrow.

By Mr. Clayton—

Resolved by the house (the senate concurring), that a committee of five, composed of three from the house from the committee on temperance, and two from the senate, be appointed to take and consider all bills which have passed either house, or to be passed prohibiting the sale,&c., of vinous, spirituous or malt liquors,&c., and to report a bill grouping all such bills together into one bill commonly called an “ omnibus ” bill.

Adopted.

Committee on the part of the house: Messrs. Lee of Conecuh, Amason of Tallapoosa and Kemp.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE.

Mr. Speaker:

The select committee to which was referred the resolu-

sion on part of house, providing for adjournment and re-assembling of this body, after the christmas holidays, report that this general assembly adjourn for the holidays on the lOth day of December, 1890, and re-assemble on the 20th day of January,1891.

M. L. STANSEL,
NORPHLEET HARRIS,
On part of Senate.
J. A. WATTERS,
J. H. HARRIS,
W. T. WEBB,
On part of House

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

The above report was adopted.

The chairmen of the several committees reported favorably on the following bills, which were severally read a second time and placed on the calendar:

H. 204. To prescribe the time in which bills of exception must be filed in the criminal court of Jefferson county.

H. 182. To make the husband or wife of the defendant competent to testify as a witness in all prosecutions for bigamy and adultery or fornication.

H. 181. To amend section 3781 of the code.

H. 174. To amend section one of an act, approved February 25,1889, to provide for payment of costs on convictions of felony, where the defendant is sentenced to imprisonment in the penitentiary. (With substitute.)

H. 149. To authorize the Parker Memorial Baptist Church of Anniston, Alabama, to hold real and personal property to the value of not exceeding one hundred and fifty thousand dollars.

H. 67. To amend an act, entitled an act to more effectually secure competent and well qualified jurors in the county of Montgomery, approved February 21, 1887.

H. 49. For the relief of H. McVay Moore, late sheriff of Lauderdale county.

s. 17. To amend section 1476 of the code.

H. 193. To authorize and empower the commissioners court to have a general index made for the records in the probate court of Choctaw county.

On motion of Mr. Young,

H. 117. To amend section 538 of the code was taken from adverse report, and placed upon the calender.

H. 89. To provide suitable compensation for the superintendent of education of the county of Walker.

H. 240. To amend an act entitled an act to provide for the election of county superintendent of education of Dallas county.

H. 215. To authorize the board of trustees of the school district of the town of New Decatur to issue bonds of said school district, for the purpose of paying the debts of said district and of creating, adding to and improving school buildings and furnishing the same.

H. 137. To provide for the teaching, in the public schools of physiology and hygiene with special reference to the effects of alcoholic drinks, stimulants and narcotics upon the human system.

H. 154. To repeal an act, entitled, “an act to amend section eleven of an act to establish a separate school district, to be known as the Cullman School District in Cullman county, Alabama, and for the appointment of a board of trustees for said school district, with certain powers and privileges, approved February 28,1887.

H. 218. To prevent stock from running at large in Pike county (with amendment.)

H. 222. To require county administrators to keep a book of record and to make such book of record free for examination of all persons.

s. 9. To amend an act to allow constable of Troy beat, Pike county, and the constable of beat number 24, in Jefferson county, Alabama, to appoint deputies, February 12, 1885.

H. 87. To amend section two and paragraphs five, seven, nine, ten, and thirteen, and section four, and section nine and ten, of an act entitled an act to provide for a charter for the city of Jasper in Walker county, Alabama, approved February 6, 1889.

H. 129. To confirm the ordinance passed by the mayor and council of the town of Decatur, and the contract in pursuance thereof, passed on the 7th day of October, 1890, granting to J. Judson Barclay, J. 0. Hallowell and J. D. Jervis the right to operate and maintain a line of railroad over and along Market, Washington, Davis and Lee streets in the town of Decatur.

H. 130. To confirm and amend the charter of the New Decatur Terminal Company.

s. 32. To amend an act entitled act to incorporate the town of Courtland in the county of Lawrence, approved December l6th,1873.

H. 175. To reduce and fix the salaries of circuit solicitors and for the county solicitor of Montgomery in this state.

H. 236. To repeal an act entitled an act to pay salaries to solicitors instead of' the fees which they now receive and to require said fees to be paid into the state treasury so far as the same relates to Bullock county.

H. 255. To provide for the pay and compensation of the superintendent of education of Pike county.

H. 166. To amend section 128 of the code of 1886.

H. 285. To expedite the printing of the acts and joint resolutions of the general assembly.

H. 292. To provide for the publication of the general laws enacted at the present session of the general assembly of Alabama, in some newspaper.

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

H 169. To provide for the disposition of the volumes of Smith's condensed reports, now in the possession of the secretary of state ;

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 67, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Long, Longshore, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Quarles, Rousseau, Sayre, Smith of Dallas, Smith of .Russell, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Webb, Whatley, Wilson, Young—67.

H. 163. To amend section 1187 of the Code;

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 70, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Winston, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Long, Longshore, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Quarles, Rousseau, Sayre, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, Wilson, Young—70.

H. 162. To amend section 1174 of the code;

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 58, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Suir.ter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Finch, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Henry, Howle, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Quarles, Rousseau, Sayre, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, Wilson, Yonng—58.

H. 161. To ameiid sectiou I186 of the code;

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 72, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Ad.ims, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Back, Clayton, Coleman, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Finch, Forman. Foster, Gass. Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Quarles, Rousseau, Sayre, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith, of Russell, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley. Wilson, Young—72.

H. 105. To amend section 5 of an act entitled an act to create the office of county solicitor for the county of Hale, to provide for the appointment of such county solicitor, and to prescribe his powers and duties, approved February 28th, 1889 ;

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 74, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gordon, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, -Nolen, Parks, Peacock. Poole, Quarles, Rousseau, Sayre, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of' Russell, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Webb, Whatley, Wilson, Young—74.

H. 2. To repeal section 4197, article III of code of Alabama, so far as the same applies to Bibb county;

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 72, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, .Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Lane, Langley, Leigh, Leslie. Lewis, Long, Longshore, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Quarles, Rouseau, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker, of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Whatley, Wilson, Young—72.

H. 159. To incorporate Fairview M. E. church, south, and Friendship Baptist church, situated in T. 8, R. 7, DeKalb county, Alabama, in close proximity, with the following named trustees and their successors in office, viz : Jas.

A. Young, Jas. M. Pickens, J. A. Dobbins, Peter F. Stewart and B. D. Ward, chosen by their respective churches;

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 64 nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Armistead, Avery, Bain, Barnett, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harris, Hill, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Quarles, Rousseau, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, Wilson, Young—64.

H. 32. To provide for the holding of elections in the several beats of Geneva county to determine whether alcoholic, vinous or malt liquors shall be sold in such beats;

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 65, navs 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Clayton, Coleman, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Finch, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Quarles, Rousseau, Sayre, Screws, Smith of Dallas, Smitg of Russell, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, Wilson, Young—65.

H. 103. So prohibit the sale, giving away or otherwise disposing of vinous, spirituous or malt liquors, intoxicating bitters or Cordials within three miles of Pilgrim's Rest Baptist church, and also Morton's Chapel Baptist church, all in Etowah county, Alabama;

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 67, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Bar-

nett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Long, Longshore, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Quarles, Rousseau, Sayre, Smith of Dallas, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, Wilson, Young—67.

H. 170. To prohibit the sale, giving away of or otherwise disposing of intoxicating liquors within one-half (½) mile in every direction of Bethel church at Adams cotton mills near the city of Montgomery ;

Was read the third lime at length and passed—yeas 66, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Davis of' Winston, Finch, Forman. Foster, Gass, Gilchrist Gordon, Guthrie, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Judge, Kelly, Lane, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Quarles, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, Wilson, Young—66.

H. 113 To prohibit the selling, bartering, exchanging or giving away of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, intoxicating bitters or beverages nearer New Mt. Bethel church in Cross Roads beat No. 4, township two, range eight, Lauderdale county, than beat line in every direction from said church;

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 73, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Bevis, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Fox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Finch, Forman, Foster,

Gass, Gordon, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Howle, Johnson, Kelly, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Quarles, Rousseau, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Wilson, Young—73.

H. 146. To establish a charter for the town of Woodlawn in Jefferson county, Alabama;

Was read the third time at. length and passed—yeas 65, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason, of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Burford, Clayton, Coleman. Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Finch, Forman, Gass, Gordon. Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parke, Pea cock, Poole, Quarles, Rousseau, Sayre, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, Wilson, Young—65.

H. 179. For the preservation of game in certian districts in Conecuh county ;

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 73, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clayton, Coleman, Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Finch, Forman, Foster. Gass, Gordon, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Long, Longshore, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Quarles, Rousseau, Sayre, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, Wilson, Young—73.

H. 132. To provide for the election of a county superintendent of education for Perry county ;

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 66, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Bain, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Lane, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Quarles, Sayre, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, Wilson, Young—66.

H. 52. To provide for a re-registration of all legal claims against the fine and forfeiture fund of Marion county ;

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas, 65, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Long, Longshore, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Sayre, Sullivan, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Landerdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Wilson, Young—65.

H. 176. To regulate the election of county commissioners for Tallapoosa county;

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 64, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clayton, Coleman, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Finch, Foreman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Kelly, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Meador, Moore of -Baldwin, Nolen,

Parker, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Sayre, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, Wilson, Young—64.

H. 150. To provide for an election in the various beats, or parts of beats, in the county of Clay, "on the subject of stock running at large" in the beats, or parts of beats, in said county;

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 70, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clayton,Coleman,Cornelius, Crews, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Finch, Foreman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Johnson Jones, Kelly, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longhhore, Meador,Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Sayre, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Webb, Whatley, Wilson, Young—70.

H. 225. To protect and regulate the time and manner of catching and taking fish from and in the waters of the State of Alabama, in the counties of Mobile and Baldwin ;

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 68, nays 0.

Yeas-'-Messrs Speaker, Adams, Alexander. Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, David of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gordon, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Hill, Hufham, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Lane, Langley, Lee» of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Moore of Baldwin. Nolen, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Sayre. Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of' Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, Wilson, Young—68.

SPECIAL ORDERS.

On motion of Mr. Adams, H. 166 was made a special order for Monday next after reading the Journal.

On motion of Mr. Lewis, H. 59 was made a special order for Friday next at 12 o'clock m.

On motion the house adjourned till 10 a. m. Monday morning.

TWELFTH DAY.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
MONDAY, November 24, 1890.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.
Prayer by the Rev. Mr. Thompson, of the city.
A quorum was present.
The journal of Saturday was read and approved.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE,

Was granted to Messrs. Henry, Jones, Jackson, Adams, Pettus and White for one day.

CONSIDERATION OF RESOLUTIONS.

The joint resolution introduce by Mr. Henry on Saturday to request the members of congress to support the bill granting to the State of Alabama, all unsold public lands in the state for school purposes,

Was adopted.

SPECIAL ORDER.

H. 166. To amend section]28 of the code of 1886 ;

Was taken up.

Amendments were offered by Messrs. Quarles and Avery,

And, on motion of Mr. Brewer, the bill and amendments were recommitted to the judiciary committee with instruc-

tions to report a bill to-morrow morning equalizing the salaries of state officers;

And, on motion of Mr. Brewer, the bill was made a special order to-morrow morning after reading the journal.

RESOLUTION.

Mr. Davis of Fayettee, offered the following resolution, which was unanimously adopted :

Whereas, Hon. Grover Cleveland will this day pass through the city of Montgomery on his way to New Orleans; now, therefore,

Be it resolved by the General Assembly of Alabama, That we bid Mr. Cleveland, the greatest living American, God-speed, and most cordially invite him on his return to visit the city of Montgomery and address the General Assembly of Alabama.

REPORT FROM COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr Speaker:

The committee on enrolled bills, report the following bill properly enrolled:

H. 5. To relieve Minnie S. Parker, of Calhoun county, Alabama, a minor, of the disabilities of non-age.

C. C. RATHER,
Chairman.

SIGNING OF BILLS.

The speaker of the house, in the presence of the house, immediately after its title had been publicly read by the clerk, signed the bill, the title of which is set out in the foregoing report of the committee on enrolled bills.

BILLS ON FIRST READING.

Bills were introduced, read severally the first time, and referred to appropriate committees, as follows:

By Mr. Davidson—

H. 313. To amend an act entitled an act to regulate the granting of licenses to sell spirituous, vinous or malt liquors

at wholesale or retail in the the county of Blount, approved December 10, 1886 ;

Local legislation.

Also (with petition),

H 314. To establish the Cleveland School District in Blount county;

Education.

By Mr. Powell—

H. 315. To incorporate Union Springs Male and Female Institute;

Education.

By Mr. Hufham—

H. 316. To declare Clark Frizzle, a liner between the counties of Bullock and Montgomery, a citizen of Montgomery county;

Judiciary.

By Mr. Cooper—

H. 317. To provide for the sale or lease of school indemnity lands certified to the State of Alabama by the United States, and to provide for the disposition of the proceeds thereof;

Judiciary.

Also,

H. 318. To amend and revise the charter of the town of Oxanna;

Corporations.

Also,

H. 319. To ratify and amend the charter of the Security Bank of Alabama;

Corporations.

Also.

H. 320. To amend and revise the charter of the town of Piedmont;

Corporation's.

By Mr. Almon—

H. 321. To prohibit the sale, giving away or otherwise disposing of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors or intoxicating bitters within two miles of Pinetuckey church in Cleburne county, Alabama;

Temperance.

Also,

H. 322. To incorporate the “Cleburne Institute,” Edwardsville, Cleburne county, Alabama ;

Corporations.

By Mr. Rousseau (with notice)—

H. 323. For the relief of Benjamin B. Ballard, a citizen of Covington county;

Counties and county boundaries.

By Mr. Davis of Fayette—

H. 324. To incorporate the Fayette Alliance Union, at Fayette, Fayette county, Alabama;

Corporations.

By Mr. Coleman—

H. 325. To regulate (he trials of misdemeanors in Geneva county;

Judiciary.

By Mr. Avery (by request)—

H. 326. To provide for the registration and payment of claims due state witnesses before the grand jury in certain cases;

Local legislation.

Also (by request)—

H. 327. To fix the fees of the circuit clerk of Hale county.

Fees and salaries.

By Mr. Brown--

H. 328. To ratify and confirm all contracts, sales, conveyances, mortgages made by, or to the Alabama State Land company since November 11th, 1886;

Corporations.

Also,

H. 329. To ratify and confirm the organization of the Alabama State Land company;

Corporations.

Also,

H. 330. To fix the pay of the county commissioners of Jefferson county;

Fees and salaries.

By Mr. Davis of Lamar—

H. 331. To amend section 3685 of the code in regard to the fees of probate judges in Lamar county;

Fees and salaries.

By Mr. Smith of Russell—

H. 332. To incorporate the town of Seale in the county of Russell;

Corporations.

Also,

H. 333. To incorporate the city of Girard, Russell county.
Corporations.
By Mr. Tucker of Lauderdale—
H. 334. To provide for the safety of moneys in the hands of public officers, administrators, executors, guardians, and trustees in Lauderdale county;
Judiciary.
By Mr. Bass—
H. 335. To amend an act to prohibit the sale, giving away or disposing of spirituous, vinous, or malt liquors for gain, in beat one, Lee county, Alabama, and to provide for an election therein;
Temperance.
By Mr. Poole—
H. 336. To authorize registers in chancery to administer oaths and affidavits and to solemnize marriage;
Judiciary.
By Mr. Hill—
H. 337. To amend sectiom 2103, (2447) and 2105, (2449) of the code;
Judiciary.
By Mr. Sayre—
H. 338. To provide for the payment for the publication of the laws of a general and public character passed at the second sitting of the session of 1888—'89 of the general assembly of Alabama;
Public printing.
By Mr. Screws—
H. 339. Fo require clerks of courts to notify justices of the peace of decisions in appeal cases ;
Judiciary.
By Mr. Kemp—
H. 340. To amend section 4592 of the code ;
Penitentiary and criminal administration.
Mr. Barnett (by request)—
H. 341. To amend an act to establish a charter for the city of Troy in Pike county;
Corporations.
By Mr. Longshore (by request)—
H. 242. To confer upon the county court of Shelby county certain civil jurisdiction, and exclusive jurisdistion of the trial of misdemeanors in said county;
Judiciary.

By Mr. Forman (by request)—

H. 343. To incorporate the Birmingham, Macon, and Pacific railway company,and to further the construction of said railway;

Corporations.

By Mr. Long—

H. 344. To amend section 2307 of the code;

Judiciary.

By Mr. Amason of Sumter—

H. 345. To amend section 3736 (4304) of the code;

Judiciary.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

The chairmen of the several committees reported favorably on the following bills which were severally read a second time and placed upon the calendar :

H. 237. To repeal "an act entitled an act to protect fish in the county of Butler," approved February 21st, 1887 ;

H. 270. To authorize the purchasers of a street railroad at a judicial sale or other sale, by authority of law, to organize as a corporation;

s. 18. To amend and confirm the charter of the Fort Payne Coal and Iron company a corporation organized under the general incorporation laws of the state;

H. 257. To prohibit the handling, storing, transporting, selling or giving away any spirituous, vinous or malt liquors or cider within two miles of the Industrial High school at Healing Springs, Washington county ;

s. 42. To amend section 2403 of the code;

s. 44. To amend section 750 of the code, so far as the same applies to the counties of Lamar, Fayette, Marion and Franklin;

s. 53. In relation to to the admission of insane criminals into the Alabama insane hospital;

s. 47. To prevent tresspass on state lands.

BIILS ON THIRD READING.

H. 133. To amend section 352 of the code, so far as the same relates to Shelby county;

Was read the third time at length and lost—yeas 12, nays 62.

Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Appleton, Bain, Bevis, Forman, Harris, Kelly, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Thrasher, Tucker of Lauderdale—12.

Nays—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Armistead, Avery, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman. Cooper, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Gass, Gilchrist, Gor, don, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Judge, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leslie, Long, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Waiters, Webb, Whatley, Wilson—62.

s. 21. To dispose of the fine and forfeiture fund in Mobile county, and to provide for the payment of all claims which are by law a charge against said fund ;

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 81, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Finch, Foreman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Webb, Wilson, Young—81.

s. 22. To provide for the compensation of state witnesses in Mobile county;

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 80, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Bain, Barnett, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox,

Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Long', Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parker. Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, Wilson, Young—80.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker:

The senate has passed the bills,

H.15. To make appropriations for the payment of sheriffs, for feeding prisoners in jail for the year ending Sept. 30, 1889, and for the removal of prisoners during the year ending September 30, 1890, the appropriations for the purpose named for said year having been exhausted ;

H. 55. To provide for the election of the general administrator of Mobile county, and for filling vacancies therein :

And has originated and passed and ordered Forthwith to the house, without engrossment,

s. 57. To create a board for the equalization of tax assessments on property within the city of Montgomery.

s. 58. To amend the charter of the city of Montgomery and the various acts amendatory thereof.

s. 59. To authorize the city council of Montgomery to issue bonds for school purposes, and for funding its market bonds, and for paving the streets of the city of Montgomery.

s. 65. To provide for the assessment of state and county taxes on property- within the corporate limits of the city of Anniston;

And has originated and passed

s. 4. To amend section 1667 of the code.

And has amended the report of the joint committee on recess by striking out 20th January as the day for the reassembling of the general assembly and inserting in lieu thereof January 27th, and as amended has concurred therein.

And has concurred in house joint resolutions relative to Hon. Grover Cleveland and to raising a joint committee on an omnibus temperance bill.

Committee on the part of the senate on omnibus bill—Messrs. Cowan and Perry.

And has adopted a joint resolution herewith sent, relative to raising a joint committee to consider heating the capitol by steam.

Committee on the part of the senate—Messrs. Bloch and Wiley.

WM. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The senate bills just received, the titles of which are set out in the foregoing senate message, were severally read the first time and referred to appropriate committees, as follows :

s. 65, to ways and means.

s. 57, 58, 59 and 4, to corporations.

On motion of Mr. Watters, the house non-concurred in the senate amendment to the report of joint committee on recess and requested a committee of conference.

Committee on the part of the house—Messrs. Watters, Amason of Tallapoosa, and Clanton.

On motion, the house concurred in the senate joint resolution relative to raising a joint committee to consider heating the capitol by steam.

Committee on part of the house—Messrs. Brewer, Borwn and Hill.

On motion of Mr. Almon the house adjourned till 10 a. m. to-morrow.

THIRTEENTH DAY.

HOUSE OF Representatives,
TUESDAY, November 25,1890.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.
Prayer by Rev. Mr. Thompson, of the city.
A quorum was present.
The journal of yesterday was read and approved.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Was granted to Mr. Guthrie for two days.

RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Davis of Fayette, moved to reconsider the vote by which
H. 133. To amend section 352 of the code, so far as the same relates to Shelby county,
Was lost on yesterday.
Lost.
Mr. Clayton moved to reconsider the vote by which the house on yesterday re-committed H. 166, with amendments, to the judiciary cemmittee with instructions to report a bill this morning equalizing the salaries of state officers.
Carried.
Mr. Lee of Conecuh, offered a substitute for Mr. Brewer's motion.
Mr. Brown moved to table Mr. Lee's substitute and Mr. Brewer's resolution.
Lost.

RESOLUTION.

By unanimous consent,
Mr. Smith of Russell, offered the following resolution which was adopted :
Resolved, That when the hour of 12 m. arrives, the order of business be suspended for the purpose of balloting for United Stales senator.
Report from committee on enrolled bills :

Mr. Speaker :

The committee on enrolled bills report the following bills property enrolled :
H. 15. To make appropriations for the payment of sheriffs for feeding prisoners in jail for the year ending September 30, 1889, and for the removal of prisoners during the year ending September 30, 1890, the appropriations for the purposes named for said years having been exhausted.

H. 55. To provide for the election of the general administrator of Mobile county, and for filling vacancies therein.

C. C. RATHER,
Chairman.

SIGNING OF BILLS.

The speaker of the house, in the presence of the house, immediately after their titles had been publicly read by the clerk, signed the bills, the titles of' which are set out in the foregoing report of the committee on enrolled bills.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker :

The senate has passed the following bills :

H. 30. To authorize the court of county commissioners of Etowah county to issue bonds of said county to an amount not exceeding seventy-five thousand dollars for the purpose of securing the means to construct the court house and Amiish the same with suitable furniture and for the purpose of paying for building an addition to the jail for said county.

H. 35. To amend section 1434 of the code.

And has concurred in the house joint resolution relative to instructing our representatives in congress to support Senator Morgan's bill concerning the disposition of the public lands in Alabama

And accedes to the request of tte house for a committee of conference on the disagreement of the two houses relative to the date of reassembling by the general assembly after the recess.

Committee on the part of the senate, Messrs. Stansel, Harris of Hale and Parker.

And has originated and passed the following bills:

s. 1. To prohibit selling or giving cigarettes, cigarette papers, cigarette tobacco, or any other kind of cigar which contains any drug or drugs, injurious to health.

s. 33. To incorporate the Alabama Methodist Orphan age.

s. 45 To authorize a subscription by the state to a book entitled Atkinson's Compilation.

s. 50. To provide a system of waterworks for the city of Montgomery.

s. 71. To amend section 4541 (4492) of the code.
s. 74. To prohibit the sale, giving away or otherwise disposing of vinous, spirituous or malt liquors, intoxicating bitters or cordials, north of the Louisville and Nashville railroad in Baldwin county.
W. L. OLAY,
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The senate bills just received, whose titles are set forth in the above and foregoing message, were severally read once and referred to the committees as follows :
s. 1, to public health ;
s. 33 and 50, to corporations ;
s. 45, to judiciary ;
s. 71, to penitentiary and criminal administration;
s. 74, to temperance.

BALLOTING FOR UNITED STATES SENATOR.

This being the second Tuesday after the meeting and organization of the legislature of the State of Alabama at 12 o'clock m. on this day the house of representatives of the State of Alabama went into an election for the purpose of naming one person for senator in congress from the state of Alabama.
The speaker of the house of representatives of the State of Alabama announced that in accordance with the previous order of this house, the hour for this house to name one person for senator in congress from the State of Alabama had arrived, and declared that nominations were in order.
Mr. White of Perry, placed in nomination the names of James L. Pugh, a resident citizen of Barbour county, in the State of Alabama.
Mr. Clanton of Jackson, placed in nomination the name of Thos. Seay, a resident citizen of Hale county, in the State of Alabama.
Mr. Davis of Fayette, placed in nomination the name of Reuben F. Kolb, a resident citizen of Barbour county, in the state of Alabama.
Mr. Screws of Montgomery, placed in nomination the name of Thos. H. Watts, a resident citizen of Montgomery county, in the state of Alabama.

No other names being placed in nomination the speaker of the house ordered the clerk of the house to call a roll of the house.

Thereupon the roll of the house was called and the following members of the house voted viva voce for James L. Pugh, for senator in the congress of the United States, to succeed James L. Pugh, for a term beginning on the 4th day of March, 1891.

Messrs. Almon, Appleton, Ayres, Brewer, Buck, Burford, Clayton, Crews, Cox, Henry, Howle, Kelly, Kemp, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Quarles, Smith of Russell, Steele, Thrasher, Watters, Whatley, White, Wood, Young—31.

And the following members voted viva voce for Thos. Seay for senator in the congress of the United States, to succeed James L. Pugh for a term beginning on the 4th day of March, 1891.

Messrs. Amason of Sumter, Avery, Blackwell, Brown, Clanton, Cooper, Finch, Foster, Gass, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Lane, Pettus, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Sparkman, Sullivan, Tucker of Lauderdale—19.

And the following members voted viva voce for Reuben F. Kolb for Senator in the congress of the United States, to succeed James L. Pugh, for a term beginning in the 4th day of March, 1891.

Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Amason of Tallapoosa, Armistead, Bain, Barnett, Bevis, Bishop, Coleman, Cornelius, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Forman, Gordon, Harrell, Harris, Hufham, Jackson, Langley, Longshore, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wilson—36.

And the following members voted viva voce for Thos. H. Watts for senator in the congress of the United States to succeed James L Pugh, for a term beginning on the 4th day of March, 1891.

Messrs. Gilchrist, Hill, Parker, Powell, Purifoy, Rather, Sayre, Screws and Webb—9.

In all ninety-five members had voted, and neither of the candidates having received a majority of all the votes cast in this house, thereupon the speaker declared that neither

of the candidates had received a majority of all the votes cast, and that no one had been named by the house of representatives of the state of Alabama, as the choice of this house for senator in the congress of the United Slates for the term beginning on the 4th day of March, 1891 .

The house resumed consideration of Mr. Lee's substitute for Mr. Brewer’s resolution with reference to H. 166; and pending consideration of said substitute, on motion of Mr. Almon. at 12:30 o'clock p. m., the house adjourned till 10 a. m. to-morrow.

FOURTEENTH DAY.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
WEDNESDAY, Nov. 26, 1890.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.
Prayer by the Rev. Mr. Thompson, of the city.
A quorum was present.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Was granted to Mr. Jones for one day.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The consideration of—
H. 166. To amend section 128 of the code of 1886;
Was resumed

Mr. Brewer moved, that the bill and amendments be recommitted to the committee on judiciary with instructions to report a bill to fix and equalize the salaries of all state officers.

Mr. Lee of Conecuh, offered the following as a substitute for Mr. Brewer’s resolution.

Resolved, That the judiciary committee be instructed to prepare a bill, equalizing the salaries of officers of the execu-

1ive department, lo be reported to this house on Friday next at 11 o'clock, which bill if approved by the house is to be a substitute for house bill 166 now pending.

On motion of Mr. Brown, the motion of Mr. Brewer and substitute were tabled.

RESOLUTION

By unanimous consent—

Mr. Smith of Russell, offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved by the House, the Senate concurring, that when the hour of 12 M. arrives, the two houses meet in joint assembly for the purpose of declaring the result of the vote in the two houses yesterday for United States senator, and for the purpose of taking a ballot in joint assembly for United States senator, if necessary.

The house resumed consideration of H. 166 and amendments.

Mr. Quarles offered the following amendment:

SEC. 3. Be it further enacted, That the provisions of this bill shall go into effect on and after the election and induction into office of the attorney-general chosen at the next general election,

Which, on motion of Mr. Brewer, was tabled—yeas 55, nays 40.

Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Amason of Sumter, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown. Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Finch, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Harrell, Henry, Johnson, Judge, Kelly, Lane, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Rousseau, Sayre, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, White—55.

Nays—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Bass, Brewer, Burford, Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, Forman, Harris, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Conecuh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau,

Scott, Simmons, Smith of Russell, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young—40.

The amendment by the committee,

"Amend by inserting $2500 in place of $3000.00" wherever it occurs in the bill,

And by adding,

SEC. 2. Be it further enacted, That all fees to which the attorney-general is now entitled on state cases affirmed in the supreme court shall be paid into the state treasury,

Was taken up.

On motion of Mr. Kelly, the previous question was ordered on the bill and amendments—yeas 60, nays 27.

Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Harris, Henry, Judge, Kelly, Lane, Langley, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Meador, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Rather, Sayre, ycrew3,Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wilson. Young—60.

Nays—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Brewer, Burford, Coleman, Crews, Harrell, Hill, Hufham, Jackson, Kemp, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Long, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Wood—27.

Mr. Brewer offered to speak on the amendments and the speaker ruled him out of order, as the previous question had been ordered;

From which Mr. Brewer appealed,

And the question being, shall the decision of the chair be sustained ? and the chair was sustained—yeas 85, nays 5.

Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Bass Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hill. Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour,

Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Purifoy, Rather, Rousseau, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young—85.

Nays—Messrs. Brewer, Northington, Quarles, Scott and Wood.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker:

The senate has amended as therein shown, and as amended has passed

H. 70. To authorize the mayor and council of the city of Uniontown to issue bonds of said city for an amount not exceeding twenty.five thousand dollars, bearing six per cent. interest, payable semi-annually, for the purpose of erecting or providing said city with waterworks, and for funding the indebtedness of said city.

And has concurred in the house joint resolution relative to a joint convention of the two houses at noon to-day to compare the separate votes for United States Senator and for taking Further ballot, if necessary ;

And has originated and passed, and ordered forthwith to the house without engrossment, the bill

s. 102. To amend section 750 of the code.

And has passed the bills,

s. 63. To incorporate the Tennessee River, Ashville and Coosa Railway Company, and to further the construction thereof.

s. 64. To amend and extend the charter of the Commercial Bank of Selma, and*to amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the Selma Savings Company, approved December 10th, 1864 ; and an act entitled an act to amend the act entitled an act to incorporate the Selma Savings Company, approved February 23, 1866 ; and an act entitled an act to change the name of the Selma Savings Company to the Selma Savings Bank, approved January 28th, 1870 ; and an act entitled an act to change the name of the Selma Savings Bank to the Commercial Bank of Selma, approved February 10, 1879;

And has adopted the joint resolution herewith sent relative to adjourning over to-morrow—thanksgiving day.

WM. L. CLAY.
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The senate bills just received, whose titles are set forth in the above and foregoing message,were read severally and referred to the committee as follows :

s. 102 and 64, to jndiciary;

s. 63, to corporations.

On motion of Mr. Pettus, the house non-concurred in the senate amendment to H. 70, and asked for a conference committee.

Committee on part of the house—Messrs. Pettus, White and Smith of Russell.

On motion of Mr. Pettus, the house concurred in the senate joint resolution relative to taking a recess to-morrow—thanksgiving day.

JOINT CONVENTION.

The members of the senate and of the house of representatives of the State of Alabama, convened in joint assembly in the hall of the house of representatives, at the hour of 12 o'clock m., for the purpose of ascertaining the result of the election held on yesterday in the respective houses of the general assembly, for United States senator.

There were present of the senate,

Messrs. President, Bradley, Berry, Bloch, Cowan, Compton, Davie, Grant, Godfrey, Handley, Haralson, Harris of Hale, Harris of Lee, Hayes, Hundley, Inzer, Lackey, Milner, Minge, Nesmith, Parker, Parks, Reynolds, Skeggs, Smith of Autauga, Smith of Mobile, Stallworth, Stansel, Steagall, Waddell, Wiley—31;

And of the house,

Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown,Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston,Edwards, Finch, Forman,

Foster, Gass. Gilchrist, Gordon, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh. Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith, of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley. White, Wood, Wilson, Young—97.

The secretary of the senate and the clerk of the house then read the journals of yesterday of the senate and of the house of representatives, respectively, relating to the vote of United States senator.

The president of the senate then declared that the same person had not received a majority of the votes in each house, and that no one had been elected United States senator.

The joint assembly then proceeded to choose by a viva voce vote of each member present, a person for senator;

And the president of the senate ordered the secretary of the senate to call the roll of the senate;

Whereupon the following senators voted for James L. Pugh:

Messrs. President, Berry, Bloch, Compton, Davie, Grant, Godfrey, Haralson, Harris of Lee, Milner, Parker, Skeggs, Steagall, Waddell—14;

And the following voted for Reuben F. Kolb :

Messrs. Inzer, Nesmith, Reynolds, Smith of Mobile—4;

And the following voted for Thos. Seay :

Messrs. Bradley, Cowan, Handley, Harris of Hale, Hayes, Hundley, Lackey, Minge, Stansel—9 ;

And the following voted for Thos. H. Watts:

Messrs. Parks, Smith of Autauga, Stallworth, Wiley—4;

And the speaker of the house ordered the clerk of the house to call the roll of the house;

Whereupon the following representatives voted for James L. Pugh:

Messrs. Almon, Appleton, Ayres, Brewer, Buck, Burford, Clayton, Cooper, Crews, Cox, Henry, Howle, Kelly, Kemp, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Quarles, Smith of Russell, Steele, Thrasher, Wade, Watters, Whatley, White, Wood, Young—32;

And the following representatives voted for Reuben F. Kolb;

Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Amason of Tallapoosa, Armistead, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Coleman, Cornelius, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Forman, Gordon, Harris, Hufham, Jackson, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Longshore, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wilson—37 ;

And the following representatives votes for Thos. Seay :

Messrs. Amason of Sumter, Avery, Blackwell, Brown, Clanton, Finch, Gass, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Lane, Pettus, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Sparkman, Sullivan, Tucker of Lauderdale—17;

And the following representatives voted for Thos. H. Watts:

Messrs. Foster, Gilchrist, Harrell, Hill, Parker, Powell, Purifoy. Rather, Sayre, Screws, Webb—11;

And the president of the senate declared

That Mr. Pugh had received 40 votes;

That Mr. Kolb had received 41 votes;

That Mr. Seay had received 26 votes ;

That Mr. Watts had received 15 votes;

And that, although a majority of all the members elected to both houses of the general assembly were present and had voted, no one had received a majority of all the votes of the joint assembly, and that no one had been elected United States senator.

RESOLUTION.

Mr. Pettus offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved, That whereas, to-morrow, Thursday, Nov. 27th, is a legal holiday, being "Thanksgiving day," that this joint assembly adjourn until Friday, Nov. 28th, at 12 o’clock m.

The president of the senate then declared that the purpose of the joint convention having been accomplished, it was dissolved;

And the senate retired to its chamber ;

And the house resumed consideration of H. 166, and amendments.

Mr. Scott moved to adjourn ;

Lost.

Yeas 36, nays 48.

Yeas—Messrs. Alexander, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Ayres, Brewer, Burford, Cooper, Crews, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Smith of Russell, Townsend of Pike, Wade, Whatley, Wood—36.

Nays—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Amason of Sumter, Apple-ton,Armistead,Avery,Bain, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Cornelius, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Finch,Foster,Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Harrell, Henry, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Lane, Longshore, Meador, Parks, Pettus, Sayre, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Webb, White, Wilson, Young—48.

The amendments were adopted. .

The bill was read at length the third time and lost—yeas 43, nays 42.

Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Cornelius, Davis of Fayette, Finch, Foster, Gass. Gilchrist, Gordon, Henry, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Lane, Lewis, Longshore, Meador, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Sayre, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, White—43.

Nays—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander. Appleton, Bass, Brewer, Burford, Coleman, Cooper, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Harrell, Hill, Howle. Hufham, Jackson, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leslie, Long, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Townsend of Pike, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young—42.

Mr. Quarles moved to reconsider the vote by which H. 166 was lost, and then moved to lay that motion on the table.

The consideration of the latter motion was, on motion of Mr. Pettus, postponed and made the special order for Friday after reading the journal.

BILLS ON FIRST READING.

By unanimous consent bills were introduced, read severally the first time, and referred to appropriate committees, as follows:

By Mr. Almon—

H. 346. To incorporate the town of Edwardsville;

Corporations.

Also,

H. 347. To regulate payment of costs in ejectment suits;

Judiciary.

By Mr Leigh (by request)—

H. 348. To repeal an act entitled an act to prohibit the sale, giving away or otherwise disposing of alcoholic, vinous or malt liquors or other intoxicating drinks or fruits preserved in alcoholic liquors within the corporate limits of the town of Moulton. in Lawrence county, or within five miles thereof and other places therein named, approved February 28th, 1889, so far as relates to the corporate limits of Moulton, Lawrence county, or within five miles thereof;

Temperance.

By Mr. Parks—

H. 349. To prohibit the sale, giving away, or otherwise disposing of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, or intoxicating bitters or beverages within four miles of the railroad passenger depot in the town of Bridgeport, Jackson county, Alabama;

Temperance.

By Mr. Clanton—

H. 350. To amend section 1001 of the code ;

Education.

Also,

H. 351. To amend section 968 of the code;

Education.

By Mr. Lane—

H. 352. To regulate the mode and manner of taxing property under mortgage in the state of Alabama;

Ways and means.

By Mr. Leslie (with petition, notice and proof)—

H. 353. To prohibit the sale, giving away, or otherwise disposing of spirituous vinous or malt liquors, or other intoxicating beverages, within six miles of the Branch Agricultural Experiment Station and Agricultural School at Abbeville, in Henry county, Alabama ;

Temperance.

By Mr. Adams—

H. 354. To prescribe the powers and duties of the railroad commissioners of Alabama in respect to the rates of charges by persons or corporations operating railroads in this state, for the transportation of passengers and freights; and to provide penalties for the enforcement thereof,

Commerce and common carriers.

By Mr. Armistead—

H. 355. To provide for the payment of witnesses fees in cases of indictment before the grand , jury, where the defendant is not arrested within twelve months after the date of warrant issued for his arrest;

Judiciary.

By Mr. Clayton (with petition, notice and proof)—

H. 356. To permit the sale, giving away, bartering, exchanging or otherwise disposing of alcoholic, spirituous, vinous and malt liquors and intoxicating bitters, beverages and fruits preserved in alcoholic liquors, within the corporate limits of the town of Clio, an incorporated town, having police regulation, in Barbour county ;

Corporations.

Also,

H. 357. To prohibit the payment or allowance of claims against the estates of decedents which have been barred by the statutes of limitation in the life of such decedent;

Judiciary.

By Mr. Loveless—

H. 358. To incorporate "The Brewton Institute," of Brewton, Alabama;

Corporations.

By Mr. Leslie—

H. 359. To amend section 5 of an act entitled an act to regulate the holding of the circuit court of Henry county, approved February 17th, 1885;

Judiciary.

By Mr. Sayre (by request)

H. 360. To amend section 1583 (2008) of the code of Alabama;

Also (by request, with notice)—

H. 361. For the relief of Thos. C. Bingham ;

Judiciary.

Also (by request)—

H. 362. To authorize payment of account of the Brown Printing Company;

Accounts and claims.

By Mr. Edwards—

H. 363. To fix the time of taking up the civil and criminal dockets and hearing causes thereon in the circuit court of Dale county;

Judiciary.

Also,

H. 364. To amend an act, entitled an act to fix and regulate the time and place of holding the circuit court for the several counties in the state, so far as the same applies to the county of Dale;

Judiciary.

By Mr. Rather—

H 365. To bring non-residents into court by publication

Judiciary,

Also,

H. 366. To provide for a system of waterworks for the city of Sheffield, Colbert couuty ;

Corporations.

By Mr. Davis of Lamar—

H. 367. To provide for the drawing and summoning petit jurors for the second week of the circuit court of Lamar county, for the spring term, 1891;

Judiciary.

By Mr. Amason of Tallapoosa—

H. 368. To prohibit the selling or giving away of any spirituous, vinous or malt liquors or intoxicating bitters within four miles of any church or school house not in any incorporated town or city ;

Temperance.

By Mr. Long—

H. 369. To provide for elections in Jasper beat, Horse Creek beat, Days Gap beat, and Carbon Hill beat in Walker county, Alabama, to determine whether or not the sale, giving away or otherwise disposing of vinous, malt or spirituous liquors in the incorporated towns now in said beats shall be prohibited;

Local legislation.

By Mr. Cooper—

H. 370. To authorize the mayor and city council of Anniston to issue bonds of said city for an amount not exceed-

ing fifty thousand dollars for the purpose of purchasing land and erecting and equipping school buildings thereon;

Education.

Also,

H. 371. To better protect guests of hotels, inns and boarding houses from damage by fire ;

Judiciary.

By Mr. Harrell—

H. 372. To amend the caption and sections one (1) and eight (8) of an act entitled an act to prevent horses, mules, asses, cows, hugs, sheep and goats from running uncontrolled on crops in beat number five and beat number eight in Butler county, and to prescribe a rule of damages, and rules of protection in the trial of cases under this act, approved February 18, 1889;

Local legislation.

Also,

H. 373. To prohibit the sale, giving away, bartering, exchanging or otherwise disposing of any vinous, spirituous, or malt liquors, or intoxicating bitters or beverages of anv kind whatsoever in beat number twelve in the county of Butler, except within the corporate limits of the city of Greenville ;

Temperance.

By Mr. Young—

H. 374. To amend section 4 of an act entitled an act to more effectively secure competent and well qualified jurors in the several counties of this state with the exception that the provisions of this act shall not apply to the counties of Henry, Mobile, Dallas, Talladega, Clay, Marengo, Cherokee, Etowah, St. Clair, Coffee, Dale, Geneva, Marshall and Montgomery, approved February 28, 1887, so far as the same relates to the county of Marion;

Local legislation.

By Mr. Smith of Dallas, (by request)—

H. 375. To prhibit public ginners from receiving or ginning seed cotton between sun set and sun rise in Dallas county;

Agriculture.

By Mr. Pettus, (by request)—

H. 376. To create a separate school district of certain fractional townships in Dallas county ;

Judiciary.

By Mr. Gilchrist (by request)—

H. 377. To establish the State Industrial College for colored students, and to provide for the control and maintenance of the same ;

Education.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

The chairmen of the several committees reported favorably to the following bills, which were severally read a second time and placed upon the calendar

H. 216. To amend sub-division two of section 839 of the code of Alabama, (with substitute.)

H. 48. To authorize the increase of the capital stock and bonded indebtedness of private corporations, organized under special charters.

H. 110. To amend an act entitled an act to provide for the times of holding the circuit court in the sixth judicial circuit of this state, approved February 19, 1889, so far as Lamar county is concerned, (with substitute.)

H. 158. For the relief of M. A. Jennings of Shelby county, (with substitute.)

H. 128. To amend section 430 of the code.

H. 278. To authorize the city of Bessemer to issue its bonds for an amount not exceeding ($50,000.00) fifty thousand and no 100 dollars for the purpose of building and constructing sewers, improving the streets, building school houses, making other permanent improvements in and paying the floating debt of said city, (with amendment.)

s. 40. To authorize and allow execution to be issued on any judgment which has been, or may hereafter be properly registered in the office of the judge of probate, (with amendment.)

H. 264. To amend the charter of the city of Anniston.

H. 333. To incorporate the city of. Girard, Russell county.

H. 248. To establish a new charter for the city of Birmingham.

H. 329. To ratify and confirm the organization of the Alabama State Land Company.

H. 328. To ratify and confirm all contracts, sales, conveyances and mortgages made by or to the Alabama State Land Company since November 11, 1886.

s. 43. To amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the city of Fort Payne, DeKalb county, Alabama, approved February 28, 1889.

BEPORT FROM COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr Speaker :

The committee on enrolled bills report the following bills correctly enrolled:

H. 30. To authorize the court of county commissioners of Etowah county to issue bonds of said county to an amount not exceeding seventy-five thousand dollars for the purpose of securing the means to construct the court house and furnish the same with suitable furniture and for the purpose of paying for building an addition to the jail fur said county.

H. 35. To amend section 1434 of the code.

C. C. RATHER,
Chairman.

SIGNING OF BILLS.

The speaker of the house, in the presence of the house, immediately after their titles had been publicly read by the clerk, signed the bills, the titles of which are set out in the foregoing report of the commtitee on enrolled bills.

On motion the house adjourned till 10 a. m. Friday next.

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FIFTEENTH DAY.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
FRIDAY, November 28, 1890.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.

A quorum was present.

Prayer by the Rev. Mr. Thompson, of the city.

The journal of Wednesday was read and approved.

RECONSIDERATION.

By unanimous consent Mr. Quarles withdrew his motion to table the motion to reconsider the vote by which

H. 166. To amend section 128 of the code of 1886 ;

Was lost, and the action by which the bill was lost was reconsidered.

The vote ordering the bill to a third reading was reconsidered,

Whereupon Mr. Quarles offered the folloging amendment which was odopted :

SECTION 3. Be it further enacted, That the provisions of this bill shall go into effect on and after the election and induction into office of the attorney-general chosen at the next general election.

The bill was read the third time at length and passed—yeas, 61, nays 31.

Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell. Brewer, Brown. Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Edwards, Finch, Foster. Gass, Gilchrist, Henry, Johnson,Jones,Judge, Kelly, Lane,Leigh,Lewis,Long,Longshore, Meador, Parks, Pettus, Powell, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Sayre, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Watters, White, Wood, Wilson, —61.

Nays—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Amason of Tallapoosa, Bass, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Forman, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Poole, Purifoy, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Townsend of Pike, Webb, Whatley, Young—31.

SPECIAL ORDERS.

H. 141. To increase the jurisdiction of justices of the peace in Tuskaloosa, Blount, Crenshaw, Fayette, Cherokee, Macon, Morgan and Chilton counties.

The bill was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 69, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Almon, Am-

ason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Burford, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper,Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, David of Fayette, Davis of Winston, Finch, Foster, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lewis, Long, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Simmons, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young—69.

MESSAGE FBOM THE GOVERNOR.

By his private secretary Mr. Jackson.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
MONTGOMERY,
November 28, 1890.

Gentlemen of the Senate and of the House of Representatives :

In accordance with an act approved February 27, 1889, the governor, state auditor and attorney-general, assisted by the examiner of public accounts,inquired into the claim of Thos.H. Skinner and other bondsmen of M. H. McNeil, former tax collector of the county of Marengo, and after giving a full opportunity to all the parties to be heard, no evidence was presented in behalf of the claim, and the board unanimously reported that there was no liability of the state on this account.

The report of the examiner of public accounts on file in this office is referred to for details of this investigation.

Respectfully,

THOS. SEAY.

The message was ordered to lay on the table for future reference of the house.

MESSAGE FBOM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker :

The senate has passed the following bills :

H. 76. To amend section 4816 (vol. II.) code of Alabama.

H. 83. To amend rule four of chancery practice, page 811,code of Alabama.

H. 100. To legalize the marriage of James A. Tindell and Winnie O. Tindell, the widow of Samuel Tindell now deceased, the uncle of said James A. Tindell of Dale county, Alabama.

H. 108. To fill the vacancy caused by the death of John Swann, one of the trustees under the act, approved February 23, 1876.

WM. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SPECIAL REPORT.

Mr. Sayre from a special committee made the following report, which was adopted. The committee was discharged.

Mr. Speaker;

The joint committee to which was referred the mattter of making arrangements for the inauguration of governor Jones submit the following report, to-wit:

They recommend that the inauguration take place on Monday the 1st, proximo, and they have adopted and suggest the following program :

That the procession form on Commerce street with its head opposite the Exchange hotel, at 11:30 a. m.,on Monday, December 1,1890. The line of march will be up Dexter avenue to the capitol.

The military.

1. Carriage, governor and Mrs. Seay,governor elect and Mrs. Jones.

2. Carriage, president of senate and speaker of house.

3. Carraige, chairman of joint committee, chaplain, secretary of the senate and clerk of the house.

4. Carriage, joint committee.

5. Carriage, judges of the supreme court.

6. Carriage, attorney-general, clerk of supreme court, marshal supreme court and health officer.

7. Carriage, secretary of state, auditor, superintendent of education and treasurer.

8. Carraige, commissioner of agriculture, president university and president A. & M. college.

9. Carriage, inspector of convicts, railroad commission, examiner of public accounts.

10. Mayor of Montgomery and city council in carriages. The inaugural address will be delivered from the steps of the capitol in the presence of the general assembly; the oath of office to be administered by the chief justice of the supreme court.

Respectfully submitted,

S. D. BLOCH,
J. C. COMPTON,
Committee on part of senate.
A. D. SAYRE,
THQS. K. JONES,
J. A. WATTEKS,
Committee on part of house.

REPOBT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE.

Mr. Speaker :

The committee of conference on the disagreeing vote of the two houses on the house joint resolution fixing the time of adjournment for the recess, and date of re-assembling, have had the same under consideration, and beg leave to report as follows:

That the senate recede from its amendment of the said house joint resolution, and that the joint resolution as it came from the house be adopted.

M. L. STANSEL,
NOBLEET HARRIS,
JOHN H. PARKER.
On part of senate.
J. A. WATTERS,
J. M. AMASON,
W. H. CLANTON.
On part of house.

And the report was adopted.

BESOLUTIONS

Were offered as follows :

By Mr. Brown—

Resolved, That on and after Monday next and until otherwise ordered, this house shall assemble at 9½ o'clock, a. m.,

of each day and adjourn at 2 o'clock p. m. Referred to committee on rules.

By Mr. Steele—

Resolved, That the committee on education be instructed to inquire into the expediency and propriety of admitting students of both sexes to the various state institutions of learning, and what legislation, if any is necessary to accomplish such a result.

And said committee is further instructed to inquire into the propriety and expediency of establishing a woman's industrial department or annex in connection with the A. & M. college and to report by bill or otherwis .

BILLS ON FIRST READING.

The following bills were introduced, read the first time severally, and referred to appropriate committees as follows :

By Mr. Clayton—

H. 378. To make appropriation for the payment of the railroad commission;

Appropriations.

By Mr. Cornelius, (with petition.)—

H. 379. For the relief of John H. Vandiver, tax collector of Cherokee county, Alabama:

Judiciary.

By Mr. Edwards—-

H. 380. To prevent the selling, giving away, or otherwise disposing of any confectionaries, lemonades, soda water, or beverages of any kind, at, or within one mile of any of the singing conventions held in Dale county ;

Temperance.

Also,

H. 381.. To incorporate the city of Ozark in the county of Dale ;

Corporations.

By Mr. Pettus—

H. 382. To define what constitutes an assault with intent to murder;

Judiciary.

By Mr. Davis of Fayette—

H. 383. To dispose of the fees, commissions and allowances allowed by law to the judge of probate in Fayette county ;

Judiciary.

Also,

H. 384. To change the mode of compensating the judge of probate in Fayette county ;

Judiciary.

By Mr. Judge—

H. 385. To amend section 629 of the code of Alabama by adding thereto sub-division 42 ;

Ways and means.

By Mr. Brown—

H. 386. To enlarge and regulate the jurisdiction of justices of the peace and notaries public, who are ex-officio Justices of the peace, for precincts 21 and 37, in the city of Birmingham, and precinct 33 in the city of Bessemer, Jefferson county, Alabama;

Judiciary.

Also,

H. 387. To amend section two of an act entitled an act to authorize the Macon and Birmingham railroad company, a corporation under the laws of Georgia, to construct, maintain and operate its railroad within the state of Alabama, and do all other things needful for that purpose, approved February 27,1889;

Judiciary.

By Mr. Lane—

388. To prohibit the sale of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors within four miles of O'Neal school house in Limestone county, Alabama; ,,.

Temperanee.

By Mr. Bishop—

H. 389. To authorize and empower the Nashville, Chattanooga and Mt. Louis Railway to construct, operate and maintain its road, or a branch thereof, in and through the counties of Madison, Marshall and Etowah in the State of Alabama;

Commerce and common carriers.

Also,

H. 390. To provide for the compensation of sheriffs and their deputies in county and general elections ;

Local legislation.

By Mr. Blackwell—

H. 391. To provide for the safety and convenience of females going into or out of passenger trains on the various railways in the State of Alabama ;

Commerce and common carriers.
By Mr. Steele—
H. 392. To provide for the apportionment of the public school fund without regard to race ;
Education.
By Mr. Young—
H. 393. To provide for the collection of taxes from persons removing from one county to another during the tax year;
Ways and means.
Also,
H. 394. To amend section 458 of the code;
Ways and means.
By Mr. Lewis—
H. 395. To prohibit the hiring out of the county convicts of Mobile county, and to provide for working them upon the public roads and a county farm ;
Penitentiary and criminal administration;
Also,
H. 396. To amend subdivision 3 of section 629 of the code;
Ways and means.
By Mr. Kelly—
H. 397. To provide for amendment of defects in certificates by commissioners to depositors;
Judiciary.
By Mr. Sparkman (with petition)—
H. 398. To establish a separate school district, to be known as the Hartsell School District, in Morgan county, Alabama, and for the election of a board of trustees for said school district with certain powers and privileges;
Education.
Also,
H. 399. To amend section (9) nine of an act to establish the city court of Decatur, approved February 8th, 1889 ;
Judiciary.
Also, with petition,
H. 400. To repeal an act entitled an to regulate the issuance of license to sell vinous, spirituous or malt liquors in the county of Morgan in so far as the same relates to precinct number one of said county ;
Local legislation.
Also,

H. 401. To provide for the more efficient working. keeping up, repairing and improving the public roads and bridges in the county of Morgan; to locate, construct, and build within the limits of the county, a system of public roads of a superior grade, to be known and designated as "county roads;"

Public roads and highways.

By Mr. Scott—

H. 402. To make repairs on the capitol building, for furniture in the public rooms, and for work on the capitol grounds;

Appropriations.

By Mr. Foster—

H. 403. To provide for the recovery of specific property before justices of the peace, and notaries public, with like powers, and to regulate the practice in such cases;

Judiciary.

By Mr. Simmons—

H. 404. To prevent any person betting, or buying and selling pool on any candidate for office in the State of Alabama ;

Revision of laws.

Also,

H 405. “To incorporate the East Alabama Male and Female Institute, Notasulga, Alabama ;"

Education.

Also, (with petition.)—

H. 406. To levy and collect a tax on dogs in Macon county;

Ways and means.

By Mr. Lee of Conecuh—

H. 407. To regulate the fine, and forfeiture fund of Conecuh county, and the disposal of moneys arising from fines, forfeitures and convict labor in said county ;

Local legislation.

By Mr. White, (with petition.)—

H. 408. To prohibit the sale, giving away or otherwise disposing of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, or intoxicating bitters or beverages, or fruits preserved in alcohol liquors in Scotfs Walthaiï and Cunningham precints in Perry county ;

Temperance.

Mr. Adams presented a petition from commissioners court

Of Jefferson county, and judge of city court of Birmingham with reference to the fees of solicitor of Jefferson county, which was referred to the judiciary committee.

The speaker submitted a memorial from the Alabama Baptist State Convention with reference to licenses to retail liquors, which was referred to committee on temperance.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

The chairmen of the several committees reported favorably on the following bills :

H. 273½. To revive section 4202 of the code of 1886, so far as the same may have reference to the county of Geneva and to make it applicable to the said county of Geneva, and repeal an act entitled an act to repeal section 4031 of the revised code of 1867, so far as said act relates to the county of Geneva, (with substitute.)

H. 271. To amend au act to establish a court of county revenues for Dallas county.

H 214. To allow the constable of beat No. 36, in Dallas county, Alabama, to appoint deputies.

H. 69. To amend 1he charter of the city of Uniontown, county of Perry, State of Alabama, (with amendment)

s. 25. To require railroad companies to provide suitable water closets on passenger cars or coaches.

S. 38. To require all butchers and dealers in live stock in Mobile county, to keep a register of all stock purchased or received by them.

H. 254. To amend section 4429 of the code of Alabama.

H. 219. To authorize the commissioners court of Russell county to lay off said county into four commissioners districts, and to provide the manner of electing the county commissioners.

H. 158. To amend section 497 of the code.

H. 263. To constitute the city of Anniston a separate school district and to provide a board of education therefor.

s. 36. To make the office of commissioner of agriculture elective, (with amendment.)

H. 14. To make appropriations for the ordinary expenses of the executive, legislative and judicial departments of the state, for interest on the public debt and for public schools, (with amendment.)

H. 334. To incorporate the Fayette Alliance Union, at Fayette, Fayette county, Alabama.

s. 59. To authorize the city council of Montgomery to issue bonds for school purposes, and for funding its market-house bonds, and for paving the streets of the city of Montgomery.

s. 57. To create a board of equalization of tax assessments on property within the city of Montgomery.

H. 341. To amend an act to establish a charter for the city of Troy, in Pike county.

s. 30. To amend the charter of the Birmingham Waterworks Company.

s. 14. To amend and confirm the charter of the Foster Hardware Manufacturing Company, a corporation organized under the general incorporation laws of the state, to change the name of said company, and to reduce the amount of the capital stock.

H. 335. To amend an act, to prohibit the sale, giving away or otherwise disposing of' spirituous, vinous or malt liquors for gain, in beat one, Lee county, Alabama, and to provide for an election therein, approved February 28, 1887.

H. 321. To prohibit the sale, giving away or otherwise disposing of spirituous,vinous or malt liquors, or intoxicating bitters within two miles of Pinetucky church in Cleburne county.

H. 97. To prohibit the sale, giving away, delivering o[r] otherwise disposing of vinous, spirituous or malt liquors within five miles of LaFayette College, in LaFayette, Chambers county, Alabama.

H. 256. To amend section one of an act to prohibit the sale or giving away of spirituous or vinous liquors in one mile of Spring Hill church, in Pike county, Alabama, approved February 25, 1875.

H. 269. To prohibit the sale of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors within three miles of Antioch church, near Elizabeth post office, in Coffee county.

H. 190. To prohibit the sale, giving away, or otherwise disposing of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, or intoxicating bitters, or beverages within five miles of Mountain Springs Baptist church, Chambers county.

H. 361. To require all person or persons who sell or expect to sell liquors, to make publication in the county newspapers for thirty days previous to the time, he or they ex-

pect to present his or their petition to the people for proper signatures to the same.

H. 298. To prohibit the sale, giving away or otherwise disposing of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors within two miles of Liberty church, in Henry county.

H. 302. To prohibit the sale, giving away or otherwise disposing of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, or intoxicating bitters within two miles of Muscadine Church in Cleburne county, (with substitute.)

H. 273. To amend section one of an act to amend an act entitled an act for the protection of game, and animals, and birds in the counties of Hale, and Cullman, and Greene, approved February 26,1887, so far as the same applies to Hale county, approved February 27, 1889, (with substitute).

H. 151. To provide for a vote of the people on the question of the removal of the court house of Crenshaw county, Alabama, to Luverne, and providing for such removal if the people so decide.

H. 226. To amend an act in relation to the trial of misdemeanors in Tuskaloosa and other counties therein named, in so far as the same relates to Tuskaloosa county.

H. 50. For the relief of Robert E. Yarbrough, a minor, of Lee, from the disabilities of non-age.

H. 217. To authorize the laying off the county of Pike into commissioners districts, and providing for the election of commissioners by the qualified voters of the county.

H. 202. To have testimony of witnesses before the grand jury of Franklin county kept.

H. 165. For the relief of James P. Steely, Mary Steely, Roland Wood and Elizabeth Russell of Jackson county.

H. 37. To prevent the cutting of timber, rolling logs, or throwing bushes into any of the running streams in Jackson county, Alabama.

s. 52. To regulate the admission of patients in the Alabama Insane Hospital.

H. 338. To provide for the payment for the publication of the laws of & general and public character, passed at the second sitting of the general assembly of Alabama, with an amendment.

The above and foregoing bills were severally read a second time and placed on the calendar.

JOINT CONVENTION.

At 12 o'clock m. the members of the senate and of the house of representatives of the State of Alabama, convened in joint assembly in the hall of the house of representatives for the purpose of choosing by a viva voce vote of each member present, one person for United States senator.

There were present of the senate :

Messrs. President, Bradley, Berry, Bloch, Cowan, Compton, Davie, Grant, Godfrey, Handley, Haralson, Harris of Hale, Hayes, Hundley, Inzer, Lackey, Milner, Minge, Nesmith, Parker, Parks, Reynols, Skeggs, Smith of Autauga, Smith of Mobile, Stallworth, Stansel, Steagall, Waddell, Wiley and Williams—31.

And of the house:

Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barr.ett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton. Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Finch, Foreman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young—98.

The president stated that, the joint assembly would proceed to the election of a United States senator.

Mr. Screws withdrew the name of Mr. Watts.

Mr. Adams withdrew the name of Mr. Kolb.

The joint assembly then proceeded to choose by a viva voce vote of each member present a person for senator:

And the following senators voted for James L. Pugh for senator in the congress of the United States of a term beginning on the 4th day of March, 1891 :

Messrs. President, Berry, Bloch, Compton, Davie, Grant, Godfrey, Haralson, Hayes, Inzer, Milner, Parker, Parks,

Reynolds, Skeggs, Smith of Autauga, Stallworth, Steagall, Waddell, Wiley and Williams—21.

And the following senators voted for Thos. Seay for senator in the congress of the United States for a term beginning on the 4th day of March, 1891 :

Messrs. Bradley, Cowan Handley, Harris of Hale, Hundley, Lackey, Minge, Nesmith, Smith of Mobile, and Stansel—10.

And the following representatives voted for James L. Pugh for senator in the congress of the United States, to succeed James L. Pugh, for a term beginneg on the 4th day of March, 1891:

Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Ayres, Barnett, Bass, Brewer, Buck, Burford, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius,Crews,Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Edwards,Forman, Foster, Gilchrist, Gordon, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Tje.wis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Watters, Whatley, White, Wood, Young—69.

And the following representatives voted for Thomas Seay for senator in the congress of the United States, to succeed James L. Pugh, for a term beginning on the 4th day of March, 1891 :

Messrs. Amason of Sumter, Avery, Bain Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Clanton. Davis of Fayette, Davis of Winston, Finch, Gass, Guthrie, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Lane, Leigh, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Smaw, Smith of Dallas. Sparkman,Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone,Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Wilson—29.

And the president of the senate then declared that

James L. Pugh had received 90 votes,

And that Thomas Seay had received 39 votes;

That in all 129 votes had been cast; that James L. Pugh having received the ballots of a majority of all the members elected to both houses of the general assembly of Alabama, was legally and constitutionally elected senator in the congress of the United States, from the State of Alabama, for the full term beginning on the 4th day of March, A. D.,

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On motion of Mr. Adams of the house, a committee of three was appointed to wait on Mr. Pugh, notify him of his election, and invite him to the hall of the house to address the joint assembly.

Committee—Messrs. Adams, Screws and Avery.

The committee soon returned with Senator Pugh and he addressed the joint assembly.

The president of the senate then declared that the purpose of the joint convention having been accomplished, it was dissolved ;

And the senate retired to its chamber.

On motion of Mr. Adams the house adjourned till 10 o'clock a. m. to-morrow.

SIXTEENTH DAY.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
SATURDAY, November 29,1890.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Thompson, of the city.

A quorum was present.

The journal of yesterday was read and approved.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Was granted to Messrs. Pettus, Lane, Edwards, Bass, Parker, Townsend of Pike, Harrell, Wilson, Cooper, Avery, Johnson, Poole, Leslie, for one day and to Mr. Kelly until Thursday next.

RESOLUTIONS CONSIDERED.

Mr. Steele's resolution with reference to the propriety of admitting students of both sexes in state institutions of learning was adopted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON RULES.

Mr. Brewer, from the committee on rules, submitted the following report:

Rule 55. That on and after Tuesday next the sittings of this house shall begin at nine (9) o'clock a. m., and close for the day at one (l)o'clock p. m. Provided, That on Tuesday next this house shall also sit from three (3) o'clock p. m. till five and a half (5½) o'clock, p. m.

Mr. Lee of Conecuh, offered the following as a substitute:

Resolved, That from and after Tuesday next this house will convene at 9 a. m. and adjourn at 1 p. m., reconvene at 3 p. m. and adjourn at 5 p. m.

Mr. Pettus moved to amend the substitute by inserting "9 :30" where "9" now occurs.

Adopted.

Mr. Brewer moved to amend the resolution by adding the following words : Provided, that afternoon sessions shall be devoted exclusively to the consideration of local bills on the calendar.

Adopted.

And as amended the substitute was adopted.

REPORT FROM COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Speaker:

The committee on enrolled bills report the following bills correctly enrolled:

H. 76. To amend section 4816, (vol. I,) of the code of Alabama.

H. 83. To amend rule 4, of chancery practice, page 811. code of Alabama.

H. 100. To legalize the marriage of James A. Tindell and Winnie O. Tindell, the widow of Samnel Tindell, now deceased, the uncle of the said James A. Tindell, of Dale county, Alabama.

H. 108. To fill the vacancy caused by the death of John Swann, one of the trustees under the act approved February 23rd, 1876.

C.C. RATHER,
Chairman.

SIGNING OF BILLS.

The speaker of the house, in the presence of the house, immediately after their titles had been publicly read by the clerk, signed the bills, the titles of which are set out in the foregoing report of the committee on enrolled bills.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

By Mr. Jackson, his private secretary.

CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICE,
MONTGOMERY, ALABAMA,
November 29, 1890.

Gentlemen of the Senate and of the House of Representatives:

Since the adjournment of the general assembly in February, 1889, I have to report, in compliance with section 21 of an act,

"To ratify and confirm the settlement of the existing indebtedness of this state, us proposed in the report of the commissioners appointed under the act approved 17th of December, 1874, and which was communicated to the general assembly by message of the governor of 24th of January, 1876, and to carry said settlement into effect by the issuance of new bonds of this state, at a reduced rate of interest, in adjustment of a portion of said indebtedness, and the surrender of certain securities held by the state in discharge of another portion of said indebtedness" approved February 23rd, 1876, the following bond exchanges :

On March 4th,]889, I took up and cancelled thirteen bonds, numbered from 126 to 138 both inclusive for 225 pounds, having June, 1875 coupon attached, and issued under an act approved February 17, 1870, together with scrip for $95.00 ; and issued in lieu thereof 28 class "A" bonds, with July, 1889, coupons attached, of $500.00 each, numbered 7370 to 7397, both inclusive, and 3 class "A" bonds, with July, 1889, coupon on of $100.00 each, numbered 9159, 9160 and 9161, together with scrip for $30.00 to balance.

On the 18th of March, 1889, I look up and cancelled one bond number 51, with January, 1867, coupon attached, issued under act of December 15th, 1865, for $100.00; and

issued in lieu thereof one class “A” bond, with July, 1889, coupon attached numbered 9162 and for $100.00.

On April 16th. 1889, I took up and cancelled one Alabama and Chattanooga endorsed bond number 794, with July, 1872, coupon attached, for $1000.00; and issued in lieu thereof scrip of that date for $191.24.

On the 18th of April, 1889, for ten Alabama and Chattanooga endorsed bonds, numbered 291, 294, 295, 296, 354, 355, 358, 398, 399 and 609, with July,1872, coupon attached, of $1,000.00 each, and $553.00 in scrip of date October 4th, 1886; I issued 2 class “C” bonds numbered 966 and 967, with January, 1890, coupon on for $1,000.00 each, and $465.40 in scrip.

On the 26th of April, 1889, in lieu of four A. & C. endorsed bonds of $1,000.00 each, numbered 2915, 2963 and 4693 (with July, 1873, coupon) and 1252 (July, 1872, coupon) and scrip for $82.60, dated Angust, 12th, 1887; for $147.40 dated October 26th, 1887; for $191.24, dated April 17th, 1889, which were taken up and cancelled; I issued one class “C” bond numbered 968 for $1,000.00, with January, 1890, coupon attached, and scrip for $166.76.

On March 11th, 1889, I took up and cancelled four bonds numbered 32, 33, 34 and 35 for $1,000.00 each, with September, 1873, coupon attached, of the act of February 25th, 1873; and issued in lieu thereof eight class “A” bonds of $500.00 each, numbered 7398 to 7405, both inclusive with July, 1889, coupons.

Three A. & C. endorsed bonds, numbered 194, 195 and 196, with July, 1872, coupons attached of $1,000.00 each, and scrip for $465.40 of date April 22nd, 1889, were on the 22nd of August, 1889, taken up and cancelled; and I issued in lieu thereof one class "C" bond numbered 969, for $1,000.00, with January, 1890, coupon attached, and scrip for $39.13.

For one five per cent. stock certificate, numbered 1545 for $1,000.00, with November, 1873, coupon attached, issued under act 18th January, 1866, and two five per cent. stock certificates of $100.00 each, numbered 432 and 433, with November, 1873, coupons issued under acts December 15, 1865, and February 13, 1866, which were on the 15th of May, 1890, taken up and cancelled, I issued two class “A” bonds numbered 7406 and 7407 of $500.00 each, with January, 1891,coupon attached, and two numbered 9163 and 9164 of $100.00 each, bearing same coupons.

On the 19th of August, 1890, I took up and cancelled four bonds of $500.00 each, numbered 162, 163, 165 and 169 with January, 1874, coupons, issued under act of August 12th, 1868 ; bond number 186 for $1,000.00 of act of December 15th, 1865, and fourteen bonds of $500.00 each, numbered 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 12, 13, 14, 15, 25, 26, 27, 28 and 29 of act of December 15th, 1865, with January, 1874, coupons attached; issuing in lieu thereof 20 class "A" bonds, with January, 1891, coupons attached, for $500.00 each, numbered from 7408 to 7427, both inclusive.

It is with pleasure that I call your attention to my special message of February 21st, 1889, wherein I referred to an error against the state in the exchange of certain bonds for Hollgarten & Co., on June 20th, 1879. I then stated to you that I was informed that the loss to the state would be made good. I now report, without application for relief ever having been made, the amount due the state, principal and interest, to wit: $1,350.00 has been covered into the treasury.

Finally I direct your attention to section 15 of an act appreved February 28th, 1887, which instructs the governor to insure the state treasurer for one hundred thousand dollars in such guaranty or indemnity company as he might select. I have made assiduous effort to accomplish this guaranty but have not succeeeed in doing so.

The watchfulness and fidelity of the present state treasurer is an assurance for the security of the funds, but I am of the opinion that the policy of causing the money in the treasury to be secured by guaranty companies is a good one and that the efforts to secure the insurance should be continued and in an amount sufficient to cover the money in the treasury. Respectfully,

` THO'S SEAY,

The foregoing message was read and referred to the committee on ways and means.

BIILS ON FIRST READING.

The following bills were introduced, read the first time severally, and referred to appropriate committees as follows :

By Mr. Lee of Barbour—

H. 409. To punish the distilling of spirituous liquors other than the distillation of fruits;

Temperance.

Also,

H. 410. To permit a married woman to testify in favor of her husband when the husband is prosecuted on a criminal charge;

Judiciary.

By Mr. Davidson—

H. 411. To establish a charter for the town of Oneonto ;

Corporations.

Also,

H. 412. To create a separate school district for the city of Oneonto, Alabama ;

Education.

By Mr. Cornelius—

H. 413. Regulating the introduction of evidence in certain cases;

Judiciary.

Also,

H. 414. Taxing the cost to the state in certain cases;

Judiciary.

Also,

H. 415. To authorize the chancellors to render decrees in vacation in certain cases;

Judiciary.

By Mr. Tucker of Crenshaw—

H. 416. To incorporate the town of Luverne, in the county of Crenshaw;

Corporations.

By Mr. Quarles—

H. 417. To amend section 174 of the code of Alabama;

Military.

By Mr. Smaw—

H. 418. To amend an act passed by the General Assembly of Alabama, and approved February 28th, 1889, entitled an act for the preservation of game animals and birds in the county of Greene;

Local legislation.

By Mr. Parks—

H. 419. To prohibit the sale, giving away or otherwise disposing of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, or intoxicating bitters or beverages, within five miles of the Cumberland Presbyterian church, located in the town of Larkinsville, in Jackson county, and in the State of Alabama;

Temperance.

Also,

H. 420. To prohibit the sale, giving away or otherwise disposing of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, or intoxicating bitters or beverages, within the limits of precinct number (10) ten in Jackson county ;

Temperance.

By Mr. Henry—

H. 421. To create a board of education for the town of Avondale, and to prescribe the powers and duties of the same;

Education.

Also,

H. 422. To authorize the mayor and councilmen of the town of Avondale to issue bonds of said town for an amount not exceeding fifteen thousand dollars, for the purpose of building a school house, paying floating debt of the town, improving the streets, constructing sewers, and making other permanent improvements in said town ;

Judiciary.

By Mr. Brown—

H. 433. To allow the state to introduce evidence of the good character of the deceased on the trial of cases of felonious homicide;

Judiciary.

Also,

H. 424. To prevent any person from threatening the life of another;

Judiciary.

Also,

H. 425. To amend section twenty-five hundred and thirty-three (2533) of the civil code of Alabama ;

Judiciary.

Also,

H. 426. To amend section 67 of the code of Alabama ;

Fees and salaries.

Also,

H. 427. To regulate the service of process in Jefferson county ;

Judiciary.

Also,

H. 428. To amend section 2 of an act entitled an act to create the tenth judicial circuit of the State of Alabama, and to fix the time for holding court therein, and to provide for the

appointment and election of a judge and solicitor for said circuit, approved December 12th, 1888 ;

Judiciary.

By Mr.Meador (with notlce and proof)—

H. 429. To change the name of Annie Rebecca Hamilton, of Marengo county, to that of Annie Rebecca Watts;

Revision of laws.

By Mr. Lewis—

H. 430. To ratify and confirm the re-organization of the People's Savings Bank, and to declare the powers and term of life of the People's Bank;

Revision of laws.

By Mr. Gass (with petition)—

H. 431. To prohibit the sale, giving away or otherwise disposing of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, or intoxicating bitters or beverages, within eight miles of Oak Grove church, Pickens county, Alabama ;

Temperance.

Also (with petition)—

IL 432. To prohibit the sale, giving away or otherwise disposing of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors within seven miles of Emory Chapel church, in Pickens county, Alabama;

Temperance.

By Mr. Purifoy—

H. 433. To provide of and for the payment of witnesses for the state in the circuit and county courts of Wilcox county, and to prescribe their compensation ;

Local legislation.

By Mr. Northington—

H. 434. To authorize the court exercising the powers of the court of county commissioners of Chilton county, to issue bonds of said county to an amount not exceeding twenty five thousand dollars for the purpns0 of building a court house for said county ;

Judiciary.

By Mr.Clayton—

H. 435. To provide for an additional judge of the supreme court of Alabama;

Judiciary.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

The chairman of the several committees reported favorably on the following bills :

s. 65. To provide for the assessment of state and county taxes on property within the corporate limits of the city of Anniston.

H. 304. To provide for the adoption of a uniform series of text books by the counties of this state for use in the public schools.

H. 315. To incorporate Union Springs Male and Female Institute.

s. 62. To incorporate the Lineville college at Lineville, Clay county, Alabama.

H. 186. To more fully protect the people of this state in the purchase of fertilizers, and to provide that the commissioner of agriculture shall establish such rules and regulations as will give effect to the meaning of this act, (with substitute).

H. 346. To incorporate the town of Edwardsville.

H. 93. To add section 13] 9^ to the code of Alabama (with substitute.)

H. 349. To prohibit the sale. giving away or otherwise disposing of spirituons, vinous or malt liquors or intoxicating bitters or beverages within four miles of the railroad passenger depot in the town of Bridgeport, Jackson county, Alabama, (with substitute).

H. 353. To prohibit the sale, giving away or otherwise disposing 6f spirituous, vinous or nialt liquors, or other intoxicating beverages within six miles of the branch agricultural experiment station and agricultural school, at Abbeville, in Henry county, Alabama, (with substitute.)

H. 373. To prohibit the sale, giving away, bartering exchanging or otherwise disposing of any vinous, spirituous or malt liquors, or intoxicating bitters or beverages of any kind whatsoever in beat number twelve in the county of Butler, except within the corporate limits of the city of Greenville.

H. 94. To amend and add to an act to amend section 1319 of the code, so far as the same relates to the town of Louisville, Barbour county, (with substitute.)

s. 74. To prohibit the sale, giving away or otherwise disposing of vinous, spirituous or malt liquors, intoxicating

bitters or cordials north of the Louisville and Nashville railroad in Baldwin county, Alabama.

H. 313. To amend an act entitled an act to regulate the granting of licenses to sell spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, at, wholesale or retail m the county of Blount, approved December 10, 1886.

Mr. Longshore moved to take—

H. 265. To amend section 248 of the code, from the adverse report and place upon the calendar.

Carried.

Also to take,

H. 290. For the relief of Newton Eddings of Shelby county, from the adverse report and placed it on the calendar.

Carried.

H. 311. To authorize and require the governor to destroy the retired six per cent. bonds.

H. 145. To amend an act to incorporate the Central City Insurance Company, approved November 28, 1863.

The above and foregoing bills were severally read a second time and placed on the calendar.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker:

The senate has originated and passed the following bills :

s. 55. To repeal section 4193 of the code, so far as the same relates to the county of Bullock and county court, and provide for the transfer of the unfinished business in said county to the circuit court of said county.

s. 64. To authorize judges of the circuit and city courts of this state in term time, to apportion costs in actions brought to recover land or the possession thereof, where only a portion of the land sued for is recovered.

s. 69. To confirm the incorporation and organization of the Prattville Cotton Mills and to define,declare and enlarge the powers of said company and to change the name of the same.

s. 80. To allow felonies and misdemeanors of the same class to be joined in the same indictment.

s. 82. To prevent animals from running at large on shell roads, in Mobile county, and to provide a penalty therefor.

s. 86. To regulate the disposition of fines arising from

prosecutions under the laws of this state for cruelty to children and animals.

S. 88. To prohibit the selling, giving away, or otherwise disposing of alcoholic liquor within three miles of Hebron Baptist church in Pickens county.

s. 89. To amend an act entitled an act to amend section 1759 of the code, approved February 26, 1889.

s. 91. To perpetuate the United States government surveys of lands in Dallas county.

s. 98. To incorporate the Montgomery, Hayneville and Camden Railroad.

s. 99. To abolish the county court of Wilcox county.

s. 100. To require chancellors to render final decrees in behalf of complainants in cases in which there are two or more defendants litigating with each other under section 3460 of the code.

s. 104. To repeal in part an act in relation to trials for misdemeanors in Tuskaloosa and other counties therein named, approved March 19, 1875.

s. 78. To provide for bells at public ferries in Wilcox county.

s. 79. To provide for safe and convenient passage of gates across the pub.iic highways in Wilcox county.

And has concurred in the report of the conference committee on the disagreement of the two houses, relative to the date of the reassembling of the general assembly after recess.

And has passed the bills.

H. 13. To incorporate the town of Midland city in the county of Dale.

H. 28. To provide for the election of the four county commissioners of Etowah county by the qualified voters of said county and to prescribe the term of office of said commissioners.

H. 10. To repeal an act entitled an act for the preservation of game animals and birds in the counties of St. Clair, Lauderdale, Colbert, Marengo, Jefferson, Pike and Covington so far as the same relates to the county of Covington.

H. 27. To repeal an act entitled an act to amend section, 3945 of the code of Alabama so far as the same applies to the counties of-Lowndes, Dallas, Perry, Hale and Wilcox.

WM. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

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SENATE MESSAGE.

The senate bills just received, whose titles are set forth in the above and foregoing message, were severally read once and referred to the committee as follows :

s. 55, 64, 80, 89, 100 and 101 to judiciary.
s. 69 to mining and manufacturing.
s. 82, 86 to revision of laws.
s. 88 to temperance.
s. 91, 99, 78 to local legislation.
8. 98 to corporations.
s. 79 to public roads and highways.

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

H. 109. To establish a new charter for the town of Pratt Mines, in Jefferson county.

Mr. Brown offered the following amendments : Amend by striking out in section 3 the words, "first Monday in January, 1891, and biennially on the first Monday in January" and inserting the following: “First Tuesday in March, 1891, and biennially on the first Tuesday in March.

Also, add the following to article 8 : and the police jurisdiction of said municipality shall extend one half mile beyond the corporate limits.

Which were adopted.

The bill was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 67. nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Ayres, Barnett, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Coleman, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson. Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Forman, Foster, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of' Lauderdale, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Young—67.

H. 153. To establish a new charter for the city Cullman, Alabama;

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 57, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Appleton, Armistead, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Coleman, Cornelius, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harris, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Smith of Dallas, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Young—57.

H. 6. To amend section two of an act to incorporate the Anniston Loan and Trust Company, of Anniston, Alabama, approved February 28, 1889,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 64, nays 0.

Yeas-Messrs. Speaker Alexander,Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Armistead, Ayers, Barnett, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Clanton,Coleman, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Forman, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Hill, Hufham, Jackson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh Lewis, Longshore, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre. Scott, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tuckerof Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Young—64.

H. 152. To incorporate the "Alabama Northern Railway Company," and to further construction of the same,

Was read the third time at length, and

On motion of Mr. Pettus, the vote by which the bill was ordered to a third reading was reconsidered, and the bill was committed to the committee on judiciary, with instructions to examine and report as soon as practicable.

s. 36. To make the office of commissioner of agriculture elective,

Was called up by unanimous consent by Mr. Clayton.

The committee offered the following amendment:

Amend by adding to section one of the bill the following:

“Provided, that the present commissioner shall continue

in office until his successor is elected and qualified, and the present commissioner shall continue in office until the 1st day of December, 1892, when his successor shall be qualified;"

Which was adopted.

The bill was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 64, nays 6.

Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Appleton, Armistead, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Forman, Foster, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jones. Kelly, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rousseau, Scott, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Young—64.

Nays—Messrs. Gilchrist, Kemp, Long, Sayre, Smaw and Sparkman—6.

H. 208. To prevent the keeping of restaurants or eating stands in connection with retail liquor houses or saloons;

Numerous amendments were offered, and on motion of Mr. Lewis, the bill and amendments were indefinitely postponed.

H. 333 To incorporate the city of Girard in Russell county, *'

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 67, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Ayres, Barnett, Bevis, Blackwell, Brewer, Burford, Clayton, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Young—67.

The bill was ordered to the senate without engrossment.

H. 14. To make appropriations for the ordinary expenses of the executive, legislative and judiciary departments of the state, for interest on the public debt, and for public schools;

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Lewis, the bill was made a special order for next Tuesday at, 12 o'clock m., and copies of the bill were ordered printed.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker:

The senate has originated and passed and ordered forthwith to the house without engrossment,

s. 66. To constitute the city of Anniston a separate school district and to provide a board of education therefor.

W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The senate bill just received, whose title is set forth in the above and foregoing message, was read once and referred to the committee as follows :

s. 66, to education.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

By his private secretary, Mr. Jackson.

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR,
MONTGOMERY, ALABAMA,
November 29, 1890.

Gentlemen of the Senate and of the House of Representatives :

In accordance with section 12 of article 5 of the constitution of this state, I herewith send you a list of all cases of reprieves, commutations and pardons granted since the 17th day of November, 1888, together with my reasons therefor.

This list does not include those convicts from whose sentence a deduction has been made from term of punishment by the governor, on report by the inspectors, of good con-

duct, as provided by section 4533 of the code. A statement of these may be found on file in the office of the secretary of state, arid of course the reason for the deduction in each case is the alleged good conduct of the convict.
Respectfully,
THOS. SEAY.

The message and accompanying document, were referred to the committee on penitentiary and criminal administration.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

November 29, 1890.
Mr. Speaker :
The president of the senate having signed the following bills, your signature thereto is requested:
s. 22. To provide for the compensation of state witnesses in Mobile county.
s. 21. To dispose of the tine and forfeiture fund in Mobile county, and to provide for the payment of all claims which are by law a charge against said fund.
W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SIGNING SENATE BILLS.

The speaker of the house, in the presence of the house, immediately after their titles had been publicly read by the clerk, signed the senate bills, the titles of which are set out in the foregoing senate message.

RESOLUTION.

By Mr. Gilchrist—
Resolved, That the committee on corporations be instructed to have printed one hundred copies of all bills incorporating stock companies which they may report favorably to this house.
On motion, the house adjourned till 10 o'clock a. m. Monday morning.

SEVENTEENTH DAY.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
MONDAY, December 1, 1890.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.
Prayer by Rev. Dr. Wharton, of the city.
A quorum was present.
The journal of yesterday was read and approved.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Was granted to Messrs. Avery, Hufham, Harris, Lee of Conecuh, Quarles, Smaw, Johnson, Townsend of Pike, for one day, and to Messrs. Davis of' Winston, and Ramsay, indefinitely on accoutit of sickness.

REPORT FROM COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr Speaker :
The committee on enrolled bills report the following bills correctly enrolled :
H. 10. To repeal an act entitled an act for the preservation of same animals and birds in the counties of St. Clair, Lauderdale, Colbert, Marengo, Jefferson, Pike and Covington so far as the same relates to the county of Covington.
H. 27. To repeal an act entitled an act to amend section 3945 of the code of Alabama, so far as kje same applies to the counties of Lowndes, Dallas, Perry, Hale, and Wilcox.
H. 27. To provide for the election of the four county commissioners of Etowah county, by the qualified voters of sai9d county, and. To prescribe the term of office of said com-missioners.
C.C. RATHER,
Chairman.

SIGNING OF BILLS.

The speaker of the house, in the presence of the house, immediately after their titles had been publicly read by the clerk, signed the bills, the titles of which are set out in the foregoing report of' the committee on enrolled bills.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

The chairmen of the several committees reported favorably on the following bills, which were severally read a second time and placed on the calendar:

s. 33. To incorporate the Alabama Methodist Orphanage;

H. 332. To incorporate the town of Seale, in the county of Russell;

H. 356. To permit the sale, giving away, bartering, exchanging, or otherwise disposing of alcoholic, spirituous, vinous and malt liquors and intoxicating bitters, beverages and fruits preserved m alcoholic, liquors, within the corporate limits of the town of Clio, an incorporated town, having police regulation, in Barbour county ;

H. 435. To provide for an additional judge of the supreme court of Alabama;

H. 382. To define what constitutes an assault with intent to murder;

H. 388. To prohibit the sale of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors within four miles of O'Neal school house, in Limestone county, Alabama;

H. 408. To prohibit the sale, giving away, or otherwise disposing of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors or intoxicating bitters or beverages or fruits preserved in alcoholic liquors in Scotts, Walthall and Cunningham precincts in Perry county;

H. 380. To prevent the selling. giving away or otherwise disposing of any confectioneries, lemonades, soda-water or beverages of any kind, at or within one mile of any of the singing conventions held in Dale county.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker :

The senate has amended a& therein shown and as amended has passed the bills,

H. 88. For the preservation of game animals and birds in the county of Walker;

H. 142. To make the fees of bonded constables in the counties of Tuskaloosa, Madison, Jefferson, Etowah, Perry, Franklin, St. Clair. Coosa, Clay, Chambers, Macon, Elmore, Russell, Henry, Colbert, Lee, Dallas, Cherokee, Pickens,

Chilton, Calhoun, Walker, Fayette, Bibb, Escambia, Crenshaw, Cleburne, Talladega, Tallapoosa, Morgan, Blount, Pike, DeKalb, Lauderdale, Limestone, Winston. Bullock, Marshall and Lawrence, the same as sheriff's fees when they perform the same or similar services ;

H. 161. To amend section 1186 of the code ;

H. 163. To amend section 1187 of the code;

And has passed the bills,

H. 45. To incorporate the Birmingham and Little River Coal Company;

H. 40. To incorporate the Birmingham Coal Company;

H. 114. To change and define the corporate limits of Courtland, Alabama, and amending section one of an act entitled an act to incorporate the town of Courtland, in the county of Lawrence, approved December 16th, 1873 ;

H. 136 To incorporate the Confederate Association of Alabama;

H. 71. To fix the compensation of witnesses for the state in all criminal casos in the circuit court of Perry county and before the grand jury of said county and to prescribe when and how they are to be paid ;

H. 169. To provide for the disposition of the volumes of Smith's Condensed Reports now in possession of the secretary of state;

H. 105. To amend section .5 of an act entitled an act to create the office of county solicitor for the county of Hale, to provide for the appointment of said county solicitor and to prescribe his powers and duties, approved February 28, 1889;

And has concurred in the house joint resolution relative to the order of exercises in respect of the inauguration ceremonies.

WM. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE.

On motion, the house concurred in the senate amendment. to

H. 161. To amend section 1186 of the code.

Yeas 79, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Barnett, Bass,

Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius. Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp. Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young—79.

On motion, the house non-concurred in the senate amendment to

H. 88. For the preservation of game animals and birds in the county of Walker;

And requested a committee on conference;

Committee on part of the house—Messrs. Long, Foster and Jones.

On motion, the house non-concurred in the senate amendment to

H. 142. To make the fees of bonded constables in the counties of Tuskaloosa, Madison, Jefferson, Etowah, Perry, Franklin, St. Clair, Coosa, Clay, Chambers, Macon, Elmore, Russell, Henry, Colbert, Lee, Dallas, Cherokee, Pickens, Chilton, Calhoun, Walker, Fayette, Bibb, Escambia, Crenshaw, Cleburne, Talladega, Tallapoosa, Morgan, Blount, Pike, DeKalb, Lauderdale, Limestone, Winston, Bullock, Marshall, and Lawrence, the same as sheriff's fees when they perform the same or similar services.

And requested a committee on conference.

Committee on part of the house :

Messrs. Purifoy, White and Kelly.

On motion, the house concurred in the senate amendment to:

H. 163. To amend section 1187 of the code—yeas 72, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson,

Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Quarles, Rather, Rouseau, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young—72.

RESOLUTIONS

Were offered and adopted as follows :

By Mr. Rather—

Resolved, That the enrolling clerk be authorized to employ assistants when necessary,

By Mr. Clayton—

Resolved by the house, (the senate concurring,) that the senate and house of representatives constituting the general assembly, meet at the hour of 11:50 on to-day in the house of representatives, and that the general assembly then proceed in a body to the portico of the capitol, where the governor elect will take the oath of office in its presence as required by section 66 of the code.

GOVERNOR'S INAUGURATION.

Pursuant to the above joint resolution the two houses of The general assembly of Alabama, assembled in the hall of the house.

Upon a call of the roll of the senate the following senators answered to their names.

Mr. Compton, Grant, Godfrey, Haralson, Harris of Hale, Hayes, Inzer, Lackey, Milner, Minge, Nesmith, Parker, Parks, Reynolds, Skeggs, Smith of Autauga, Smith of Mobile, Stallworth, Stansel, Steagall, Waddel, Williams—22.

Which was a quorum.

And the speaker of the house being absent, Hon. John A. Steele was elected speaker pro tem.

And upon a call of the roll of .the house the following members answerd to their names :

Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brew-

er, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh,Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore,Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington. Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young—98.

Which was a quorum of the house.

A quorum of all the members of both houses of the general assembly being present, the two houses in a body proceeded to the portico of the capitol where the oath of office was administered by chief justice George W. Stone, to the governor elect, of Alabama, Thomas G. Jones, in the presence of both houses of the general assembly.

After which the general assembly returned to the hall of the house, and the object of the joint convention having been accomplished it was dissolved, and the senate retired to its chamber.

And on motion the house adjourned till 9:30 o'clock tomorrow morning.

EIGHTEENTH DAY.

HOUSE OF REPKESBNTATIVES,
WEDNESDAY, Dec. 2,1890.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.
Prayer by Rev. Dr. Wharton, of the city.
A quorum was present.
The journal of yesterday was read and approved.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Was granted to Mr. Scott for one day.

REPORT FROM COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Speaker :

The committee on enrolled bills report the following bills correctly enrolled:

H. 105. To amend section 5 of an act to create the office of county solicitor for the county of Hale, to provide for the appointment of such county solicitor, and to prescribe his powers and duties, approved February 28,1889.

H. 114. To change and define the corporate limits of Courtland, Alabama, and amending section one of an act to incorporate the town of Courtland in the county of Lawrence, approved December 16, 1873.

H. 169. To provide for the disposition of the volumes of Smith's Condensed Reports now in the possession of the secretary of state.

H. 45. To incorporate the Birmingham and Little River Coal Company.

C.C. RATHER,
Chairman.

SIGNING OF BILLS.

The speaker of the house in the presence of the house, immediately after their titles had been publicly read by the clerk, signed the bills, the titles of which are set out in the above report of the committee on enrolled bills.

RESOLUTIONS.

The house proceeded to consider Mr. Gilchrist's resolution with reference to printing corporation bills.

Mr. Brewer offered the following as a substitute :

Resolved by the House (the senate concurring,) that the committee on corporations shall require all stock companies to have printed for the use of this general assembly, two hundred copies of any bill offered by any such company, and such company shall deliver 150 of such printed copy to the

clerk of the house and fifty copies to the secretary of the senate before the bill is reported from the committee or corporations to either house.

Mr. Brown moved to table the substitute and resolution.

Lost.

Mr. Northington moved to table the substitute.

Lost.

Mr. Brown moved to refer the substitute and resolution to the committee on public printing ;

Which on motion of Mr. Brewer, was laid on the table.

And the substitute was then adopted.

MESSA&E PROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker :

The senate has amended as therein shown and, as amended, has passed:

H. 170. To prohibit the sale, giving away, or otherwise disposing of intoxicating liquors within one-half (½) mile in every direction of Bethel church, at Adam's Cotton Mills near the city of Montgomery.

And has originated and passed and ordered forthwith to the house without engrossment, the bills.

s. 92. To amend section 4571 (4546) of the code.

s. 109. To amend section 4533 (5002) of the code.

S. 150. To provide tor the holding of the circuit courts in the counties of Covington, Conecuh, Pike and Butler.

And accedes to the request of the house for a committee of conference on the bill :

H. 70. To authorize the mayor and council of the city of Uniontown to issue bonds of said city for an amount not exceeding twenty-five thousand dollars, bearing six per cent. interest payable semi-annually, for the purpose of erecting or providing said city with waterworks, and for funding the indebtedness of said city.

Committee on the part of the senate : Messrs. Smith of Mobile, Downey and Minge.

W. L. CLAY,

Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE.

On motion, the house non-concurred m the senate amendment to—

H. 170. And requested a committee on conference.

Committee on the part of the house.

Messes. Gilchrist, Lee of Conecuh, and Northington.

The senate bills just received, whose titles are set forth in the above and foregoing message, were severally read once and referred to the committees as follows:

s. 150 to judiciary.

s. 92 and 109 to penitentiary and criminal administration.

RESOLUTIONS

Were offered as follows :

By Mr. Longshore—

Resolved by the house (the senate concurring,) that a committee of four from the house and three from the senate be appointed with authority to sit during recess to take into consideration the necessary amendments to the constitution, and report the results of their investigations to the general assembly when it reassembles in January.

By Mr. Screws—

Resolved, that the committee on temperance is directed to abstain from reporting separately on bills, where the localities seeking relief by such legislation, can be reached by a general bill embodying all the localities so seeking relief.

By Mr. Clayton—

Resolved by the house of representatives (the senate concurring).

First.

That a committee of sixteen, to consist of ten from the house of representatives and six from the senate, be appointed by the presiding officers of each body respectively, to take into consideration the propriety of increasing the number of judicial circuits in this state and of re-arranging the same.

Second.

That said committee shall have authority to sit during the approaching recess of the general assembly,and should they deem if advisable to increase the number of judicial circuits, to prepare and report a bill providing for the same.

Third.

That said committee shall report the result of their investigation within three days after the reassembling of the general assembly.

By Mr. Long—

Resolved, that the committee on mining and manufacturing from the house be requested to meet in session at an early a day as practicable to frame and report some kind of a just and equitable mining law for the State of Alabama.

Also,

Resolved, that the committee on penitentiary and criminal administration for the house be and are hereby requested at their earliest convenience to frame and submit a bill for the consideration of this general assembly to remove as far as practicable all .convicts now working in coal mines in Alabama, and to abolish such a practice in the future, and to devise some plan by which all convicts can be worked outside of coal mines in this state.

By Mr. Clayton—

Resolved by the house of representatives (the senate concurring,) that the governor be requested to return to the house the house bill No. 169, to provide for the sale of certain volumes of Smith's Condensed Reports for the purpose of amending the same so as to provide for the sale of certain volumes of Alabama Reports.

BILLS ON FIRST READING.

Bills were introduced, read the first time severally, and referred to appropriate committees as follows:

By Mr. Moore of Baldwin—

H. 436. To prohibit the sale, giving away, or otherwise disposing of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, within six miles of the courthouse of Daphne in Baldwin county ;

Temperance.

By Mr. Clayton—

H. 437. To amend sections 4429 and 4430 of the code of 1886 ;

Judiciary.

By Mr. Cooper (with notice and proof)—

H. 438. To authorize, empower, and enable Louis Leonard Morgan, a minor, to make his last will and testament;

Judiciary.

By Mr. Nolen (with petition)—

u. 439. To prevent stock from running at large in beats two, three and seventeen in Coosa county ;

Agriculture.

By Mr. Rousseau—

H. 440. To regulate the pay of the judge of probate and clerk of the circuit court of Covington county for services ex-officio;

Judiciary.

By Mr. Pettus—

H. 441. To repeal, and abolish the laws of champerty and maintenance ;

Judiciary.

Also (with petition,)

H. 442. To incorporate "The City School Board of Selma," special committee;

Dallas delegation.

By Mr. Wade—

H. 443. To amend an act to establish a new charter for the town of Attalla, and approved February 28, 1889 ;

Corporations.

Also,

H. 444 To define and regulate the jurisdiction of justices of the peace and notaries public, who are ex-officio justices of the peace, in precinct number one, and in the wards of the city of Gadsden, Etowah county, Alabama, and to regulate their fees.

Judiciary.

Also,

H. 445. To constitute the town of Attalla a separate school district, and to provide for the management of the public schools of said district;

Education.

Also,

H. 446. To prohibit the sale, giving away, or otherwise disposing of vinous, malt or alcoholic liquors, or any intoxicating beverages within" three miles of Clear Creek Cumberland Presbyterian church, and New Hope Methodist church, all in Etowah county, Alabama;

Temperance.

Also,

H. 447. To amend section eighteen of an act entitled an

act to establish a new charter for the city of Gadsden, approved January 27, 1883 ;

Corporations.

Also,

H. 448. To authorize the mayor and aldermen of the town of Attala in Etowah county, to issue bond of said town for the purpose of providing said town with gas, or electric light, and water, building and constructing sewers, building school houses, and to create a board of commissioners to manage, control and invest the proceeds of said bonds ;

Judiciary.

Also (by request.)

H. 449. To establish the city court of Attala ;

Judiciary.

By Mr. Smaw—

H. 450. To prevent hunting, or fishing, entering upon, or trespassing upon certain lauds on the Black Warrior River, in Greene county, in township twenty, and twenty-one, and ranges two and three east, after the owner, or person in possession thereof shall have forbidden the same, by notice posted on the lands, or by publication in a newspaper published in said county ;

Local legislation.

By Mr. Judge—

H. 451. To authorize the court of county commissioners of Greene county to make an order transferring to the general fund of said county, the balance of the money now in the hands of the county treasurer of Greene county, belonging to the sinking fund, or special fnnd, created by said court of county commissioners under the provisions of an act of the general assembly of Alabama entitled " an act to authorize the court of county commissioners of Greene county, to issue bonds for the purpose of compromising the old bonds of said county, issued in aid of Selma, Marion and Memphis railroad, approved February 23, 1881" and to authorize the county treasurer of said county in said order being made by said court of county commissioners, to transfer to the general fund of said county, said balance of money in his hands as such treasurer belonging to said sinking fund, or special fund, and to ,make said money so transferred a part of the general fund of said county;

Local legislation.

Also,

H. 452. To authorize and provide for the holding of special terms of the circuit and chancery courts in this state ;
Judiciary.
By Mr. Clanton—
H. 453. To exempt the producer of native wines from the payment of license for wholesaling the same;
Local legislation.
By Mr. Parks—
H. 454. To prevent the manufacture, sale, giving away, bartering, exchanging, or otherwise disposing of alcoholic, vinous or malt liquors, or intoxicaling bitters, or beverages in Holly Springs, precinct number 31, in Jackson county ;
Temperance.
By Mr. Brown—
H. 455. To amend|section 3874 of the code of Alabama ;
Judiciary.
By Mr. Lewis (with notice and proof).
H. 456. To prevent the sale of spirituous, vinous, or malt liquors, within one-halt' mile of the Methodist church at the intersection of Davis avenue and St. Stephens road in the village of Toulminville, in Mobile county;
Temperance.
By Mr. Kemp—
H. 457. To propibit placing mortgages or encumbrances on growing crops in Monroe county.
Judiciary,
By Mr. Screws (by request)—
H. 358. To prevent attorneys at law who hold certain offices under a municipal government in Alabama, from practicing their profession in any cause wherein said municipal corporation is a party to said cause, either civil or criminal, or quasi criminal under its corporate laws, and ordinances;
Judiciary.
Also (by request)—
H. 459. To prevent female dogs from running at large at certain times.
Agriculture.
By Mr. Cox (with petition)—
H. 460. To propibit the sale of vinous, malt or spirituous or other intoxicating drinks within six miles of the Mount Moriah Freewill Baptist Church, Pickens county, Alabama.
Temperance.

Also (with petition and notice),

H. 461. To prohibit the sale, or giving away, or otherwise disposing of vinous, spirituous or malt liquors or other intoxicating drinks within three miles of the Methodist church or school house at Olney, Pickens county, Alabama;

Temperance.

By Mr. Barnett—

H. 462. To amend section 3216 of the code of Alabama;

Revision of laws;

Also,

H. 463. To regulate the fine and forfeiture fund of Pike county;

Fees and salaries;

Also (by request),

H. 464. To amend section 3253 of the code of Alabama, so far as the same applies to Pike county;

Judiciary.

By Mr. Forman—

H. 465. To enlarge and extend the corporate limits of the town of Springville, in the county of St. Clair, Alabama ;

Corporations.

By Mr. Amason of Sumter—

H. 466. To regulate and give security to farm and plantation labor contracts;

Judiciary ;

Also,

H. 467. To prohibit the selling, giving away, or disposing of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, or of alcoholic bitters, cordials or beverages of any kind in Sumter county;

Temperance.

By Mr. Wilson—

H. 468. To amend "an act to incorporate the city of Jenifer, Alabama," approved February 28th, 1889 ;

Corporations.

By Mr. Langley—

H. 469. To authorize the citizens of beats three, seven, fourteen, fifteen and eighteen, of Tallapoosa county to erect gates across public and private roads in said beats;

Local legislation,

By Mr. Clements (Mr. Meador in chair)—

H. 470. To amend an a>A entitled an act for the preservation of game animals and birds in the counties of Tuskaloosa and Calhoun, approved February 27th, 1889, so far as the same applies to Tuskaloosa county ;

Local legislation.
By Mr. Judge—
H. 471. To amend subdivision 31 of section 621 of the code of Alabama;
Ways and means.
By Mr. Parker (by request, with petition)—
H. 472. To prohibit stock from running at large in beats number sixteen, and parts of beats number ten and seventeen in Elmore county, Alabama,and to provide for fencing the stock district hereby created ;
Local legislation ;
Also,
H. 473. To require all corporations hereafter chartered under the general laws, or under special laws, to pay for the certificate for the charter ;
Judiciary.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

The chairmen of the several committees reported favorably on the following bills, which were severally read a second time and put upon the calendar:
H. 125. To authorize writs of garnishment against incorporated cities, towns and villages;
H. 212. To amend section 1810 (2166) of the code of Alabama;
H. 367. To provide for the drawing and summoning of petit jurors for the second week of the circuit court of Lamar county for the spring term 1S91 (with substitute);
H. 381. To incorporate the city of Ozark, in the county of Dale (with amendment,);
H. 420. To prohibit the sale, giving away or otherwise disposing of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, or intoxicating bitters or beverages, within the limits of precinct number (10) in Jackson county;
s. 88. To prohibit the selling, giving away, or otherwise disposing of alcoholic liquors within three miles of Hebron Baptist church in Pickens county (with amendment);
H. 330. To fix the pay of the county commissioners of Jefferson county ;
H. 331. To amend section 3685 of the code in regard to the fees of probate judges in Lamar county (with amendment).

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

By the recording secretary, Mr. Jones :

CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICE,
MONTGOMERY, ALA.,
DECEMBER 2D,1890.

Gentlemen of the Senate and of the House of Representatives:

Section 124 of the code requires the treasurer to send by express to the fiscal agency in New York whatever money is necessary to meet interest 011 the state debt which is payable there. When special insurance is not ordered by the governor, the cost of this expressage is about four hundred and fifty dollars per annum, which is a useless expenditure.

Sending money by express instead of remitting it by exchange, saves the state from loss only from the insolvency of the drawers of the bills while the exchange is in transit to fiscal agency. No matter how funds are provided at the fiscal agency, the risk of loss to the state by its failure remains, and the present law was not intended to and does not lessen or change that risk.

The condition of the money market in this state is generall such that bankers are willing to place funds to the credit of the state at the fiscal agency in New York, if, upon so doing, the state could pay lo them here money which, under the present law, has to be expressed to New York.

I respectfully recommend the passage of an act authorizing the treasurer, with the approval of the governor, to provide funds for the payment of interest in New York by purchasing at par here any certificate of deposit to the credit of the state at the fiscal agency in New York. This would save the state about $450.00 a year, and in no wise impair its security under the present method. The interest must be paid on the first of January, and any legislation to be effective this year must be passed before recess.

THOS. G. JONES,
Governor.

Which, on motion of Mr. Avery, was referred to the committee on ways and means,

And the committee is authorized to draw and present a bill in compliance with its suggestion, if they deem it advisable.

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

H. 349. To prohibit the sale, giving away, or otherwise disposing of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors or intoxicating bitters or beverages within four miles of the railroad passenger depot in the town of Bridgeport, Jackson county.

Substitute pending.

On motion, the substitute was adopted,

And the bill,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 80, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Alexander, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bit-hop. Blackwell, Brewer, brown, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Harrell, Harris, Henry. Hill, Hufham, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan. Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, White, Wood, Wilson, Young. —80.

H. 89. To provide suitable compensation for the superintpndent of education of the county of Walker,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 75, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Alexander, Amason of Sumter,Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Bain, Barnett, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper. Cornelius. Crews, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar,Edwards, Finch, Forman, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau,Sayre, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young—75.

H. 182. To make the husband or wife of the defendant competent to testify as a witness in all prosecutions for bigamy and adultery or fornication,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 67, nays 6.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Bain, Barnett, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gordon, Harrell, Harris, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Northington, Parks, Poole, Purifoy, Rather, Rousseau, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young—67.

Nays—Messrs. Alexander, Amason of Tallapoosa, Nolen, Parker, Sayre and Simmons—6.

H. 181. To amend section 3781 of the code,

Waa read the third time at length and passed—y.eas 79, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Bain, Barnett, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Jones,Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock,Poole, Purifoy, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young—79.

H. 14. To make appropriations for the ordinary expenses of the executive, legislative and judidial departments of the state, for interest on the public debt, and for public schools (amendments pending);

AMENDMENT 1 (to item 13).

Strike out the words "twenty-five hundred" where they

occur in item 13, and insert the words “one thousand,” and strike out the words “five thousand” where they occur, and insert the words “two thousand ;”

Adopted.

AMENDMENT 2 (to item 14).

Strike out the words “six hundred” where they occur in item 14, and insert the words “three hundred,” and strike out the words “twelve hundred” where they occur, and insert the words “six hundred ;”

Adopted.

Mr. Northington offered the following amendment :

“Amend item 15 by striking out the word ‘three’ before servants, and insert the word ‘two,’ and to strike out the word ‘eighteen’ and insert ‘twelve’ where it occurs in said item.”

Mr. White moved to table Mr. Northington's amendment;

Lost;

And Mr. Northington’s amendment was then adopted.

Pending further consideration, the hour of one p. m. arrived, and the house adjourned till 3 p. m. To-day.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.
A quorum was present.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Was granted to Mr. Ayres for one day, and to Mr. Almon indefinitely on account of sickness.

RESOLUTION

By Mr. Clayton—

Resolved, That after to-day the house meet at 9:30 o’clock a. m., and adjourn for the day at 2 o’clock p. m.

BILLS ON THIBD READING.

H. 149. To authorize the Parker Memorial Baptist church

of Anniston, Alabama, to hold real and personal property to the value of not exceeding one hundred and fifty thousand dollars,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 75, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Amason of Tallapoosa, Armistead, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gordon, Guthrie. Harrell, Harris, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson,Jones, Kemp, Fine, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leslie, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young—T5.

H. 67. To amend an act entitled an act to more effectually secure competent and well qualified jurors in the county of Montgomery, approved February 21, 1887,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 72, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Webb, Wilson, Young—72.

H. 49. For the relief of H. McVay Moore, late sheriff of Lauderdale county,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 80, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Barnett,

Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius. Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gass, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp. Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore Loveless, Meador,Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Purifoy, Quarles, Rousseau, Sayre, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young;—80.

H. 193 To authorize and empower the commissioners court to have a general index made for the records in the probate court of Choctaw county,

Was taken up.

Mr. Nolen moved (o amend the bill by including tbe county of Coosa;

Adopted.

The bill was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 77, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead. Avery, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Forman, Foster, Gass, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson. Johnson, Jones, Jadge, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Sayre, Screws, Simmons; Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young—77.

H. 240. To amend an act entitled an act to provide for the election of county superintendent of education of Dallas county,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 75, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Black-

well, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hufham, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Sayre, Screws, Simmons, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young—75.

H. 215. To authorize the hoard of trustees of the school district of the town of New Decatur to issue bonds of said school district for the purpose of paying the debts of said district, and of erecting, adding to, and improving school buildings, and furnishing the same,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 72, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Gordon, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Simmons, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young—72.

H. 154. To repeal an act entitled an act to amend section eleven of an act to establish a separate school district to be known as the Cullman school district, in Cullman county, Alabama, and for the appointment of a board of trustees for said school district, with certain powers and privileges, approved February 28, 1887,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 71, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton,

Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gordon, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parker, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Purifoy, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Webb, Wood, Wilson, Young—71.

H. 218. To prevent stock from running at large in Pike county,

With amendment pending, was taken up.

The amendment was adopted.

The bill was read the third time at, length and passed—nays 67, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Amason of Sumter, Amason of'Tallapoosa,App1etoh, Armistead, Avery, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Blackwell, Buck, Burford, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Purifoy, Rather, Rousseau, Smith of Dallas, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, Wooe, Young—67.

S. 9. To amend an act to allow constable of Troy beat, Pike county, and the constable of beat No. 21 in Jefferson county, Alabama, to appoint deputies, approved February 12, 1885,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 65, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Barnett, Bass, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Burford, Clanton, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Jones, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin,

Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Purifoy, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Simmons, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young—65.

H. 87. To amend section 2 and paragraphs 5, 7, 9, 10 and 13, and section 4 and Sections 9 and 10 of an act entitled an act to provide a charter for the city of Jasper in Walker county, Alabama, approved February 6, 1889,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 65, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Bain, Bass, Bevis, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Forman Foster, Gass, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Long, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Purifoy, Rather, Rousseau, Simmons, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young—65.

H. 129. To confirm the ordinance passed by the mayor and council of the town of Decatur, and the contract in pursuance thereof, passed on the 7th day of October, 1890, granting to J. Judson Barclay, J. C. Hallowell and J. D. Jervis the right to operate and maintain a line of railroad over and along Market and Washington, Davis and Lee streets, in the town of Decatur,

Was read the third time al length and passed—yeas 67, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Purifoy, Rather Rousseau, Simmons, Smith of

Russell, Sparkman, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young—67.

H. 110. To amend an act entitled an act to provide for the times of holding the circuit court in the sixth judicial circuit of this state, approved February 19, 1889, so far as Lamar county is concerned,

Was taken up.

The substitute was adopted.

The bill was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 74, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Barnett, Bevis, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox. Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Smith of Dallas, Sparkman, Thrasher, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young—74.

H. 50. For the relief of Robert E. Yarbrough, a minor of Lee, from the disabilities of non-age,

Was taken up.

Amendments were offered by Mr. Clayton and adopted.

The bill was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 48, nays 8.

Yeas—Messrs. Alexander, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Barnett, Bevis,Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Forman, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Rather, Rousseau, Simmons, Sparkman, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Wood, Wilson, Young—48.

Nays—Messrs. Avery, Jones, Kemp, Pettus, Purifoy, Quarles, Smith of Russell and White—8.

On motion of Mr. Lee of Barbour, the house acjourned till 9:30 a. m. To-morrow.

NINETEENTH DAY.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
WEDNESDAY, December 3, 1890.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.
Prayer by Rev. Dr. Wharton of the city.
A quorum was present.
The journal of yesterday was read and approved.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Was granted to Mr. Ayres indefinitely on account of sickness, and to Messrs. Alexander and Pettus for one day.

RESOLUTIONS CONSIDERED.

The resolution of Mr. Longshore to provide for a committee to sit during recess to consider necessary constitutional amendments,

Was taken up.

Mr. Steele moved, to commit the resolution to the judiciary committee.

Lost.

On motion of Mr. Northington the resolution was

Tabled.

The resolution of Mr. Clayton, that the house meet at 9:30 o'clock a. m., and adjourn for the day at 2:30 o'clock p. m.

Was taken up and

Lost.

The resolution of Mr. Clayton to recall H. 169 from the hands of the governor,

Was taken up, considered and

Lost.

The resolution of Mr. Long, instructing the committee on penitentiary and criminal administration to prepare a bill looking to the abolition of the present system of working convicts,

Was considered and

Adopted.

The resolution of Mr. Long, instructing the committee on mining and manufacturing, to report a mining law for the state,

Was adopted.

The joint resolution of Mr. Clayton, providing for a joint committee to consider the necessity for new judicial circuits,

Was taken up, amended and

Adopted.

Committee on part of the house—

Messrs. Clayton, Brewer, Kelly, Lee of Conecuh, Edwards, Quarles, Harris, Judge, Wade and Lane.

REPORT FROM COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Speaker:

The committee on enrolled bills report the following bills correctly enrolled:

H. 13. To incorporate the town of Midland City in the county of Dale ;

H. 40. To incorporate the Birmingham Coal Company;

H. 71. To fix the compensation of witnesses for the state in all criminal cases in the circuit court of Perry county and before the grand jury of said county, and to prescribe when and how they are to be paid ;

H. 136. To incorporate the Confederate Association of Alabama;

H. 161. To amend section 1186 of the code ;

H. 163. To amend section 1187 of the code.

C.C. RATHEB,

Chairman.

SIGNING OF BILLS.

The speaker of the house in the presence of the house, immediately after their titles had been publicly read by the clerk, signed the bills, the titles of which are set out in the foregoing report of the committee on enrolled bills.

MESSAGB FKOM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker:

The senate has passed the following bills :

H. 41. To incorporate the East Lake Atheneum ;

And has acceded to the request of the house for conference committees on the bills,

H. 88. For the preservation of game animals, and birds in the county of Walker ;

Committee on the part of the senate: Messrs. Milner, Skeggs and Bradley;

Also,

H. 142. To make the fees of bonded constables in the counties of Tuskaloosa, Madison, Jefferson, Etowah, Perry, Franklin, St. Clair. Coosa, Clay, Chambers, Macon, Elmore, Russell, Henry, Colbert, Lee, Dallas, Cherokee, Pickens, Chilton, Calhoun, Walker, Fayette, Bibb, Escambia, Crenshaw, Cleburne, Talladega, Tallapoosa, Morgan, Blount, Pike, DeKalb, Lauderdale, Limestone, Winston, Bullock, Marshall and Lawrence, the same as sheriff's fees when they perform the same or similar services;

Committee on the part of the senate: Messrs. Bloch, Downey and Williams;

Also,

H. 170. To prohibit the sale, giving away of or otherwise disposing of intoxicating liquors within one-half (½) mile in every direction of Bethel church at Adams Cotton Mills, near the city of Montgomery;

Committee on the part of the senate: Messrs. Wiley, Stallworth and Smith of Autauga.

And has originated and passed the following bills :

s. 93. To amend section 4641 of the code ;

s. 83. To provide For the humane killing of animals so maimed or crippled, by railroad locomotives or cars, as to be unable to procure food or drink for themselves ;

s. 104. To prevent the sale of spirituous, vinous and malt liquors within three miles of Big Creek Baptist church, within Memphis Beat No. 20, in Pickens county;

8. 161. To amend section one of an act entitled an act to establish a new charter for the town of Evergreen in Conecuh county, approved February 5, 1881;

s. 107. For the relief of Jno. W. Miller, a citizen of Bibb county;

s. 85. To provide for destroying abandoned, diseased or injured animals;

s. 76. To establish a new charter for the town of Roanoke;

s. 110. To amend sections 19 and 20 of the code;

s. 90. For the relief of C. D. Martin and others ;

s. 96. To prescribe the duties and provide for the compensation of the county solicitor of Talladega county;

S. 84. To prevent the abandonment of maimed, diseased, disabled, infirm or dead animals by their owners or custodians;

s. 97. To prohibit the sale or other disposition of all intoxicating liquors or other beverages at or within five miles of Brookwood in Tuscaloosa county ;

s. 72. To incorporate " The City School Board of Selma."

And has originated and passed and ordered forthwith to the house without engrossment:

s. 128. For the assessment and collection of taxes in the county of Tallapoosa for the years 1891 and 1892.

W. L. Clay,
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The senate bills just received, whose titles are set forth in the above and foregoing message, was severally read once and referred to committees as follows :

Penitentiary and criminal administration, s. 93.
Revision of laws, s. 83, 85, 84.
Temperance, s. 104, 97.
Corporations,s. 161, 76.
Ways and means, s. 107, 90.
Judiciary, 110, 128.
Fees, salaries, 96.
Education, 72.

RESOLUTIONS

Were offered as follows :

By Mr. Adams—

Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed by the speaker to have the office of the enrolling and engrossing clerks, cleaned out and renovated, and to purchase suitable furniture therefor.

By Mr. Screws—

Resolved by the house (the senate concurring), that that portion of the governor's inaugural address relating to the unfinished confederate monument, and relief for disabled or destitute confederate veterans, be referred to a special committee of three on the part of the house and two on the part of the senate, with instructions to report by bill or otherwise.

BIILS ON FIRST READING.

Bills were introduced, read once and referred to appropriate committees as follows :

By Mr. Henry—

s. 474. To establish the city court of Bessemer ;

Referred to a special committee consisting of Messrs. Brown, Smith of Russell, Foster, Long and Wade.

By Mr. Townsend of Limestone—

H. 475. Requiring the constitution of the United States and the constitution of the State of Alabama to be taught as other branches in the public schools of Alabama ;

Education.

By Mr.Guthrie (with petition)—

H. 476. To prohibit the sale, giving away, or otherwise disposing of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, intoxicating bitters or cordials, or fruits preserved in alcoholic liquors, within five miles of Holly Pond Baptist church, in Cullman county;

Temperance.

By Mr. Henry—

H. 477. To confirm, amend and enlarge, the charter of the Trustees of the Hospital of United Charities, of Birmingham, Alabama, and to confer additional powers on said corporation ;

Corporations;

Also,

H. 478. To establish a Technological and Industrial School for the education and training of girls and young women in the practical industries of life, and to provide means for its maintenance;

Education.

By Mr. Finch (with notice and proof)—

11. 479. For the relief of Or. W. Grissom and T. W. Lawler, of Franklin county ;

Judiciarv.

By Mr. Wood—

H. 480. To prevent the wrongful and illegal collection of money on farm produce or storage;

Agriculture.

By Mr. Smaw—

u. 481. To provide for the support of the indigent soldiers and sailors of the late Confederate States Army and

Navy, who are now bona fide citizens of Greene county, Alabama;

Local legislation.

By Mr. Tucker of Crenshaw—

H. 482. To require the amount of all special taxes for building and repairing bridges and causeways and repairing courthouse or jail, levied and collected by Crenshaw county in excess of the amount actually needed at the time for such special purposes for which such taxes were levied and col lected, to be kept in the county treasury separate and apart from all other funds, and to be used only for the special purposes for which it was levied and collected ;

Local legislation;

Also,

H. 485. To repeal an act entitled "an act to authorize and require the commissioners court of Crenshaw county to dispose of moneys arising from fines, forfeitures and convict labor," approved February 4th, 1889;

Revision of laws.

Also,

H. 484. To allow all fines and forfeitures imposed and adjudged by any court in Crenshaw county lo be paid in fine and forfeiture scrip issued by said county ;

Revision of laws.

By Mr. Peacock (by request, with petition)—

H. 485. To prohibit, the sale of vinous, malt or spirituous liquors within three miles of Mount Zion church, in Coffee county, Alabama;

Temperance.

By Mr. Edwards—

H. 486. To amend section 3736 of the code of Alabama;

Judiciary;

Also,

H. 487. To allow female infants over six years of age, who are not competent to testify, to make a statement before the jury in all cases where defendants are charged with having committed a rape, or an assault to commit a rape, upon them ; or where, being under ten years of age. defendants are charged with having carnal knowledge of them, or abusiug them in the attempt to have carnal knowledge of them;

Judiciary.

By Mr. Kemp—

H. 488. To provide for a re-survey of the county line le-

tween the counties of Monroe and Conecuh and for a more efficient assessment and collection of taxes therein ;

Ways and means.

By Mr. Jackson—

H. 489. For the relief of soldiers wounded or disabled during the late war, and the widows of Confederate soldiers whose husbands were killed or died in said war, and who have not re-married;

Appropriations.

By Mr. Bevis—

H. 490. To prohibit the selling, bartering, exchanging or giving away of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, intoxicating bitters or beverages, in Mitchell's beat number one Lauderdale county, Alabama;

Temperance.

By Mr. Bishop—

H. 491. To prevent hogs from running at large in a part of Madison county, as therein described;

Agriculture.

By Mr. Foster (by request)—

H. 492. To amend section 4078 of the code of l886 ;

Judiciary.

By Mr. Quarles (by request)—

H. 493. To amend section seven hundred and eight (708) of the code;

Judiciary.

By Mr. Gilchrist—

H. 494; To abolish the tax on commercial fertilizers;

Agriculture.

By Mr. Wade—

H. 495. To amend section two of an act entitled an act to authorize the mayor and board of aldermen of the city of Gadsden to negotiate a loan for lighting said city, either by gas or electricity ; for drainage, sewerage, and for sanitary purposes, and to issue bonds for the payment of the same, approved February 28th, 1887 ;

Corporations.

By Mr. Amason of Tallapoosa—

H. 496. To amend an act entitled "an act to amend section 3682 of the code of Alabama" approved February 26th, 1889;

Judiciary.

By Mr. Wade—

H. 497. To authorize the corporate authorities of the city of Gadsden to release and surrender the option of the city of Gadsden to redeem the bonds that have been issued by the said corporate authorities, known and designated as “sanitary bonds,” and to authorize said corporate authorities to issue the remainder of one hundred thousand dollars of said bonds authorized by act of the General Assembly of Alabama, approved February 28th, 1887, and also by act amendatory thereof, approved February 28tH. 1889, to run no longer than thirty years ;

Corporations.

By Mr. Pettus—

H. 498. To declare the true intent and meaning of act approved February 19th, 1889, and entitled “an act to amend an act to release the Tennessee und Coosa Railroad Company from its indebtedness to the State of Alabama;

Judiciary.

By Mr. White—

Petition from citizens of Perry county requesting the general assembly to pass a law against cigarette smoking by minors,

Which was referred to committee on public health.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

The chairmen of the several committees reported favorably on the following bills:

H. 86. To amend subdivision thirty-one (31) of section six hundred and twenty-nine (s. 629) of the code of Alabama (with substitute);

H. 223. To amend subdivision two (2) of section 629 of the code (with substitute);

H. 406. To levy and collect a tax on dogs in Macon county (with amendments);

H. 164. To establish a separate school district, to be known as China Grove School District, in Hale county;

H. 405. To incorporate the East Alabama Male and Female Institute, Notasulga, Alabama;

s. 79. To provide for safe and convenient passage of gates across the public highways in Wilcox county;

H. 400. To repeal an act entitled an act to regulate the issuance of license to sell vinous, spirituous or malt liquors in the county of Morgan so far as the same relates to precinct number one of said county;

H. 451. To authorize the court of county commissioners of Greene county to make an order transferring to the general fund of said county the balance of the money now in the hands of the county treasurer of Greene county, belonging to the sinking fund, or special fund, created by said court of county commissioners under the provisions of an act of the general assembly of Alabama entitled "an act to authorize the court of county commissioners of Greene county to issue bonds for the purpose of compromising the old bonds of said county, issued in aid of Selma, Marion and Memphis railroad, approved February 23rd, 1881, and to authorize the county treasurer of said county, on said order being made by said court of county commissioners, to transfer to the general fund of said county said balance of money in his hands as such treasurer, belonging to said sinking fund, or special fund, and to make said money so transferred a part of the general fund of said county.

The above and foregoing bills were severally read the second time.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

H. 14. To make appropriations for the ordinary expenses of the executive, legislative and judiciary departments of the state, for interest on the public debt, and for public schools.

The house proceeded to consider the bill and following amendments, which were offered by the committee :

AMENDMENT 4 (to item 20).

Strike out the word "six" where it occurs in item 20, and insert the word "three," and strike out the word "twelve" and insert the word "six;"

Adopted.

AMENDMENT 5 (to item 42).

Strike out "item 42" as not constitutional:

Adopted.

AMENDMENT 6 (to item 44).

Strike out the word "six" where it occurs in item 44, and

insert the word “five,” and after the word “dollars” insert the words “or so much thereof as is necessary to pay for such copying at the rate of ten cents a hundred words, and the sum of seventy-five dollars for such index and marginal notes ;”

Adopted.

By Mr. Northington—

AMENDMENT TO ITEM 17.

Amend by striking out the word “three” in item 17, and inserting “two” and by striking out the words “fifty-four” when they occur in said item and insert “thirty-six ;”

Which, on motion of Mr. Jones, was tabled.

By Mr. Northington—

AMENDMENT TO ITEM 15.

Amend item 15 by striking out the word “three” before servants and insert the word “two,” to strike out the word “eighteen” and insert “twelve” where it occurs in said item ;

Adopted.

By Mr. Adams—

Amend item 37 by adding thereto the words: Provided that none of this amount shall be appropriated for other purposes than for the support of the common free public schools of the state.

Mr. Wood offered the following amendment to Mr. Adams’ amendment:

And provided further, that no part of said appropriation shall be applied to the payment of any normal school in the state after the expiration of the present scholastic year.

Pending the consideration of the above amendments the house at 1 o’clock p. m. adjourned.

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AFTERNOON SESSION.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.

A quorum was present.

On motion of Mr. Wood, s. 69 was ordered to be returned by the committee on ways and means and referred to the committee on mining and manufacturing.

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Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Rather, Rousseau, Smith of Dallas, Sparkman, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Webb, White, Wood, Wilson, Young—70.

s. 32. To amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the town of Courtland, in the county of Lawrence, approved December 16, 1873 ;

The bill

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 72, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Sumter, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Edwards, Finch, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Simmons, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young—72.

H. 367. To provide for the drawing and summoning petit juror for the second week of the circuit court of Lamar county for the spring term, 1891 (with substitute).

The bill

Was taken up and the substitute was adopted with the following title :

"To provide for the drawing and summoning petit jurors for the second week of the circuit court of Lamar county for the spring term, 1891, and each ensuing term thereafter."

The bill

Waa read the third time at length and passed—yeas 77, nays 0.

Yeas——Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Amason of Sumter, Appleton,Armistead, Avery, Bain, Barnett,Bass, Bevis, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Burford, Clanton, Cooper, Cornelius-Crews, Cox,Davidson, DavisofFayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Hill, Howle. Hufham, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless,

Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Poole, Powell, Quarles, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young—77.

s. 27. To prohibit the sale, giving away, or otherwise disposing of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors within half mile of the City Mission church and the Corinthian Baptist church, in Mobile county,

Was taken up.

Mr. Lee of Conecuh, offered a substitute for the bill with the following title, which was adopted :

s. 27. A bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the selling, giving away, or otherwise disposing of any spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, intoxicating beverages or bitters, or fruits preserved in alcoholic liquors, within a half mile by the most commonly traveled route of the City Mission Methodist church,and the Corinthian Baptist church in Mobile county; or within that portion of Baldwin county lying north of the Louisvil e and Nashville railroad ; or within eight miles of Oak Grove church in Pickens county ; or within six miles of the Branch Agricultural Station and School at Abbeville, in Henry county; or within seven miles of Emory Chapel church, in Pickens county ; or within two miles of Liberty church,in Henry county; or within three miles of Antioch church,near Elizabeth postoffice, in Coffee county; or within two miles of Shiloh, Pleasant Hill, and Friendship Missionary Baptist churches, in Geneva county ; or within two miles of Wesley Chapel, Pond Town, Hurricane Creek, and Tabernacle M.E. churches, in Geneva county; or within the county of DeKalb ; or within two miles of the Industrial High School at Healing Springs, in Washington county; or within two miles of Pinetucky church, in Ceburne county ; or within five miles of Mountain Spring Baptist church, in Chambers county ; or within beat twelve (12) in the county of Butler, except in the corporate limits of the city of Greenville ; or within two miles of Dalesville Methodist or Baptist churches, in Dale county ; or within three miles of Pilgrim's Rest Baptist church, and Morton's Chapel Methodist church, in Etowah county; or within five miles of Oak Grove church, Fellowship church, Centre church and Union Springs church, in Henry county; or nearer New Mount Bethel church, in

Cross Roads beat number four (4), township two (2), range eight (8), in Lauderdale county, than the beat line in every direction from said church ; or within three miles in any direction of Hebron Baptist church, in township twenty (20), range fifteen (15), in Pickens county; or within four miles of O'Neal's school house, in Limestone county ; or within the limits of Perry county, except the towns of Marion and Uniontown ; or within five miles of Holly Pond Baptist church, in Cullman county.

Amendments were offered as follows:

By Mr. Whatley—

Amend by striking out Lafayette College from caption and body of bill,

Adopted.

By Mr. Guthrie—

Amend by inserting "five miles of Holly Pond Baptist church, in Cullman county" in caption and body of bill,

Adopted.

By Mr. White—

Amend by adding, "in the county of Perry, except in incorporated towns of Marion and Uniontown,in said county," in caption and body of bill,

Adopted.

By Mr. Lane—

Amend by adding in the caption and body of the bill,"or within four miles of O'Neal school house, in Limestone county, Alabama,

Adopted.

As amended, the bill

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 71, nays 1.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa,Appleton,Armistead, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell,Brown,Buck, Coleman, Cooper,Cornelius, Crews, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry,Howle,Hufham, Jackson,Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Simmons, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Webb, White, Wilson, Young—71.

Nay—Mr. Cox.

H. 236. To repeal an act entitled an act to pay salaries to solicitors instead of the fees which they now receive, and to require said fees to be paid into the state treasury, so far as the same relates to Bullock county,

Was taken up;

And, on motion of Mr. Smith of Russell, was Tabled.

H. 255. To provide for the pay and compensation of the superintendent of education of Pike county,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 55, nays 11.

Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Bain, Barnett, Bevis. Bishop, Blackwell, Buck, Coleman, Cooper, Crews, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Gilchrist, Gordon, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp,Lee ofBarbour, Leigh, Leslie,Lewis, Long, Loveless, Meador, Nolen, Peacock, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau,Smith of Dallas, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Wood, Wilson—55;

Nays—Messrs. Cornelius, Davis of Lamar, Guthrie, Hill, Northington, Parker, Parks, Poole, Townsend of Limestone, Whatley and Young—11.

H. 237. To repeal au act entitled an act to protect fish in the county of Butler, approved February 21, 1887;

The bill

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 65, nays 0.

Messrs. Adams, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell. Brewer, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Simmons, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone,Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Wilson, Young—65.

s. 18. To amend and confirm the charter of the Fort

Payne Coal and Iron Company, a corporation organized under the general incorporation laws of the state,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 63, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Bain, Bevis, Blackwell, Coleman, Cornelius, Crews,Cox, Davis ofFayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Foster, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Howle, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Meador, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Simmons, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Wood, Wilson. Young—63.

s. 44. To amend section 750 of the code, so far as the same applies to the counties of Lamar, Fayette, Marion and Franklin,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 73, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Bain, Barnett, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hill, Hufham, Jackson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles,Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Simmons, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, Wilson, Young—73.

H. 204. To prescribe the time in which bills of exception must be filed in the criminal court of Jefferson county,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 54, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford,Clayton, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle,Hufham,Jackson,John-

son, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Sullivan, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley and White—54.

At 5 p. m. the house adjourned till 9:30 a. m., to-morrow.

TWENTIETH DAY.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
THURSDAY, December 4,1890.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by the Rev. Dr. Wharton, of the city.

A quorum was present.

The journal of yesterday was read and approved.

RECONSIDERATION.

On motion of Mr. Smith of Russell, the vote by which

s. 27. To prohibit the selling, giving away or otherwise disposing of any spirituous, vinous,or malt liquors, intoxicating beverages, or bitters, or fruits preserved in alcoholic liquors, within a half mile by the most commonly traveled route of the City Mission Methodist church and the Corinthian Baptist church in Mobile county ; or within that portion of Baldwin county lying north of the Louisville and Nashville railroad; or within eight miles of Oak Grove church in Pickens county; or within six miles of the Branch Agricultural Station and School at Abbeville in Henry county; or within seven miles of Emory Chapel church in Pickens county; or within two miles of Liberty church in Henry county; or within three miles of Antioch church, near Elizabeth post-office in Coffee county; or within two miles of Shiloh, Pleasant Hill and Friendship Missionary Baptist churches in Geneva county; or within two miles of Wesley 'Chapel, Pond Town, Hurricane Creek, and Tabernacle, M. E. churches in Geneva county; or within the county of DeKalb; or within two miles of the Industrial High school at Healing Springs in

Washington county; or within two miles of Pinetucky church in Cleburne county ; or within five miles of LaFayette college in LaFayette, Alabama, in Chambers county; or within five miles of Mountain Spring Baptist church in Chambers county ; or within beat 12 in the county of Butler, except in the corporate limits of the city of Greenville; or within two miles of Daleville Methodist or Baptist churches in the county of Dale; or within three miles of Pilgrim's Rest, Baptist church and Morton's Chapel Methodist church in Etowah county; or within five miles of Oak Grove church, Fellowship church, Centre church, and Union Springs church in Henry county; or nearer New Mount Bethel church in Cross Roads beat 4, township 2, range 8, in Lauderdale county, than the beat line in every direction from said church; or within three miles in any one direction of Hebron's Baptist church in township 20, range 15, in Pickens county ; or within four miles of Lebanon church school-house in Limestone county; or within four miles of Shady Grove Methodist church in Pike county; or within two miles of Mount Hope and Livingston Chapel church in Cullman county; or within three miles of Bristow's church, situated at Keener in Etowah county; or within three miles of Pleasant Ridge Missionary Baptist church in Red Ridge beat 9, in Tallapoosa county; or within two miles of the Methodist Protestant church at Macedonia in township 19, range 22, in Tallapoosa county; or within five miles of Holly Pond Baptist church in Cullman county ; or within four miles of O'Neal school-house in Limestone county; or within the limits of Perry county, except the towns of Marion and Uniontown, Was passed yesterday was reconsidered.

On motion of Mr. Smith of Russell the vote ordering the bill to a third reading was reconsidered.

And on motion of Mr. Smith of Russell, the vote by which the amendment to strike out the words, “or within five miles of LaFayette college in LaFayette, Alabama, in Chambers county,” was adopted, was reconsidered; and on motion of Mr. Meador the amendment was tabled.

Mr. Whatley offered the following amendment:

Bill amended by adding thereto the following:

SECTION 3. Be it further enacted, That an election shal be held in beat number eight in Chambers county, in accordance with the provisions of the election laws of the state, at which the qualified, electors of said beat eight may vote

for or against the right to sell spirituous, vinou or malt liquors, or intoxicating bitters, or beverages, within five miles of LaFayette college in Chambers county, those voting against such right of sale using ballots on which shall be written or printed the words “For Prohibition,” and those voting for such right of sale using ballots on which shall be written or printed the words “Against Prohibition;” the ballots so cast shall be immediately returned to the probate judge of Chambers county who shall proclaim and make known the result of said election by posting a printed or written certificate of the same at the court house of said county; and if a majority of the qualified electors of said beat shall have voted “For Prohibition” then the provisions of this act shall take effect and be valid, but if the majority of the votes cast under this act shall be against prohibition, then this act shall in no wise take effect but shall be inoperative.

Which on motion of Mr. Meador was tabled.

Mr. Guthrie offered the following amendment:

Amend by inserting in the title and body of the bill, or within two miles of Mount Hope and Livingston's Chapel churches in Cullman county, or within three miles of Bristows church, situated at Keener, Etowah county.

Adopted.

Mr. Barnett offered the following amendment:

Amend by adding in the body and title of the bill, "or within four miles of Shady Grove Methodist church, in Pike county,"

Adopted.

Mr. Lane offered the following amendment:

Amend by adding to the caption and body of bill,, “or within four miles of Lebanon church or school house in Limestone county.”

Adopted.

Mr. Amason of Tallapoosa, offered the following amendment:

Amend by adding to the caption and body of bill, “or within three miles of Pleasant Ridge Missionary Baptist church in Red Ridge beat nine in Tallapoosa county ; or within two miles of the Methodist Protestant church at Macedonia in township 19, range 23, Tallapoosa conuty.

Adopted.

The bill as amended

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 78, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Coleman, Cornelius, Crews, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Smith of Dallas, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw. Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, White, Wood, Wilson, Young—78.

Resolutions considered.

The resolution of Mr. Adams, authorizing the appointment of a committee to clear out the office of the enrolling and engrossing clerk and purchase suitable furniture therefor was adopted.

Committee, Messrs. Adams, Smith of Dallas and Hill.

The resolution of Mr. Screws, to authorize the reference of those portions of the governor's inaugural address relative to the confederate monument and indigent confederate soldiers to a joint committee of the two houses.

Was taken up.

Mr. Screws offered the following substitute :

Resolved, That a committee of three on part of house aud two on part of senate be appointed, to take into consideration the propriety of appropriation for the unfinished confederate monument and disabled and destitute confederate soldiers.

Which on motion of Mr. Brewer was amended, so as to be referred to the committee on appropriations, and as amended

Adopted.

RESOLUTIONS.

Were offered as follows:

By Mr. Sayre—

Resolved by the house of representatives, (the senate concurring), that five hundred copies of the report of the board of trustees of the Agricultural and Mechanical College of

Alabama for the years 1888-89 and 1889-90 be printed, two hundred for the use of the general assembly, and three hundred for the use of the trustees of that college.

By Mr. Adams—

Resolved, that this house adjourn at 2 p. m., after to-day.

By Mr. Smith of Russell—

Resolved by the house, (the senate concurring), that house bill number 83, now m the hands of the governor, be returned by him to the house.

By Mr. Davis of Fayette—

Be it resolved by the house of representatives (the senate concurring,) that a joint committee be raised, consisting of three members of the house of representatives, and two members of the senate, to investigate the purposes, methods, and practical operation of the Normal School System, and to report by bill or otherwise, such changes, reforms, or modifications thereof, as the interests of the slate may demand.

Be it further resolved, that said committee may sit during the session of this body, and shall have the right to call for persons and papers, and shall report on or before the 30th day of January, 1891.

By Mr. Hufham—

Resolved by the house of representatives (the senate concurring,) that the resident clergy who have contributed to the labors of the general assembly by opening its sessions with prayer, be allowed the sum of four dollars per day for each days attendance upon its sessions.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The house resumed consideration of—

H. 14 To make appropriations for the ordinary expenses of the executive, legislative and judiciary departments of the state, for interest on the public debt, and for public schools.

The amendment of Mr. Wood :

And provided further, that no part of said appropriation shall be applied to the payment of any Normal School in the state after the expiration of the present scholastic year.

Was lost.

The amendment of Mr. Adams—

Amend item 37 by adding thereto the words : Provided that none of this amount shall be appropriated for other

purposes than for the support of the common free public schools of the stale,

Was lost;

Yeas 46, nays 47.

Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Amason of Tallapoosa, Armistead, Bain, Barnett, I3ass. Bishop, Clanton, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Forman, Harrell, Harris, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Rousseau, Simmons, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone. Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Watters, While, Wood, Wilson, Young—46.

Nays—Messrs. Speaker, Appleton, Avery, Bevis, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Edwards, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Henry, Hill, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Pettus, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Sullivan, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley—47.

The bill as amended

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 80, nays 3.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Barnett, Bevis, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Foster, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hill, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Loveless, Meador, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Simmons. Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, Wilson, Young—80.

Nays—Messrs. Adams, Bain and Wood—3.

REPORT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE.

Mr. Speaker:

Your committee of conference on the disagreement of the two houses on the senate amendment to H. 70, respectfully report as follows:

Your committee recommends that the house concur in the senate amendment.

F. L. PETTUS,
J. V. SMITH,
GEO. P. WHITE,
House Confreres.
W. L. DOWNEY,
DANIEL SMITH,
J. H. MINGE,
Senate Committee.

The report was concurred in.

Yeas 75, nays 11.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead Averv, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards. Finch, Foster. Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson,Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young—75.

Nays—Messrs. Adams, Bain, Brewer, Coleman, Forman, Hill, Longshore, Powell, Scott, Thrasher, Wood—11.

On motion of Mr. Harrell, the committee on local legislation was instructed to return H. 372, and it was referred to the committee on agriculture.

BILLS ON FIRST READING.

Bills were introduced, read the first time severally, and referred to appropriate committees, as follows:

By Mr. Adams—

H. 499. To fix the salaries of state officers in this state, including the railroad commissioners;

Fees and salaries.

By Mr. Quarles—

H. 500. To fix the rank of the surgeons of military companies in Alabama;

Military.

Also,

H. 501. To amend section 196 of the code of Alabama;

Military.

Also,

H. 502. To amend section 191 of the code of Alabama;

Military.

By Mr. Appleton (with petition)—

H. 503. To amend section 3018 of the code of 1886 ;

Judiciary.

By Mr. Davis of Fayette—

H. 504. To regulate the apportionment of the school fund in this state by the superintendent of education ;

Education.

By Mr. Leslie—

H. 505. To establish a new charter for the town of Dothan, in Henry county ;

Corporations.

Also,

H. 506. To require railroad companies in this state to keep posted in a conspicuous place in each of their ticket offices, in large letters, the name by which they may be lawfully sued in the courts of this state;

Commerce and common carriers.

Also.

H. 507. To insure the prompt transmission and delivery of telegraph messages;

Commerce and common carriers.

By Mr. Tucker of Lauderdale—

H. 508. To amend sections 1, 5, 8 and 15 of an act to regulate the practice and proceedings in civil cases in the circuit court of Jefferson county in this state and in supreme court, on appeal from judgements rendered in said cases, approved February 28th, 1889 ;

Judiciary.

By Mr. Jackson—

H. 509. To prevent the garnishment of wages of employees, which do not exceed thirty dollars per month ;
Judiciary.
By Mr. Bain—
H. 510. To establish a uniform series of standard school books to be used in the free public schools in Marshall county;
Corporations.
By Mr. Lewis—
H. 511. To fix the rate of taxation in this state;
Ways and means.
By Mr. Kelly—
H. 512. To amend section 1182 of the code of Alabama ;
Judiciary.
By Mr. Longshore—
H. 513. To amend an act to regulate the trial of misdemeanors in Shelby county, Alabama, approved February 28th, 1889;
Judiciary.
Also (by request),
H. 514 To permit the sale of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors at Shelby springs, a summer resort, or watering place, in Shelby county, Alabama ;
Temperance.
By Mr. Forman—
H. 515. To authorize conductors of passenger trains to assign passengers to any car or to seats in any particular part of any car, and to make any passenger resisting such assignment guilty of a misdemeanor;
Commerce and common carriers.
By Mr. Webb (with petition)—
H. 516. To repeal an act entitled an act, to prohibit the sale, giving away, or otherwise disposing of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, intoxicating bitters or cordials, or fruits preserved in alcoholic liquors in all places in Jefferson, Walker, Talladega, Autauga and Fayette counties, except in incorporated towns and cities having police regulatious, approved February 16th, 1889, so far as the same relates to beat No. 14, in the county of Talladega ;
Temperance.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

The chairmen of the several committees reported favora-

bly on the following bills, which were severally read the second time and placed upon the calendar:

H. 474. To establish the city court of Bessemer (with substitute;)

H. 281. To authorize the mayor and councilmen of Tuskegee, Alabama, to license and regulate the sale of spirituous, vinous and malt liquors within the corporate limits of said town;

H. 473. To require all coporations hereafter chartered under the general laws or under special laws to pay for the certificate for the charter (with substitute;)

H. 310. To allow appeals to the supreme court from divisions of the city and circuit courts in state granting or refusing to grant motions for new trial;

H. 357. To prohibit the payment or allowance of claims against the estates of decedents which have been barred by the statutes of limitation in the life of such decedent;

H. 317. To provide tor the sale or lease of school indemnity lands certified to the State of Alabama, by the United States, and to provide for the disposition of the proceeds thereof;

H. 364. To amend an act entitled an act to fix and regulate the time and place of holding the circuit court for the several counties in the state, as far as the same applies to the county of Dale;

H. 363. To fix the time of taking up the civil and criminal dockets and hearing causes thereon in the circuit court of Dale county;

s. 150. To provide for the holding of the circuit court in the counties of Covington, Pike and Butler;

s. 128. To provide for the assessment and collection of taxes in the county of Tallapoosa for the years 1891 and 1892;

H. 231. To amend section 1 of an act entitled an act to increase the criminal jurisdiction of justices of the peace and notaries public having like powers in the counties of Lee, Madison, Jackson, Clarke, Choctaw, Walker and Marion, approved February 8th, 1877, (with substitute;)

n. 232. To authorize the payment of fines and forfeitures in Walker county with the claims of officers of said county which are now or hereafter may be registered against the fine and forfeiture fund of Walker county;

H. 7. To prevent the sale of cigarettes to minors (with substitute;)

H. 452. To authorize and provide for the holding of special terms of the circuit and chancery courts in this state;

H. 274. To authorize the mayor and aldermen of Birmingham to issue bonds of said city for an amount not more than four hundred and fifty thousand dollars ($450,000.00) for the purposes of building and constructing sewers in the said city, and extending sewer mains leading from said city to such point as the board may deem advisable, and for building school houses and furnishing the same, and for paving and macadamizing the streets of said city and making other permanent improvements in said city, and in improving the cemetery ground heretofore purchased by said city, and in paying whatever floating or outstanding debts said city may have on the 1st day of Januarv, 1889, not to exceed thirty-five thousand dollars ($35,000.00;)

H. 430. To ratify and confirm the reorganization of the People's Savings Bank as the People's Bank and to declare the powers and the term or life of the People's Bank ;

n. 429. To change the name of Annie Rebecca Hamilton, of Marengo county, to that of Annie Rebecca Watts;

s. 86. To regulate the disposition of fines arising from prosecutions under the laws of this state for cruelty to children and animals;

H. 421. To create a board of education for the town of Avondale and lo prescribe the powers and duties of same;

H. 439. To prevent stock from running at large in beats two, three, and seventeen in Coosa county;

H. 251. To amend an act entitled an act for the protection of plantations and crops within certain limits in Lauderdale county, Alabama;

H. 489. To authorize and empower the Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis railway to construct, operate and maintain its road or branch thereof in and through the counties of Madison, Marshall, and Etowah in the State of Alabama;

H. 297. To amend section 4641 of the code of Alabama;

H. 340. To amend section 4592 of the code;.

H 295. To amend section 4571 (4546) of the code of Alabama;

s. 71. To amend section 4541 (4492) of the code;

H. 320. To amend and revise the charter of the town of Piedmont;

H. 277. To amend section eighteen (18) of the charter of

the city of Bessemer relative to appeals from the mayor's court of said city ;

H. 319. To ratify and amend the charter of the Security Bank of Alabama;

s. 58. To amend the charter of the city of Montgomery and the various acts amendatory thereof;

s. 4. To amend section 1667 of the code;

s. 50. To provide a system of water works for the city of Montgomery;

n. 312. To amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the town of Gordon, in Henry county, Alabama, approved February 1st,1872;

H. 348. To repeal an act entitled an act to prohibit the sale, giving away, or otherwise disposing of alcoholic, vinous or malt liquors, or other intoxicating drinks, or fruits preserved in alcoholic liquors, within the corporate limits of the town of Moulton, in Lawrence county, or within five miles thereof, and other places therein named, approved February 28, 1889, so far as the same relates to the corporate limits of Moulton, Lawrence county, or within five miles thereof;

H. 409. To punish the distilling of spirituous liquors, other than the distillation of fruits;

H. 419. To prohibit the sale, giving away, or otherwise disposing of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, or intoxicating bitters, or other intoxicating beverages within five miles of Cumberland Presbyterian church, located in the town of Larkinsville, in Jackson county, in the State of Alabama;

H. 436. To prohibit the sale, giving away, or otherwise disposing of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors within six miles of the court house at Daphne, in Baldwin county ;

H. 460. To prohibit the sale of vinous, malt or spirituous liquors, or other intoxicating drinks, within six miles of the Mount Moriah Freewill Baptist church, Pickens county, Alabama;

H. 461. To prohibit the sale, giving away, or otherwise disposing of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, or other intoxicating drinks, within three miles of the Methodist church or school house at Olney, Pickens county, Alabama;

H. 456. To prevent the sale of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors within one-half mile of the Methodist church at the intersection of Davis avenue and St. Stephen's ward, in the village of Toulminville, in Mobile county;

H. 454. To prevent the manufacture, sale, giving away, bartering, exchanging or disposing of alcoholic, vinous or malt liquors, or intoxicating bitters or beverages, in Holly Springs precinct No. 31, in Jackson county ;

H. 446. To prohibit the sale, giving away, or otherwise disposing of vinous, malt or alcoholic liqours, or any intoxicating beverages, within three miles of Clear Creek Cumberland Presbyterian church and New Hope Methodist church, all in Etowah county, Alabama;

H. 467. To prohibit the selling, giving away, or disposing of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors or of alcoholic bitters, cordials or beverages of any kind in Sumter county;

H. 61. To regulate the election of municipal officers in the city of Montgomery ,

H. 362. To authorize the payment of the account of the Brown Printing Company;

s. 69. To confirm the incorporation and organization of the Prattville Cotton Mills, and to define, declare and enlatge the powers of said company, and to change the name of the same;

H. 442. To incorporate the city school board of Selma.

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

H. 174. To amend section one of an act approved February 25, 1889, to provide for the payment of costs in convictions of felony where the defendant is sentenced to the penitentiary,

With substitute pending;

Was taken up.

The substitute was adopted-

The bill was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 70, nays 0.

Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Amason of Talapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Barnett, Bevis, Blackwell, Brown, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davisof Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster, Harrell, Henry, Hill, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Longshore, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Steele, Sullivan,

Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young—70.

s. 17. To amend section 1476 of the code,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 64, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Appleton, Armistead Avery, Barnett, Bevis, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Foster, Gass, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Longshore, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parks, Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rouseau, Sayre, Scott, Smaw, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young—64.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker:

The senate has concurred in the house amendment to the bill

S. 43. To amend an act entitled an act to incorporate t he city of Fort Payne, DeKalb county, Alabama;

And has passed the bills :

H. 52. To provide for a re-registration of all legal claims against the fine and forfeiture fund of Marion county ;

H. 176. To regulate the election county commissioners of Tallapoosa county;

H. 98. To change the boundary line between the counties of Covington and Crenshaw;

n. 115. To separate the office of sheriff and tax collector in Marion county, and to provide for the election of a tax collector;

And has originated and passed and ordered forthwith to the house without engrossment,

s. 110. To regulate the trial of misdemeanors in Lawrence county.

W. L. OLAY,
Secretary.

And has amended, as therein shown, and as amended has concurred in, the house joint resolution relative to increasing the number of judicial circuits in this state.

W.L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The senate bill just received, the title of which is set out in the above message from the senate, was read the first time and referred to judiciary committee.

On motion, the house concurred in the senate amendment to the joint resolution relative to increasing the number of judicial circuits.

SPECIAL ORDERS.

On motion,

H. 474 was made a special order for to-mprrow after reading the journal.

On motion,

H. 297 was made a special order for to-morrow at 11 o'clock a. m.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker :

The senate has adopted the senate joint resolution here with sent, relative to raising a joint commitee to consider what steps, if any, are necessary to give effect to certain of the suggestions contained in the governor's inaugural address.

Committee on part of the senate :

Messrs. Haralson and Stallworth.

And non-concurs in the house amendment by way of a substitute to the bill

S. 27. To prohibit the sale, giving away, or otherwise disposing of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors within half-mile of the City Mission church and the Corinthian Baptist church, in Mobile county ;

And asks a committe of conference thereon.

Committee on the part of the senate :

Messrs. Handley, Cowan and Stansel.
WM. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE.

On motion, the senate joint resolution just received was referred to the committee on judiciary.

On motion, the house acceded to the request of the senate for a conference committee on s. 27.

Committee on part of the house :

Messrs. Gass, Loveless and Cornelius.

At one o'clock p. m. the house adjourned till 3 p. m. To-day.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.
A quorum was present.

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

H. 62. To incorporate the Lineville College, at Lineville, Clay county, Alabama,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 66, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Barnett, Bevis, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman. Gordon, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Northington, Parks, Pettus, Powell, Quarles, Rousseau, Screws, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Watters, Webb,Whatley,Wood, Wilson, Young —66.

H. 451. To authorize the court of county commissioners of Greene county to make an order transferring to the general fund of said county, the balance of the money now in the hands of the county treasurer of Greene county belonging to the sinking fund of special fund, created by said court of county commissioners under the provisions of an act of the general assembly of Alabama, entitled an act to authorize the court of the county commissioners of Greene county, to issue bonds for the purpose of compromising the old bonds of said county, issued in aid of Selma, Marion and Memphis Railroad, approved February 23, 1881, and to authorize the county treasurer of said county on said order being made by said court of commissioners, to transfer to the geneal fund of said county said balance of money in his hands as such treasurer, belonging to said sinking fund, or special fund, and to make said money so transferred apart of the general fund of said county,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 75, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, Davis, of Lamar, Edwards, Forman, Gass, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Judge, Kelly , Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Rousseau, Sayre, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young—75.

H. 400. To repeal an act entitled an act to regulate the issuance of license to sell vinous, spirituous or malt liquors, in the county of Morgan, in so far as the same relates to precinct number one of said county,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 66, nays 2.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Armistead, Avery, Barnett, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of

Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Harrell, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Simmons, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, "Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young—66.

Nays—Messrs. Cornelius and Northington—2.

H. 258. For the relief of M. A. Jennings of Shelby county, (substitute pending,)

Was taken up.

The substitute was adopted and the bill was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 76, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Buck, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Howle, Hufham, Jackson,Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young—76."'

H. 278. To authorize the city of Bessemer to issue its bonds for an amount not exceeding ($50,000.00) fifty thousand dollars, for the purpose of building and constructing sewers, improving the streets, building school-houses, making other permanent improvements in and paying the floating debt of said city, (amendment pending)

Was taken up.

The amendment was adopted, and the bill

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 66, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Amason ofTallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop. Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews,

Cox, Davidson Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Gass, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hufham, Johnson, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parks, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Quarles, Rousseau, Simmons, Smaw, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, White, Wood, Wilson, Young—66.

H. 24. To amend the charter of the city of Anniston,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 70, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Quarles, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Simmons, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale,Watters, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young—70.

H. 248. To establish a new charter for the city of Birmingham,

Was taken up.

Amendments were offered by Mr. Brown and adopted, and the bill

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 72, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Brown, Buck, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Longshore, Meador, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Purity, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker

of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young—72.

H. 329. To ratify and confirm the organization of the Alabama State Land Company,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 67, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Amason of Sumter, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Back, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Pettus, Poole, Powell,Purifoy,Quarles, Rather, Rousseau Simmons, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young—67.

H. 328. To ratify and confirm all contracts, sales, conveyances, and mortgages made by or to the Alabama State Land Company since November 11, 1886,

Was taken up.

Mr. Smith of Russell offered an amendment, which was adopted.

The bill,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 68, nays 1.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Hill, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Sayre, Simmons, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young—68.

May—Mr. Harrell—l.

LEAVE OF ABSBNCE,

Was granted to Mr. Watters indefinitely.

RESOLUTION.

Was offered by Mr. Pettus,

Resolved, That the roll of counties be called at the afternoon session each afternoon, and each member from such county shall have the right to call up one bill; that in case the call shall not be completed in one afternoon, tt shall be resumed the next afternoon at the county next on the call, and continue until the roll 01 counties has been completed; Provided, that in the event the discussion of any bill shall exceed ten minutes, such bill shall go back on the calendar, and the next county shall be called.

At 5 p. m. the house adjourned till 9:30 a. m., to-morrow.

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TWENTIETH DAY.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
FRIDAY, December 5, 1890.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.
Prayer by Rev. Dr. Wharton, of the city.
A quorum was present.
The journal of yesterday was read and approved.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Was granted to Messrs. Moore of Baldwin, and Alexander indefinitely.

CONSIDERATION OF RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Sayre's resolution was adopted;
Mr. Smith's of Russell, resolution was adopted.
Mr. Davis' of Fayette, resolution was adopted ;
Mr. Hufham's resolution was tabled ;
Mr. Pettus' resolution was adopted.

RESOLUTION

Was offered by Mr. Wood,

Resolved, That the committee on education be requested

to inquire into the practicability and advisability of establishing an equal number of separate schools for the whites and blacks in the different townships of the state, to be taught an equal length of time and to be paid for out of the public school fund.

RECONSIDERATION.

On motion of Mr. Pettus, the vote by which
H. 264. To amend the charter of the city of Anniston,
Was passed yesterday,
Was reconsidered;
The vote ordering the bill to a third reading was reconsidered.
Mr. Pettus offered an amendment, which was adopted.
The bill,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 66, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Foster, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young—66.

SPECIAL OBDER.

On motion of Mr. Meador, H. 86 was made a special order for to-day at 12 o'clock.

REPORT FROM COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr Speaker:
The committee on enrolled bills report the following bills correctly enrolled: .
H. 41. To incorporate the East Lake Atheneum;

H. 52. To provide for a re-registration of all legal claims against (he fine and forfeiture fund of Marion county ;
H. 98. To change the boundary line between the counties of Covington and Crenshaw;
H. 115. To separate the office of sheriff and tax collector in Marion county, and to provide for the election of a tax collector;
H. 176. To regulate the election of county commissioners for Tallapoosa county;
C.C. RATHER,
Chairman.

SIGNING OF BILLS.

The speaker of the house, in the presence of the house, immediately after their titles had been publicly read by the clerk, signed the bills, the titles to which are set out in the foregoing report of the chairman of committee on enrolled bills.

BILLS ON FIRST READING

Bills were introduced, severally read the first time, and referred to the appropriate committees, as follows:
By Mr. Hufham—
H. 517. To amend subdivision 9 of section 5 of an act to amend subdivision 2, 5 and 6 of section 6, and subdivision 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 9, 10, 17,18, 20, 29, 31, 32, 33 and 34 of section 14. and to repeal subdivision 8 of section 6 of an act entitled an act lo levy taxes for the use of the slate, and the counties thereof, approved December 11th, 1886, and for' other purposes;
Ways and means.
By Mr. Armistead—
H. 518. To regulate trials by juries in the county court of Clarke county;
Local legislation.
By Mr. Brewer—
H. 519. To incorporate the town of Fort Deposit, in the county of Lowndes;
Corporations.
By Mr. Simmons—
H. 520. To amend an act entitled an act for the preserva-

tion of game animals, birds and fish in Macon county, approved February 11th, 1889 ;

Agriculture,

By Mr. Bain—

H. 521. To abolish the normal schools in this state, and dispose of the property belonging to the state now in possession of the said schools or other persons;

Education.

Also,

H. 522. To require railroad companies whose roads cross or intersect the Tennessee river within this state, and steam boat, or boats, navigating the said river, within this state, to receive and transport, each others freights without discrimination as to rates or otherwise;

Commerce and common carriers,

By Mr. Sullivan—

H. 523. To authorize the governor to contract for three thousand copies of a revised edition of Berney's hand book of Alabama for free distribution by the state, and to provide for a geological map of the state, to be bound in and accompany said copies, and to make an appropriation to carry this act into effect;

Appropriation.

Also (by request, with notice and proof)—

H. 524. For the relief of Chas. A. Marston, Jr., of Mobile county, a minor under the age of eighteen years;

Judiciary.

A1so,

H. 525. To amend section 2931 of the code;

Revision of laws.

By Mr. Kemp—

H. 526. To declare Wm. H. Betts, Luke Coly, A. D. McNiel, Wm. Lane, Jordan M. Crawford and B. T. Johnson,of the county of Conecuh, citizens of Monroe county ;

Local legislation.

By Mr. Cox (by request)—

A petition to prohibit the sale of spirituous or vinous, or malt liquors within five miles of any church or school within this stale;

Temperance.

By Mr. Wilson—

H. 527. To prevent any work on any railroad, farm, house, furnace, shop, bridge, trestle, engine, or any other building

for the purpose of constructing or improving the same on the Sabbath day;

Revision of laws.

By Mr. Purifoy—

H. 528. To repeal an act entitled an act to amend an act to regulate the fees of officers of court against the fine and forfeiture fund of Wilcox county ;

Fees and salaries.

By Mr. Long—

H. 529. To amend section 3789 of the code ;

Judiciary.

Also,

H. 530. To amend section 1435 of the code of Alabama :

Judiciary.

By Mr. Brown—

H.531. To ratify and confirm the organization of the Birmingham and Atlantic Railroad Company, and to confirm and amend the charter thereof; .

Corporations.

Also.

H. 532. To authorize an election for or against prohibition by the citizens of the town of Avondale, and to repeal all laws in conflict therewith ;

Temperance.

By Mr. Wood—

H. 533. To prevent the wrongful and illegal collection of money as commissions on farm products;

Agriculture.

By Mr. Clanton (with notice and proof)—

H. 534. For the relief of Susie Rudder, a teacher of the public school in township 2, range 8, in Jackson county ;

Education.

By Mr. Edwards—

H. 535. To prevent the obstruciion of any of the streams in Dale connty by the erection of dams, or hedges across said streams where fish are caught by trapping or otherwise ;

Local legislation.

Also,

H. 536. To repeal an act to prohibit the sale, giving away, or otherwise disposing of spirituous, vinous, or malt liquors, or intoxicating bitters at or within one mile of Newton Academy in Dale county, and approved February

21st, 1887, be, and the same is hereby repealed, in so far as the same relates to Newton Academy in Dale county;

Temperance.

By Mr. Clements (Mr. Brown in the chair.)

H. 537. To incorporate the town of Northport, approved February 12, 1879, by adding the following sections to said act incorporating said town.

Corporations.

By Mr. Lewis—

H. 538. To appropriate the sum of twenty thousand dollars to be expended in the maintenance and improvement of the Medical College of Alabama, under the direction of the board of trustees thereof.

Education.

By Mr. Clements—

A memorial from Alabama Methodist Conference, protesting against repeal of prohibition law in Tuskegee, which was referred to the committee on temperance.

By Mr. Meador—

H. 539. To fix the number of representatives in the house of representatives of the general assembly of this state, and to apportion them among the several counties of this state.

Also,

H. 540. To provide for senatorial representation in the general assembly of Alabama.

Mr. Meador moved that the bills—

H. 539, and H. 540 be referred to a special committee of five members to be appointed by the speaker.

Lost.

Yeas 37, nays 52.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Bain, Brown, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Davidson, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gilchrist. Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Hill, Howle, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Long, Meador, Nolen, Parks, Rather, Sayre, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Thrasher, Wade—37.

Nays—Messrs. Alexander Amason of Sumter, Avery, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, C!layton,Grew8,Oox,Davis of Fayette, Edwards, Cass,Gordon, Harris, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Northington,

Parker, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons. Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young—52.

And the speaker then referred bill, H. 539 and 540 to committee on privileges and elections.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

The chairman of the several committees reported favorably on the following bills, which were severally read the second time and placed upon the calendar.

H. 402. To make repairs on the capitol building, for furniture in the public rooms, and for work on the public grounds;

H. 401. To provide for the more efficient working, keeping up, repairing, and improving the public roads and bridges, and opening and making new public roads and bridges in the county of Morgan, to locate, construct and build within the limits of the county, a system of public roads of a superior grade,to be known and designated as county roads ;

H. 191. To repeal an act entitled an act to establish a court of county revenues for Chilton county, approved February 28, 1887;

H. 469. To authorize the citizens of beat three, seven, fourteen, fifteen and eighteen of Tallapoosa county to erect gates across public and private roads in said beats ;

H. 470. To amend an act entitled an act, for the preservation of game animals and birds in the counties of Tuskaloosa and Calhoun, approved February 27, 1889, so far as the same applies to Tuskaloosa county ; (Amendment).

H. 418. To amend an act passed by the general assembly of Alabama, and approved February 28, 1889, entitled an act for the preservation of game animals and birds in the county of Greene;

H. 433. To provide a fund for the payment of witnesses for the state, in the circuit and county courts of Wilcox county, and to prescribe their compensation ;

H. 287. To amend section one of an act entitled an act for the protection and preservation of game animals and birds in Perry county, approved February 7, 1885 ;

H. 481. To provide for the support of the indigent soldiers of the late confederate states army and navy, who are

now bona fide citizens of Greene county, Alabama; (Amendment.)

H. 482. To require the amount of all special taxes-for building and repairing bridges and cause-ways, and repairing court-house or jail, levied and collected by Crenshaw county, in excess of the amount actually needed at the time for such special purposes for which such taxes were levied and collected, to be kept in the county treasury, separate and apart from all other funds, and' to be used only for the special purposes for which it was levied and collected;

H. 374. To amend section four of an act entitled an act, to more effectually secure competent and well qualified jurors in the several counties of this State, with the exceptions that the provisions of this act shall not apply to the counties of Henry, Mobile, Dallas, Talladega, Olay, Marengo, Cherokee, Etowah, St. Clair, Coffee, Dale, Geneva, Marshall and Montgomery, approved February 28, 1887, so far as the same relates to the county of Marion ;

H. 369. To provide for elections in Jasper Beat, Horse Greek Beat, Days Gap Beat and Carbon Hill Beat in Walker county, Alabama, to determine whether or not, the sale, giving away or otherwise disposing of vinous, malt or spirituous liquors in the incorporated towns in said beats shall be prohibited;

H. 180½. To amend an act entitled an act to require the county commissioners of Conecuh county, to procure printed blank forms of certain conveyances, and printed blank record books in conformity therewith, for the use of, and distribution by the probate judge of said county, and to regulate the fees for recording the same;

H. 453. To exempt the producer of native wines from the payment of licenses for wholesaling the same.

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

By unanimous consent.

H. 381. To incorporate the city of Ozark in the county of Dale,

Amendment pending,

Was taken up.

The amendment was adopted, and the bill read the third time at length and passed—yeas 63, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Sumter, Amason of

Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Bain, Barnett, Bass,Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Nolen, Northington, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Simmons, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young—63.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

By his recording secretary, Mr. Jones :

CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICE,
MONTGOMERY, ALA.,
DECEMBER 5TH, 1890.

Gentlemen of the Senate and of the House of Representatives:

I have approved house bills numbers 40 and 45.

Although these bills charter corporations with large capital stock, and with the privilege of still further increasing it, not a dollar of the stock is required to be paid in before the corporations are authorized to transact business, or at any other time except m the discretion of the corporations. The general incorporation laws wisely require a certain per cent. of the subscribed capital to be paid in before the corporations can organize and do business, and while the state can afford to be liberal in facilitating the organization of cor-porations for its development, there is no good reason why special exemptions from paying any part of the capital stock before engaging in business should be given by special acts, when they are denied by the general law.

Scrutiny of these bills was as probably lulled by the fact that they are copies of the acts of the last general assembly. Their speedy passage, as 1 am reliably informed, will cause large investments in Alabama, which will be imperilled by the necessary delay in amending]the bills in these particulars.

In view of these facts, and the control reserved to the general assembly by section 1 of article 14 of the constitu-

tion, I did not deem it my duty to withhold my approval, but my action on these bills is not intended as a precedent in like cases should they arise in the future.

THOS. G. JONES,
Governor.

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

By unanimous consent.

H. 317. To provide for the sale or lease of school indemnity lands certified to the State of Alabama by the United States, and to provide for the disposition of the proceeds thereof,

Was taken up and read the third time at length.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker:

The senate has concurred in the report of the conference committee on the disagreement of the two houses as to the bill,

H. 88. For the preservation of game animals and birds in the county of Walker ;

Also, in the report of the conference committee on the disagreement of the two houses as to the bill,

H. 170. To prohibit the sale, giving away of, or otherwise disposing of intoxicating liquors within one-half (½) mile in every direction of Bethel church at Adams Cotton Mills near the city of Montgomery ;

And has non-concurred in the house amendment to the bill,

s. 36. To make the office of commissoner of agriculture elective ;

And has passed the bills,

H. 29. To amend sections two (2) and five (5) of an act entitled an act to establish a new charter for the city of Gadsden, approved January 27, 1883;

H. 333. To incorporate "The City of Girard" in Russell county;

And has originated and passed the bill,

s. 184. To regulate the payment of interest due by the state in New York;

s. 113. To regulate and prescribe the manner of electing county commissioners in the counties of Lamar, Fayette, Marion and Franklin ;

s. 115. To declare the town of Jacksonville, in Calhoun county, Alabama, a watering place within the meaning of section 4053 of the code of l886 ;

s. 158. To ratify and confirm the reorganization of the Peoples Savings Bank as the Peoples Bank and to declare the powers and term of life of the Peoples Bank.

The president of the senate has appointed on the joint committee raised to consider the propriety of increasing the number of judicial circuits in the state: Messrs. Godfrey, Stallworth, Stansel, Haralson, Smith of Autauga, and Hundley.

W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE.

Mr. Adams moved that the house insist on its amendment to s. 36 and request a committee of conference, consisting of three on the part of the house and two on the part of the senate.

Mr. Pettus moved as a substitute that the house recede from its amendment.

Lost.

Mr. Adams motion was then adopted.

The senate bills just received, whose titles are set forth in the above and foregoing message, were severally read once, and referred to committees as follows:

s. 184, to ways and means.

s. 158, to revision of laws.

s. 113 and 115 lo local legislation.

The hour of one p. m. arrived and the house adjourned till 3 p. in. To-day.

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AFTERNOON SESSION.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.

Leave of absence was Granted to Dr. Wood on account of sickness, and to Mr. Meador indefinitely.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The house proceeded to consider

H. 317. To provide for the sale or lease of school indemnity lands certified to the State of Alabama by the United States and to provide for the disposition of the proceeds thereof;

And the bill passed—yeas 69, nays 0.

Yea.s—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Barnett, Bevis, Brown, Burford, Clayton, Coleman,Cooper, Cornelius, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Loveless, Meador, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Peacock, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrash Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauerdale, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young—69.

BILLS ON THIRD BEADING.

H. 69. To amend the charter of the city of Uniontown, county of Perry, State of Alabama (with amendment),

Was taken up.

The amendment was adopted,

And the bill was read the third time at length and passed —yeas 67, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Barnett, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davisof Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Forman, Gass, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rousseau, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, White, Wood, Wilson, Young—67.

s. 69 To confirm the incorporation and organization of the Prattville Cotton Mills, and to define, declare and en-

large the powers of said company and to change the name of the same,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 64, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Bain, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Harris, Henry, Jackson, Johnson, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Sayre, Simmons, Smith of -Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, White, Wood, Wilson, Young—64.

H. 94. To amend and add to an act to amend section 1319 of the code so far as the same relates to the town of Louisville, Barbour county (with substitute),

Was taken up;

The substitute was adopted, and the bill was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 59, nays 1.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead,Avery,Bain,Barnett,Blackwell, Brown, Burford, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Crews, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Forman, Gordon, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Hill, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Loveless, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Rousseau, Sayre, Simmons, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, White, Wilson, Young—59.

Nay—Mr. Clayton.

H. 356. To permit the sale, giving away, bartering, exchanging, or otherwise disposing of alcoholic, spirituous, vinous or malt liquors and intoxicating bitters, beverages, and fruits preserved in alcoholic liquors, within the corporate limits of the town of Clio, an incorporated town having police regulation, in Barbour county,

Was read the third time at length and lost—yeas 29, nays 33.

Yeas—Messrs. Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa,

Avery,Bain. Brown, Clanton, Clayton, Edwards, Gilchrist, Harrell, Jones, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Nolen, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Rather, Sayre, Scott, Steele, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, White—29.

Nays—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Appleton, Armistead, Barnett, Buck, Burford, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davis of Fayette, Gass, Gordon, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leslie, Loveless, Northington, Parks, Purifoy, Rousseau, Townsend of Pike, Webb, Wilson, Young—33.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

By Mr. Jones, recording secretary:

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR.
MONTGOMERY,
December 5, 1890.

To the House of Representatives:

I herewith return to the house, in which it originated, without my approval, and for the reconsideration required by the constitution,

H. 83. "An act to amend rule 4 of chancery practice, page 811 of the Code of Alabama."

The object of the bill is to amend rule 4 of chancery practice, in reference to orders grantable before the register.

These rules are framed under statutory authority by the supreme court, and the object of leaving this authority to the court was that it might from time to time vary and change these rules as experience might, dictate. It is not deemed wise to lay down an inflexible rule which can only be changed by the action of the legislature.

The supreme court has already made the change desired to be effected by this bill.

For these reasons, and at the request of the author of the bill, it is returned without my approval.

THOS. G. JONES,
Governor.

The house reconsidered the bill

H. 83. To amend rule 4 of chancery practice, page 811, Code of Alabama;

And the question being whether or not the bill should pass —the governor's veto notwithstanding,

And the bill was lost,

Yeas 0, nays 85.

Nays—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Amason of Sumter, Amason ofTallapoosa,Appleton,Armistead, Avery, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crew,s Cox, Davidson, Davisof Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Hill Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young—85.

At 5 p. m. the house adjourned till 9 :30 a. m. to-morrow.

TWENTY-SECOND DAY.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

SATURDAY, December 6, 1890.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Dr. Wharton of the city.

A quorum was present.

The journal of yesterday was read and approved.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Was granted to Messrs. Powell, Simmons, and Sparkman, for one day.

RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Johnson moved to reconsider the vote by which

H. 356. To permit the sale, giving away, bartering, ex-

changing, or otherwise disposing of alcoholic, spirituous, vinous and malt liquors and intoxicating bitters, beverages and fruits preserved in alcoholic liquors, within the corporate limits of the town of Clio, an incorpora-ed town having police regulation, in Barbour county,

Was lost on yesterday,

Carried.

The bill was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 48,nays 23.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Sumter, Amason ofTallapoosa, Armistead, Avery, Bain, Brewer, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Cox, Davis of Lamar, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Harrell, Jones, Judge, Kelly Lane, Langley, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, White—48;

Nays—Messrs. Adams, Appleton, Blackwell, Buck, Coleroan, Cornelius, Crews, Davis of Fayette, Finch, Harris, Henry, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Kemp, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Loveless, Northington. Purifoy, Townsend of Pike, Wilson, Young--23 .

BILL ON THIRD READING.

By unanimous consent.

H. 369. To provide for elections in Jasper beat, Horse Creek beat, Day's Gap beat and Carbon Hill beat, in Walker county, Alabama, to determine whether or not the sale, giving away, or otherwise disposing of vinous, malt or spirituous liquors in the incorporated towns now in said beats shall be prohibited,

Was taken up,

And was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 59, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Henry, Hill, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather,

Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Webb, White, Young—59.

CONSIDERATION OF RESOLUTIONS.

The resolution of Mr. Wood,

To instruct the committee on education to investigate the propriety of establishing separate schools for whites and blacks in each township at the expense of the school fund,

Was adopted.

RESOLUTIONS

Were introduced by Mr. Pettus :

Resolved, That after this day the call of counties and committees be dispensed with until after the recess ;

Also,

Resolved, That in the morning sessions no bill» be considered except senate bills on the calendar on favorable report;

Also,

Resolved, That this house of representatives mourns the loss to the State of Alabama by his untimely death, of the speaker of the last house, Hon. Clem. C. Shorter;

Resolved further, That a committee of three be appointed by the speaker to draft suitable resolutions of respect to his memory,

Resolved further, That the consideration of such resolutions be made a special order for 12 o’clock un Tuesday next;

By unanimous consent the resolutions in. relation to Mr. Shorter were considered and adopted;

And the speaker appointed Messrs. Pettus, Smith of Russell, and Webb under the above resolution.

BILLS ON FIRST READING.

Bills were introduced, read severally the first time, and referred to appropriate committees, as follows :

By Mr. Harrell—

H. 541. To amend the charter of the city of Greenville, and the various acts amendatory thereof;

Corporations.

By Mr. Northington—

H. 542. To authorize the election of four commissioners for the court of county commissioners of Chilton county, and to direct the court of county revenues of said county to turn over and deliver the records and papers on file in said court of county commissioners of said county of Chilton ;

Local legislation.

By Mr. Rather—

H. 543. To amend section ten (10) of an act entitled an act to provide a new charter for the city of Tuscumbia, Alabama, approved February 28th, 1887 ;

Corporations.

By Mr. Loveless—

H. 544. To provide for the better maintenance and support of the public schools of Escambia county ;

Education.

By Mr. Brown—

H. 545. To require the commissioners court of Jefferson county to pay for assistance to the solicitor for said county, in suppressing crime, out of certain funds in the county treasury;

Judiciary.

By Mr. Simmons (with petition)—

H. 546. To change the county line between the counties of Tallapoosa and Macon ;

Counties and county boundaries.

By Mr. Lewis—

H. 547. To amend section 2533 of the code;

Revision of laws.

By Mr. Screws (by request and with notice and proof)—

H. 548. For the relief of Thornton N. Talliafarro, a minor;

Judiciary.

Also,

H. 549. To require warehousemen and public ginners to keep all property entrusted to them as such, insured while the same may be in their custody;

Agriculture.

By Mr. Amason of Sumter—

H. 550. To improve the penitentiary and convict system of Alabama;

Penitentiary and criminal administration.

By Mr. Long—

H. 551. To confer additional powers upon the Jasper Land Company, a corporation whose charter was ratified and confirmed by an act of the general assembly of Alabama, approved February 27th, 1889, for the purpose of enabling the said Jasper Land Company to enhance the value of its property;

Judiciary.

By Mr. Finch—

H. 552. To provide a new charter for the town of Russellville;

Corporations.

By Mr. Smaw—

H. 553. To more effectually provide for working the public roads of the state and to provide for the appointment of a public road inspector for the several counties of the state ;

Public roads and highways.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

The chairman of the several committees reported favorably on the folllowing bills, which were severally read a second time aud placed on the calendar :

H. 54. To amend sections two and four of an act entitled an act, to facilitate the giving of bonds required by law, and authorizing certain corporations to become sole surety thereon, (with substitute;)

H. 260. To amend section 2765 of the code of Alabama ;

H. 211. To protect oysters on the public beds and reefs in the waters of the stale of Alabama, (with substitute) ;

s. 83. To provide for the humane killing of animals so maimed or crippled by railroad locomotives or cars, as to be unable to procure food or drink for themselves;

s. 84. To prevent the abandonment of maimed, diseased, disabled, infirm or dead animals by their owners or custodians;

H. 393. To provide for the collection of taxes from persons removing from one county lo another during the tax year;

H. 91. To levy a state and county tax on peddlers of clocks and sewing machines, (with amendment) ;

H. 394. To amend section 458 of the code ;

H. 230. To amend sub-division eleven of section 453 of the code, (with substitute);

s. 66. To constitute the city of Anniston, a separate school district, and to provide a board of education therefor;

H. 412. To create a separate school district for the city of Oneonta, Alabama ;

H. 314. To establish the Cleveland school district in Blount county;

H. 11. To establish a separate school district in Dale county, to be known as Deans school district;

H. 279. To create a board of education for the city of Bessemer, and to prescribe the powers and duties of the same ;

H. 398. To establish a separate school district to be known as the Hartsell school district, in Morgan county, Alabama, and for the election of a board of trustees for said school district, with certain powers and privileges;

n. 200. To establish a separate school district to be known as the Lovelace school district embracing all that portion of township eight, range eight, eight east in DeKalb county, Alabama, lying 011 top of Lookout Mountain, the main top of said mountain being the western boundary of said school district; also, to make provisions for a superintendent of the same;

H. 370. To authorize the mayor and council of Anniston, to issue bonds of said city for an amount not exceeding fifty thousand dollars, for the purpose of purchasing land and erecting and equiping school buildings thereon ;

H. 445. To constitute the town of Attalla a separate school district, and to provide for the monagement of the schools of said district ;

s. 72. To incorporate the city school board of Selma ;

H. 491. To prevent hogs from running at large in a part of Madison county as therein described ;

H. 480. To prevent the wrongful or illegal collections of money on farm produce as storage ;

H. 180. To declare certain water courses within and on the boundaries of Conecuh county navigable streams, and to more effectually prevent the obstruction of the same, (with substitute) ;

H. 391. To provide for the safety and convenience of females going into and out of passenger trains on the various railways in the state of Alabama, (amendment);

H. 119. To promote the comfort of passengers on railroad trains, (with substitute) ;

H. 378. To make appropriation for the payment of the railroad commissioners and their clerks, and for other expenses of the railroad commission ;

H. 358. To incorporate the Brewton Institute of Brewton, Alabama, (with substitute;)

H. 343. To incorporate the Birmingham, Macon and Pacific Railway Company and to further the construction of said railway, (amendment;)

H. 505. To establish a new charter for the town of Dothen in Henry county ;

H. 531. To ratify and confirm the organization of the Birmingham and Atlantic Railroad Company and to confirm and amend the charter thereof, (with amendment;)

H. 518. To regulate trial by juries in the county court of Clarke county ;

H. 422. To authorize the mayor and councilmen of the town of Avondale to issue bonds of said town for an amount not exceeding fifteen thousand dollars for the purpose of building a school house, paying floating debt of the town, improving the streets, constructing sewers and making other improvements in said town, (substitute pending;)

S. 98. To incorporate the Montgomery Hayneville and Camden Railroad;

s. 63. To incorporate the Tennesssee River Ashville and Coosa Railroad Company, and to further the construction thereof, (amendment;)

H. 275. To repeal an act entitled an act relating to the working of male convicts sentenced to hard labor for the county of Jefferson upon the public roads of said county ;

n. 72. To prevent the tying or staking out of any stock or alongside of any public road, (amendment;)

H. 463. To regulate the fine and forfeiture fund of Pike county;

H. 499. To fix the salaries of state officers in this state, including the railroad commissioners ;

s. 96. To prescribe the duties and provide for the compensation of the county solicitor of Talledega county ;

n. 184. To authorize constables in Russell county to receive the same fees, for executing process from justice courts in criminal cases as sheriffs are allowed by law for serving process in criminal cases from circuit court as far as the same may be applicable ;

s. 116. To regulate the trial of misdemeanor m Lawrence county ;

H. 107. To authorize the recording of maps of property in Jefferson county which from oversight or otherwise have not been hitherto recorded;

H. 247. To require all fines and forfeitures in criminal cases in the county of Jefferson to be paid in lawful money;

H. 239. To amend section 3974 of the code of Alabama ;

H. 233. To amend section four of an act entitled an act, in relation to trial of misdemeanors in Walker county, approved February 23, 1883 ;

H. 207. To change and fix the rule of descents and distributions in this state as to persons dying intestate who leave no widow or children or their descendants, but who leave parents surviving them;

H. 206. To amend section 34 and 11 of an act entitled an act to establish the criminal court of Jefferson county ;

H. 160. To allow the sheriff of Franklin county more time to summons jurors.

H. 345. To amend section 3736 (4304) of the code ;

H. 344. To amend section 2307 of the code ;

H. 307. To ratify and amend the incorporation of the Birmingham Bar Association,of Birmingham, Alabama, and to enlarge the powers thereof:

H. 293. To change the time of taking up the criminal docket in the circuit court of Marion county ;

H. 276. To confirm the charter of the Birmingham Building and Loan Association; to define and declare the powers; to provide for the increase of the capital stock, and to extend the time within which said association shall continue to exist as a corporation ;

H. 496. To amend an act entitled an act to amend section 3682 of the Code of Alabama, approved February 26, 1889 ;

H. 448. To authorize the mayor and aldermen of the town of Attalla, in Etowah county, to issue bonds of said town for the purpose of providing said town with gas or electric lights and water, building and constructing sewers, building school houses, and to create a board of commissioners to manage, control, and invest the proceeds of said bonds;

H. 441. To repeal and abolish the laws of champerty and maintenance ;

H. 440. To regulate the pay of the judge of probate and clerk of the circuit court of Covington county for services ex-officio;

H. 427. To regulate the service of process of Jefferson county;

H. 386. To enlarge and regulate the jurisdiction of justices of the peace and notaries public who are ex-officio justices of the peace for precincts 21 and 37, city of Birmingham, and precinct 33, city of Bessemer, and precint 29, Pratt Mines, Jefferson county, Alabama (with amendment) ;

H. 282. To amend section 2858 of the Code of Alabama;

H. 177. To declare conditional sales of personal property void unless in writing, and to require that such sales be recorded in order lo be valid as against purchasers for value and judgment creditors without notice, and to regulate the recording of the same;

H. 173. To amend sections 1, 7, 15,16,19, 21, 23 and 24 of an act to establish a criminal court for the county of Pike, with criminal jurisdiction in misdemeanor cases, and to repeal certain sections therein(with substitute);

H. 508. To amend sections 1, 5, 8 and 13 of an act to regulate the practice and proceedings in civil cases in the circuit of Jefferson county, of this stale, and in supreme court on appeal from judgments rendered in said cases, approved February 28,1889 ;

H. 498. To declare the true intent and meaning of an act approved February 19, 1889, and entitled an act to amend an act entitled an act to r lease the Tennessee and Coosa Railroad Company from its indebtedness to the State of Alabama;

s. 89. To amend an act to amend section 1759 of the code, approved February 26, 1889;

H. 306. To dissolve the bonds of matrimony between W. H. Hays and Elizabeth Hays, a lunatic, and to allow W. H. Hays to marry again;

H. 152. To incorporate the “Alabama Northern Railway Company,” and to further the construction of the same;

H. 84. To prohibit pools, trusts or combines to regulate or control the prices of produce, goods, wares or merchandise in this state (with amendment);

H. 17. To amend section 3812 of the Code of Alabama, (with substitute) ;

s. 101. To repeal, in part, an act in relation to trials for misdemeanors in Tuskaloosa and other counties therein named, approved March 19, 1875 ;

S. 55. To repeal section 4193 of the code, so far as the

same relates to the county of Bullock, and county court, and provide for the transfer of the unfinished business in said court to the circuit court of said county ;

s. 60. To amend and extend the charter of the Commercial Bank of Selma, and to amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the Selma Savings Company, approved December 10, 1864, and an act entitled an act to amend the act entitled an act to incorporate Selma Savings Company, approved February 23, 1866, and an act entitled an act to change the name of the Selma Savings Company to the Selma Savings Bank, approved January 28, 1870, and an act entitled an act to change the name of the Selma Savings Bank to the Commercial Bank of Selma, approved February 10, 1879;

H. 106. To incorporate the Alabama State Mining and Manufacturing Company;

H. 104. To authorize the court of county commissioners of Fayette county to issue the bonds of said county for an amount not exceeding twenty thousand dollars, for the purpose of building a court house and jail in said county ;

S. 102. To amend section 750 of the code;

H. 300. To repeal an act entitled an act to establish an inferior court for Cullman county, approved March 1, 1881;

H. 99. To allow the probate judge, and the probate judge as the judge of the county court, clerk of the county court, sheriff and clerk of the circuit court of Dale county, to sell or dispose of the fine and forfeiture claims in the same way and manner that stale witnesses are allowed to dispose of their claims, (with substitute);

H. 42. To require the judge of the probate court of Jefferson county, in this state, to have made general indexes to the deed and mortgage records in his office prior to February 17, 1887, and to allow compensation therefor out of the county treasury of said county.

REPORTS OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEES.

Mr. Speaker:
We, your committee on conference on part of the house and senate, in reference to

H. 88. For the preservation of game-animals and birds in the county of Walker,

Have had the same under consideration, and recommend that section 1, as written by your committee and attached hereto, be substituted iii lien of the senate amendment and in lieu of the section 1 as contained in the said original H. 88.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

T. L. LONG,
J. M. FOSTER,
T. K. JONES,
Committee on part of House.
JNO. T. MILNER,
R. L. BRADLEY.
WM. E. SKEGGS,
Committee on part of Senate.

The report was concurred in,

Yeas 60, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead,Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette. Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Forman, Foster, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Hill, Jackson, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Wilson, Young—60.

Mr. Speaker:

The committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two houses on the senate amendment to

H. 142. To make the fees of bonded constables in Tuskaloosa connty the same as sheriffs fees when they perform the same or similar services,

Have had the same under consideration, and ask leave to report and recommend as follows, viz.:

1st. That the house concur in the senate amendment so far as said amendment relates to and embraces the county of Baldwin, in the provisions of said bill;

2d. That the senate recede from its said amendment of said bill so far as relates to the county of Wilcox so as to exclude the said county of Wilcox from the provisions of said bill;

3d. We recommend that said bill be amended so as to exclude the counties of Jefferson, Perry, Walker and Franklin from the provisions of said bill.

JOHN PURIFOY,
GEO. P. WHITE,
M. B. KELLY,
Committee on part of House.
S. D. BLOCH,
W. T. DOWNEY,
DAN'L WILLIAMS,
Committee on part of Senate.

The above report was concurred in—yeas 58, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Bass, -Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Buck, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Parks, Pettus, Poole, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Smaw, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Wade, Webb, White, Wilson, Young—58.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker :

The senate has concurred in the report or the conference committee on the disagreement of the two houses as to bill

s. 27. To prohibit the sale, giving away, or otherwise disposing of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, within half a mile of the City Mission church and the Corinthian Baptist church, in Mobile county, and other places therein named (omnibus prohibition bill);

And has conferred in the report of the conference committee on the disagreement of the two houses as to the bill

H. 70. To authorize the mayor and council of the city of Uniontown to issue bonds of said city for an amount not exceeding twenty-five thousand dollars, bearing six per cent. interest, payable semi annually,for the purpose of erecting or providing said city with waterworks, and for funding the indebtedness of said city.

WM. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

Guthrie, Harrell. Hill, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Purifoy, Quarles, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, White, Wilson, Young—64.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker :

The senate has originated and passed the following bills :

s. 46. To provide for the pay of mileage to constables and bailiffs for their attendance upon the different courts of the state ;

s. 126. To provide for the recording of bonds for title ;

s. 118. To dissolve garnishments in cases where the defendant executes bond to plaintiff;

s. 166. To authorize and empower the Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis Railway to construct, operate and maintain its road, or a branch thereof, in and through the counties of Madison, Marshall and Etowah, m the State of Alabama;

And has passed the following bills :

H. 162. To amend section 1174 of the code ;

H. 144. To amend section 1 of an act to prevent stock from running at large in the several beats of Randolph and Calhoun counties, and to authorize elections thereon, approved February 27, 1889;

H. 32. To provide for the holding of elections in the several beats in Geneva county, to determine whether alcoholic, vinous or malt liquors shall be sold in such beats;

H. 31. To provide for the permanent location of the county site of Fayette county by the vote of the people of said county;

H. 146. To establish a charter for the town of Woodlawn, in Jefferson county, Alabama ;

H. 159. To incorporate Fairview M. E. Church, South, and Friendship Baptist church, situated in township 8, range 7, DeKalb county, Alabama, in close proximity, with the following named trustees and their successors in office, viz.: James A. Young, James M. Pickens, J. A. Dobbins, Peter F.

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Stewart and B. D. Ward, chosen by their respective churches;

And has originated and passed and ordered forthwith to the house without engrossment,

The bill

s. 174. To create a new charter for the town of Jacksonville, Alabama.

And has passed the bill,

H. 166. To amend section 128 of the code of 1886,

And accedes to the request of the heuse for the appointment of a committee of conference on the disagreement of the two houses as to the bill

s. 36. To make the office of commissioner of agriculture elective;

Provided the committee on the part of the senate shall consist of three members.

In accordance with this proviso, the president of the senate has appointed as conferees on said bill on the part of the senate: Messrs. Stansel, Parks and Handley.

W.L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The senate bills just received, whose titles are set forth in the above and foregoing; message, were severally read once and referred to committees, as follows:

s. 46, to ways and means.

S. 118 and 126, to judiciary.

S. 166 and 174, to corporations.

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

By unanimous consent Mr. Brewer called up:

H. 86. To amend subdivision thirty-one (31) of section 629 of the code of Alabama.

The substitute was adopted.

Mr. Amason of Sumter offered the following amendment: Amend subdivision 31, for peddlers in a wagon drawn by one-horse or other animal $80, in a wagon drawn by two horses or other animals, $100; on a horse or other animal, $50 ; on foot $30.

Lost.

Mr. Jones moved to indefinitely postpone the consideration of the bill, which was lost—yeas 9, nays 54.

Yeas—Messrs. Bain, Forman, Foster, Jones, Kelly, Nolen, Northington, Townsend of Limestone, and Tucker of Crenshaw.

Nays—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Amason of Sumter, Appleton, Armistead, Avery,Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer,Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Gilchrist, Gordon, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hill, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Kemp,Lee of Barbour, Leeof Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Loveless, Pettus, Purifoy, Quarles, Rousseau, Sayre, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, White.

Mr. Avery offered the following amendment:

Amend,

By striking out where it occurs in the bill the sentence commencing with the words “any person.”

Lost.

The bill was read read the third time at length and passed.

Yeas 54, nays 17.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Bain, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Hill, Hufham, Jackson,Judge, Langley, Lee of Barbour,Lee of Coneculi, Leigh,Lewis, Long, Loveless, Poole, Purifoy, Rousseau, Sayre, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, White, Wilson, Young.

Nays—Messrs. Adams, Avery, Foster, Harris, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Longshore, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Pettus, Quarles, .Rather, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw.

The bill was ordered to senate forthwith.

By unanimous consent Mr. Northington called up

H. 7. To prevent the sale of cigarettes to minors.

The substitute with the following title was adopted:

To prevent the sale, furnishing, giving or providing to any minor eighteen years of age of cigarettes, tobacco or cigarette paper or any substitute therefor;

The bill was read at length the third lime and passed.
Yeas 57, nays 10.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Burford, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Steele, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Webb, Wood, Wilson.

Nays—Messrs. Avery, Brewer, Buck, Judge, Kelly, Poole, Sullivan,Tucker of Lauderdale, Whatley, Young.

On motion the house adjourned till 9:30 a. m., Monday.

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TWENTY-THIRD DAY.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

MONDAY, Dec. 8,1890.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Dr. Burkhead of the city.

A quorum was present.

The journal of Saturday was read and approved.

LEAVE OF ABSBNCE

Was granted to Messrs. Bishop, Blackwell and Barnett for one day.

On motion

s. 25 was recommitted to the committee on revision of laws.

CONSIDERATION OF RESOLUTIONS.

The senate joint resolution relative to the appointment of a committee to consider certain parts of Gov. Jones' message,

Was, on motion of Mr. Northington amended, and as amended adopted,

And the speaker appointed Messrs Clayton, Adams and Lewis.

Mr. Pettus' resolutions were lost.

By unanimous consent Mr. Northington introduced the following resolution which was adopted.

Resolved, That the regular order of business be suspended for to-day for the purpose of calling each county,, and upon such call each member may call up one bill upon the calendar commencing where the call was left off Saturday.

Also, by unanimous consent, by Mr. Pettus,

Resolved by the House the Senate concurring, That the Governor be requested to inform the general assembly whether or not the Secretary of the Interior of the United States has certified to him the population of the State of Alabama by counties, and if so to transmit to the general assembly such official certification,

Which was adopted.

REPORT FROM COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Speaker:

The committee on enrolled bills report the following bills correctly enrolled:

H. 49. For the relief of H. McVay Moore, late sheriff of Lauderdale county;

H. 50 For the relief of Robert E. Yarbrough, a minor, under eighteen years of age, of Lee county, from the disabilities of non age;

H. 88. For the preservation of game animals and birds in the county of Walker ;

H. 89. To provide suitable compensation for the superintendent of education of the county of Walker;

H. 166. To amend section 728 of the code ;

H. 333. To incorporate the city of Girard, -Russell county;

H. 349. To prohibit the sale, giving away or otherwise disposing of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, or intoxicating bitters or beverages within the limits of precinct number one (1) in Jackson county, Alabama ;

H. 31. To provide for the permanent location of the county site of Fayette county, by the vote of the people of said county;

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eral beats of Geneva county, to determine whether alcoholic, vinous or malt liquors shall be sold in such beats ;

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C. C. RATHER,
Chairman.

SIGNING OF BILLS.

The speaker of the house in the presence of the house, immediately after their titles had been publicly read by the clerk, signed the bills, the titles of which are set out in the above report of the committee on enrolled bills.

BILLS ON FIRST READING.

The following bills were introduced, read the first time severally and referred to appropriate committees:

By Mr. Clayton—

H. 554. To amend an act to incorporate Irby Female Seminary ;

Education.

By Mr. Adams—

H. 555. To amend section 4616 of the code ;

Penitentiiary and criminal administration.

By Mr. Edwards—

H. 556. To create and establish a separate school district in Hale and Geneva counties, to be known as county line school districts in Dale and Geneva counties;

Education.

Also,

H. 557. To repeal an ant to amend section 1632 of the code of Alabama, approved February 12, 1885, so far as the same relates to Dale county ;

Public roads and highway?.

By Mr. Clanton—

H. 558. To confer certain powers, rights and privileges in the state of Alabama, upon the Atlanta and Birmingham Railroad Company, a corporation chartered under and by virtue of the laws of the state of Georgia ;

Corporations.

By Mr. Brown (with notice)—

s. 559. To ratify and confirm the agreement of consolidation, made by, and between the Jefferson Iron Company, and the Irondale company of Jefferson county on the 18th day of April, 1890.

Judiciary.

By Mr. Davis of Lamar—

H. 560. To prohibit the sale, giving away of spirituous, malt, or vinous liquors or fruits preserved in alcoholic liquors or intoxicating bitters of any kind, within three miles of Holly Grove (colored) Missionary Baptist church, in beat No. 14, Lamar county, Alabama;

Temperance.

By Mr. Sayre—

H. 561. To amend section 2512 of the code ;

Judiciary.

By Mr. Webb (by request)—

H. 562. To establish in this state a school for the education of the deaf, mute, and blind children of the colored race ;

Appropriation.

By Mr. Amason of Tallapooa (with notice and proof)—

H. 563. To relieve Thos. J. Christian a minor in the county of Tallapoosa, of all the disabilities of a minor ;

Judiciary.

By Mr. Simmons—

H. 564. To amend an act entitled an act to prevent persons from hunting with dog or gun upon the land of another in the county of Lowndes, in beats number one, number five, and number eight in Macon county, and in Calhoun county, without first obtaining permission, and consent from the owner, or agent of said land, approved February 11th, 1889, be so amended as to include beats number six and seven in Macon ;

Local legislation.

By Mr. Kelly—

H. 565. To provide for an enumeration of all the inhabitants of the state of Alabama ;
Judiciary.

BIILS ON SECOND READING.

The chairmen of the several committees reported favorably on the following bills, which were severally read a second time, and placed upon the calendar:

s. 93. To amend section 4641, of the code;

H. 411. To establish a charter for the town of Oneonta;

H. 477. To confirm, amend and enlarge the charter of the trustees of the Hospital of United Charties of Birmingham, Alabama, and to confer additional powers on said corporations;

H. 497. To authorize the corporate authorities of the city of Gadsden to release and surrender the option of the city of Gadsden to redeem the bonds that have been issued by the said corporate authorities known and designated as "sanitary bonds," and to authorize said corporate authorities to issue the remainder of one hundred thousand dollars of said bonds authorized by act of the general assembly of Alabama, approved February 28th, 1887, and also, by act amendatory thereof, approved February 28, 1889, to run no longer than thirty years.

H. 495. To amend section two of an act entitled an act to authorize the mayor and board of aldermen of the city of Gadsden to negotiate a loan for lighting said city either by gas or electricity, for drainage, or sewerage and for sanitary purposes, and to issue bonds for the payment of the same, approved February 28, 1887 ;

H. 537. To amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the town of North Port, approved February 12th, 1879, by adding the following additional sections to said act incorporating said town ;

H. 465. To enlarge and extend the corporate limits of the town of Springville in the county of SL Clair, Alabama ;

H. 543. To amend section (10) ten of an act entitled an act to provide a new charter for the city of Tuscumbia, Alabama, approved February 28,1887 ;

s. 166. To authorize and empower the Nashville Chattanooga and St. Louis Railway, to construct, operate and maintain its road or a branch thereof in and though the

counties of Madison, Marshall and Etowah in the state of Alabama ;

s. 76. To establish a new charter for the town of Roanoake;

H. 468. To amend an act to incorporate the city of Jeniffer, Alabama, approved February 28, 1889, (with a substitute.)

On motion, the following bills under adverse report were read a second time and placed on the calendar:

H. 457. To prohibit the placing of mortgages or incumbrances on growing; crops in Monroe county ;

H. 51. To provide for the examination of bodies supposed to have been poisoned and to meet expenses of the same;

H. 47. To amend section 3215 of the code ;

H. 24. To amend section 839 of the code of Alabama.

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

H. 505. To establish a new charter for the town of Dothan, in Henry county ;

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 70, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Bain, Bass, Brewer, Brown, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Screws, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, Wilson, Young.

H. 499. To fix the salaries of state officers in this state, including the railroad commissioners,

Was taken up.

Mr. Pettus moved to amend the title and body of the bill by striking out all that relates to the railroad commissioners and their salaries.

On motion, the bill was made a special order for January 21, 1891, after reading the journal.

H. 314. To establish the Cleveland school district in Blount county ;

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 66, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Armistead, Avery, Bain, Bass, Bevis, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster, Guthrie, Henry, Howle, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Screws, Simmons, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.

H. 315. To incorporate the Union Springs Male and Female Institute ;

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 72, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Bain, Bass, Bevis, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Jackson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.

H. 233. To amend section 4 of an act entitled an act in relation to trials of misdemeanors in Walker county, approved February 23, 1883 ;

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 65, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Alexander, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Bain, T3ass, Bevis, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Howle, Hufham,

Jackson, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Simmons, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, Wilson, Young.

s. 86. To regulate the disposition of fines arising from prosecutions under the laws of this state for cruelty to children and animals,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 57, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Alexander, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bass, Bevis, Buck, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, Edwards, Forman, Foster, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Hill, Howle, Hufham,Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Pettus, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Whatley, Young.

H. 320. To amend and revise the charter of the town of Piedmont,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 59, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Bain, Brown, Buck, Burford, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Forman, Foster, Gass, Guthrie, Harris, Hill, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Pettus, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Screws, Smaw, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.

H. 186. To more fully protect the people of this State in the purchase of fertilizers, and to provide that the commissioner of agriculture shall establish such rules and regulations as will give effect to the meaning of this act;

Substitute pending;

The substitute was adopted.

The bill

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 66, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Bain, Bevis, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Gass, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rousseau, Scott, Smaw, Steele, Thasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, Wilson, Young.

H. 439. To prevent stock from running at large in beats two, three and seventeen, in Coosa county,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 64, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Bain, Barnett, Bevis, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leslie, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Steele, Sullivan, thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, Wilson, Young.

H 232. To authorize the payment of fine and forfeitures in Walker county with the claims of the officers of said county which are now or may hereafter be registered against the fine and forfeiture fund of Walker county,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 63, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Bain, Bass, Bevis, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Edwards, Forman, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry,

Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Longshore, Loveless, Nolan, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Sparkman, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, Wilson, Young.

H. 191. To repeal an act to establish a court of county revenues for Chilton county, approved February 28,1887,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 61, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Bain, Bevis, Brewer, Brown. Burford, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Forman, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Hill, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Simmons, Smaw, Sparkman, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.

s. 150. To provide for the holding of the circuit courts in the counties of Covington, Conecuh, Pike and Butler,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 58, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Bain, Bass, Bevis. Brown, Burford, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Leo of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Simmons, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Limetone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Whatley, Wilson, Young.

H. 274. To authorize the mayor and aldermen of Birmingham to issue bonds of said city for an amount not more than four hundred and fifty thousand dollars ($450,000.00) for the purpose of building and constructing sewers in the said city to such point as the board may deem advisable, and

for building school houses and furnishing the same, and for paving or macadamizing the streets of said city, and making other permanent improvements in said city, and in improving the cemetery ground heretofore purchased by said city, and in paying whatever floating or outstanding debts said city may have on the first day of January, 1889, not to exceed thirty-five thousand dollars ($35,000 00),

Was read the third time at; length and passed—yeas 58, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Bain, Bevis, Brown, Burford, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Davis of Fayette, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Gordon, Guthrie, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Kelly, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Purifoy, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.

H. 430. To ratify and confirm the re-organization of the People's Savings Bank as the People's Bank, and to declare the powers and term of life of the People's Bank,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 59, nays 0.

Yeao—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Bass, Bevis, Burford, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Rather, Rousseau, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White Wilson, Young.

s. 63. To incorporate Tennessee River, Ashville and Coosa Railway Company, and to further the construction thereof;

Amendment pending;

The amendment was withdrawn.

The bill was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 59, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Bain, Bass, Bevis, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Forman, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Howle, Jackson,Johnson,Jones,Kelly,Langley,Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Loveless, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Simmons, Smaw, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.

H. 11. To establish a separate school district in Dale county, to be known as Dean's School District,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 62, nays 1.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Bain, Bass, Bevis, Buck, Coleman, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, LeeofBarbour, LeeofConecuh,Leigh, Leslie, Love]e8S,Nolen,Parks,Peacock,Poole,Powell,Purifoy,Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.

Mr. Crews voted nay.

H. 48. To authorize the increase of the capital stock and bonded indebtedness of private corporations organized under special charters,

Was taken up;

And, on motion of Mr. Brewer, was made a special order for 3 p. m. to-day.

H. 230. To amend subdivision 11 of section 453 of the code;

Was taken up.

Substitute pending, which was adopted.

The bill was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 63, nays 1.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Amason of Sumter,Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Bain, Bass, Bevis, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Ed-

wards, Forman, Gass, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jones, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie. Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Rather, Rousseau, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, Wilson, Young.

Mr. Leslie voted nay.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker:

The senate has originated and passed the bills:

s. 143. To fix the fees of clerks and sheriffs in detinue cases;

s. 145. To amend section 4854 of the code ;

s. 177. To amend section 3391 of the code of Alabama ;

s. 171. To repeal an act entitled an act to punish persons who take by net or poison fish in Big Limestone creek, in Limestone county, approved December 7, 1888;

s. 168. To amend section 4648 of the code;

s. 180. To repeal an act to prohibit the sale, giving away. or orherwise disposing of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, or intoxicating bitters, at or within certain localities in this state therein designated, to wit: In Spring Hill, Marengo county, and within six miles thereof, and various other places, approved February 28, 1881, so far as the same applies to Van Dorn, Marengo county, and the territory adjacent, thereto for one hundred yards ;

s. 129. To amend sections 1504 and 1505 of the Code of Alabama, so far as the same relates to the town of Centreville, in Bibb county, a town incorporated under the general incorporation law;

s. 124. To authorize and empower the commissioners of Blount county lo build a court house and jail at such point on the North and South railroad in said county, as the commissioners court of Blount county may select for said court house and jail;

s. 133. To provide for paying the accounts of sheriffs against the stale ;

s. 111. To provide an office and create a salary for the

superintendent of Bibb county, and to further define his duties;

s. 114. To incorporate the Alabama, Florida and Mississippi Railroad Company, and to further the construction of said railroad;

s. 148. To provide for the service of process upon domestic corporations by publicat.ion in cases where return of “not fonnd" is made by the sheriff;

s. 123. To divide the county of Blount into two circuit court districts, and to provide for the holding of such courts at Oneonta, and at the point on the South and North railroad in the county of Blount, at which the commissioners court of Blount county may locate the court house for the western division, in said county.

And has passed the bills :

H. 218. To prevent stock from running at large in Pike county ;

H. 50. For the relief of Robert E. Yarbrough, a minor under eighteen years of age, of Lee county, from the disa bilities of non age ;

H. 349. To prohibit the sale, giving away, or otherwise disposing of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, or intoxicating bitters or beverages, within the limits of precinct number one (1), in Jackson county, Alabama;

H. 49. For the relief of H. McVay Moore, late sheriff of Lauderdale county;

H. 89. To provide suitable compensation for the superintendent of education of the county of Walker;

And has concurred in the

House amendment to the senate joint resolution relative to raising a joint committee to consider the reconsideration of the governors inaugural address on the subject of constitutional amendments ;

And has passed the bill,

H. 367. To provide for the drawing and summoning petit jurors for the second week of the circuit court of Lamar county, for the spring term, 1891, and each ensuing term of said court thereafter;

And has originated and passed and ordered forthwith to the house

s. 103. For the relief of the Columbus Insurance and Banking Company of the State of Mississippi.

W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

8ENATE MESSAGE.

The senate bills just received whose titles are set forth in the above and foregoing message, were severally read once and referred to committees as follows:

s. 143. To Fees and salaries,
s. 145. To Judiciary,
s. 177. To Judiciary,
s. 171. To Local legislation,
s. 168. To Penitentiary and criminal administration,
s. 180. To Temperance,
s. 129 and 103. To Corporations,
s. 124. To Local legislation,
s. 133. To Fees and salaries,
s. 111. To Fees and salaries,
s. 114. To Corporations,
s. 148. To Judiciary,
s. 123. To Local legislation.

At one o'clock p. m. the house adjourned till 3 p. m. to-day.

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AFTERNOON SESSION.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.
A quorum was present.

HILLS ON THIRD READING.

H. 48. To authorize the increase of the capital stock and bonded indebtedness of private corporations organized under special charters,

Was taken up.

Mr. Brown offered an amendment, which was adopted.

The bill was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 72, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Bass, Bevis, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster,

Gass, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rousseau, Sayre, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, Watters, White, Wilson, Young.

s. 128. To provide for the assessment and collection of taxes in the county of Tallapoosa for the years 1891 and 1892;

Was taken up.

Mr. Brewer offered an amendment which was adopted,

The bill was read the third time at length and passed—68, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Bevis, Brewer. Buck, Burford, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, Wilson, Young.

H. 440. To regulate the pay of the judge of probate and clerk of the circuit court of Covington county for services ex officio ;

Was taken up.

Mr. Rousseau offered an amendment which was adopted ;

The bill was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 58, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton,Armistead, Avery, Bevis, Brown, Burford, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Loveless, Nolen, Parks, Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of

Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Walters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.

H. 151. To provide for a vote of the people on the question of the removal of the court-house of Crenshaw county, Alabama, to Luverne, and provisions for such removal if the people so direct;

Was taken up.

Mr. Smith of Russell moved to recommit the bill to local legislation committee ;

Lost.

Mr. Tucker of Crenshaw offered an amendment which were adopted.

The bill was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 56, nays 5.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Bain, Bevis. Brewer, Brown, Buck, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Edwards, Forman, Gass, Gordon, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lewis, Long, Loveless, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, Wilson, Young.

Nays—Messrs. Harrell, Northington, Pettus, Smith of Russell, Steele.

H. 99. To allow the probate judge, and the probate judge as the judge of the county court, clerk of county court, sheriff and clerk of the circuit court of Dale county, to sell or dispose of the fine and forfeiture claims in the same way and manner that state witnesses are allowed to dispose of their claims. (substitute pending).

The substiute was adopted.

The bill was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 55, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Bass, Bevis, Brown, Burford, Coleman, Cooper, Crews, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Gass, Gilchrist. Gordon, Harrell, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leslie, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Pet-

tus, Powell, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Smaw, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.

CONFERENCE REPORT.

Mr. Speaker:

Your committee of conference to which was referred the disagreement of the two houses touching the senate amendment to

H. 170, being a bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the sale, giving away, or otherwise disposing of intoxicating liquors, within one-half (½) mile in every direction of Bethel church, at Adams' Cotton Mills, near the city of Montgomery,

Having had the same under consideration recommend that the senate recede from its amendment.

Committee on part of senate.
A. A. WILEY,
N. STALLWORTH,
MAC. A. SMITH.
Committee on part of house.
J. N. GILCHRIST,
ROBT. A. LEE,
G. A. NORTHINGTON.

The report was concurred in—yeas 71, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Alexander, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Bass, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch,Forman, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Harrell. Harris, Henry, Hufham,Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rousseau, Sayre, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker ofCrenhaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.

At 5 p. m. the house adjourned till 9 a. m. to-morrow.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
FRIDAY, December 9, 1890.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Dr. Burkhead, of the city.

A quorum was present.

The journal of yesterday was read and approved.

REPORT FROM COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Speaker :

The committee on enrolled bills report that the following bills are correctly enrolled :

H. 46. To amend the charter of Birmingham Water Works Company;

H. 110. To amend an act entitled an act to provide for the times of holding the circuit court in the sixth judicial circuit of the state, approved February 19th, 1889, so far as Lamar county is concerned ;

H. 170. To prohibit the sale, giving away of, or otherwise disposing of intoxicating liquors within one half (½) mile in every direction of Bethel church, at Adams cotton mills, near the city of Montgomery ;

H. 218. To prevent stock from running. at large in Pike county ;

H. 367. To provide for the drawing and summoning petit jurors for the second week of the circuit court of Lamar county for the spring term, 1891, and each ensuing term of said court thereafter;

H. 215. To authorize the board of trustees of the school district of the town of New Decatur, to issue bonds of said school district for the purpose of paying the debts of said district, and of erecting, adding to and improving school buildings and furnishing the same ;

H. 146. To make the fees of bonded constables in the counties of Tuskaloosa, Madison, Etowah, St. Clair, Coosa, Clay, Chambers, Macon, Elmore, Russell, Henry, Colbert, Lee, Dallas, Cherokee, Pickens, Chilton, Calhoun, Fayette, Bibb, Escambia, Crenshaw, Cleburne, Talladega, Tallapoosa, Morgan, Blount, Pike, DeKalb, Lauderdale, Limestone,

Winston, Bullock, Baldwin, Marshal and Lawrence, the same as sheriffs fees when they perform the same or similar services;

H. 29. To amend sections two (2) aud five (5) of an act entitled an act to establish a new charter for the city of Gadsden, approved January 27, 1883.

C.C. RATHER,
Chairman.

SIGNING OF BILLS.

The speaker of the house, in the presence of the house, immediately after their titles had been publicly read by the clerk, signed the bills, the titles to which are set out in, the above report of the committee on enrolled bills.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker :

The senate has reconsidered the vote by which it concurred in the house amendment to the senate joint resolution raising a joint committee to consider the recommendations of the governor's inaugural message, and 1 am instructed by the senate to inform the house that it non-concurs in the said house amendment.

Mr. Haralson having been excused from service on the above described joint committee, Mr. Grant has been appointed to succeed him on the part of the senate.

And has concurred in the report of the conference committee on the disagreement of the two houses as to the bill,

H. 142. To make the fees of bonded constables in the counties of Tuskaloosa, Madison, Jefferson, Etowah, Perry, Franklin, St. Clair, Coosa , Clay, Chambers, Macon, Elmore, Russell, Henry, Colbert, Lee, Dallas, Cherokee, Pickens, Chilton, Calhoun, Walker, Fayette, Bibb, Escambia, Crenshaw, Cleburne,Talladega,Tallapoosa, Morgan, Blount, Pike, DeKalb, Lauderdale, Limestone, Winston, Bullock, Marshall and Lawrence, the same as sheriff’s fees when they perform the same or similar services.

And has passed the bills,

H. 46. To amend the charter of Birmingham Water Works Company;

H. 153. To establish a new charter for the city of Cullman, Alabama;

H. 248. To establish a new charter for the city of Birmingham ;

H. 150. To provide for an election in the various beats or parts of beats m the county of Clay, on the subject of stock running at large in the beats or parts of beats in said county;

H. 329. To ratify and confirm the organization of the Alabama State Land Company ;

H. 110. To amend an act entitled an act to provide for the times of holding the circuit court in the sixth judicial circuit of the state, approved February 19th, 1889, so far as Lamar county is concerned;

H. 154. To repeal an act entitled an act to amend section eleven of an act to establish a separate shool district to be known as the Cullman shool district in Cullman county, Alabama, and an appointment of a board of trustees for said school district, with certain powers and privilvges, approved February 28, 1887;

H.215. To authorize the board of trustees of the school district of the town of New Decatur to issue bonds or said school district for the purpose of paying the debts of said district, and of erecting, adding to and improving school buildings and furnishing the same;

H. 240. To amend an act entitled an act to provide for the election of the county superintendent of education of Dallas county;

H. 255. To provide for the pay and compensation of the superintendent of education of Pike county;

And has amended as therein shown, and as amended, has passed the bill,

H. 153. To establish a new charter for the city of Cullman, Alabama;

And has amended as therein shown, and as amended, has passed

The bill

H. 14. To make appropriations for the ordinary expenses of the executive, legislative and judicial departments of the state, for interest 011 the public debt, and for public schools.

WM. L. CLAY,

Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE.

On motion of Mr. Northington, the house insisted on its amendment to the senate joint resolution named in foregoing senate message, and requested a conference committee.

Yeas 56, nays 13.

Nays—Messrs. Speaker, Appleton, Armistead, Barnett, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Burford, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Forman, Foster, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Kelly, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Sparkman, Thrasher, Townsend of Lauderdale, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Webb, Wood, Wilson, Young.

Nays—Messrs. Alexander, Avery, Clayton, Johnson, Jones, Lewis, Longshore, Sayre, Screws, Smith of Russell, Steele Sullivan, and Whatley.

On motion of Mr. Scott, the house concurred in the senate amendment to H. 14., the title of which is set out in the above senate amendment, and requested a conference committee;

Committee on part, of the house—

Messrs. Scott, Buck, and Townsend of Pike.

On motion of Mr Guthrie, the house concurred in the senate amendment to

H. 153. To establish a new charter for the city of Cullman, Alabama;

Yeas 66, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown. Buck, Clayton, Coleman, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis and Lamar, Edwards, Forman, Foster, Cass, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrel, Harris, Henry, Howle, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Langley, Leigh, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Wood, Young.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

By Mr. Jones, recording secretary :
CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICE.
MONTGOMEKY, ALABAMA,
December 9, 1890.

Gentlemen of the Senate and of the House of Representatives:

I have the honor to inform the General Assembly that on the 3d inst., as ex-officio commissioner, under an act "to ratify and confirm the settlement of the existing indebtedness of this state, as proposed in the report of the commissioners appointed under the act approved 17th of December, 1874:," and which was commuicated to the General Assembly by message of the Governor of 24th of January, 1876, and to carry said settlement into effect by the issuance of new bonds of this state, at a reduced rate of interest, in adjustment of a portion ofsaid indebtedness. and the surrender of certain securities held by the state in discharge of another portion of said indebtedness, approved February 23d,1876,"I executed to ex-Governor Thomas Seay, the following receipt:

"MONTGOMERY, ALA., December 3d, 1890.

Received of Gov. Thomas Seay the following bonds, which were authorized and issued under the act approved February 23d,1876 :

Class "A" bonds of the denomination of $500 numbered from 7,428 to 8,000, both inclusive; and of the denomination of $100 numbered from 9,165 to 9,400, both inclusive, and numbered 8,001 to 8,350, both inclusive; Class "B" bonds of the denomination of $1,000 numbered from 540 to 596, both inclusive ; Class "C" bonds Lumbered 970 to 1,000, both inclusive.

RECAPITULATION :

Class "A" $500, numbered 7,428 to 8,000, both inclusive ;
Class "A" $100, numbered 9,165 to 9,400, both inclusive ;
Class "A" $100, numbered 8,001 to 8,350, both inclusive ;
Class "B" $1,000, numbered 540 to 596, both inclusive;
Class "C" $1,000, numbered 970 to 1,000, both inclusive."

It appears from his receipt to his predecessor and from the record of exchanges made during his term of office that

the bonds for which 1 gave him a receipt, are all with which he is chargeable.

THOS. G. JONES,
Governor.

RILLS ON FIRST READING.

Bills were introduced, read severally the first time, and referred to appropriate committees, as follows:

By Mr. Avery (by request)—

H. 566. To provide the mode of apportionment of the public school funds of this state by the superintendent of education;

Education ;

Also (by request),

H. 567. To repeal section 1011, and lo repeal in part section 1015 of the code ;

Judiciary.

By Mr. Brown—

H. 568. To amend section 7 of an act entitled an act to incorporate Howard College in Marion, Perry county, approved December 29, 1841;

Corporations;

Also,

H. 569. To amend section 3780 of the Code of Alabama ;

Judiciary.

By Mr. Edwards—

H. 570. To declare Little Choctawhatchee navigable from its mouth to its source;

Commerce and common carriers.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

The chairman of the several committees reported favorably on the following bills, which were severally read a second time and placed on the calendar :

H. 259. To amend section 141 of the code (with substitute;

H. 553. To prevent the wrongful and illegal collection of money as commissioners on farm products ;

H. 459. To prevent female dogs from running at large at certain times;

s. 51. To provide for the purchase of lands, and to pro-

vide additional accommodations for the patients for the Alabama Insane Hospital;

s. 161. To amend section one of an act entitled an act to establish a ne\v charter for the town of Evergreen, in Conecuh county, approved February 5, 1881.

H. 545. To require the commissioners court of Jefferson county to pay for assistance to the solicitor for said county in suppressing crime, out of certain funds in the county treasury ;

H. 551. To confer additional powers upon the Jasper Land Company, a corporation whose charter was ratified and confirmed by act of the General Assembly of Alabama, approved February 27, 1889, for the purpose of enabling the said Jasper Land Company to enhance the value of its property ;

H. 399. To amend section nine (9) of an act entitled an act to establish the city court of Decatur approved February 8, 1889.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

By Mr. Jackson, private secretary.

CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICE,
MONTGOMERY, ALA.,
DECEMBER 9TH,1890.

Gentlemen of the Senate and of the House of Representatives:

In answer to your resolution,

I have the honor to inform the General Assembly that the Secretary of the Interior of the United States has not certified to this office the population of the State of Alabama by counties, or furnished any other information on the subject.

A telegram has been sent to the Secretary of the Interior requesting him to mail at once the desired information.

THOS. Q. JONES,
Governor.

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

H. 300. To repeal an act entitled an act to establish an inferior court for Cullman county, approved March 1, 1881,

Was read the third lime at length and passed—yeas 65, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Alexander, Almon, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Bain, Barnett, Bevis, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Coleman,Cooper,Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edward», Finch, Forman, Gass, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Johnson, Judge, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade. Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.

H. 271. To amend an act to establish a court of county revenues for Dallas county,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 72, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Bain, Bass, Bevis, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Finch, Forman, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Judge, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, .Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.

H. 244. To allow the constable of beat No. 36 in Dallas county, Alabama, to appoint deputies,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 59, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, -Davis of Lamar, Forman, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Johnson, Jones, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

s. 4. To amend section 1667 of the code,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 52, nays 1.

Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Blackwell, Brown, Clanton, Coleman, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Foster, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Hufham, Jackson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Lane, Langley, Leigh, Longshore, Loveless, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Rousseau, Sayre, Simmons, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, White, Wilson, Young.

Nay—Mr. Whatley.

H. 273. To amend section one of an act protecting game and animals and birds in the counties of Hale and Cullman and Greene, so far as the same applies to Hale county, approved February 27, 1889;

The pending substitute was adopted;

The bill

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 57, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Bain, Bass, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Coleman, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Edwards, Forman, Foster, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Langley, Leigh, Longshore, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Rather, Rousseau, Simmons, Smaw, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Young.

s. 166. To authorize and empower the Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis Railway to construct, operate and maintain its road or its branch thereof in and through the counties of Madison, Marshall and Etowah, in the State of Alabama,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 73, nays 1.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Barnett, Bass, Brown, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Crews, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Edwards,

Forman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

Nay—Mr. Blackwell.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour of 12 m. having arrived, the house proceeded to consider the following resolutions offered by Mr. Smith of Russell, in the absence of Mr. Pettus, chairman of the committee, in reference to Hon. Clement Clay Shorter, speaker of the house of representatives of Alabama, session 1888-9:

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of Alabama, That we have heard with profound regret of the death of the Hon. Clement C. Shorter, at his home in Eufaula, which occurred since the last session of the house, of which he was the speaker.

Be it further resolved, That while in the death of our late friend, associate and presiding officer, we recognize a calamity to the state at large, we feel that it is more peculiarly our loss, since we miss on every hand, in the discharge of our duties here, his presence, his genial smile, his words of cheer and his token of friendship ; but above all, we miss the guidance, direction and counsel, which was afforded by his presence.

Be it further resolved, That we cherish the memory of Clement G. Shorter, as one who moved among us, and without pride or ostentation, made himself felt as endowed with peculiar genius for legislation,—in fact it was his birth-right, and as the presiding officer of this assembly he has had few equals and no superiors.

Be it further resolved, That while we deplore his loss, taken off as he was in the midst of a career so useful and which promised to be so brilliant, still, we know where the blow fell heaviest, and we tender our sympathies to that home which was deeply shadowed by his loss, and for whose sorrow we recognize that there is no human comfort.

Be it further resolved, That these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of the house ; that a copy be sent to the family of the deceased, and that the papers of this city and Eufaula be requested to publish them.

F. L. PETTUS,
JOHN V. SMITH,
W. T. WEBB,
Committee.

After touching and feeling remarks on the character and worth of the deceased, by Messrs. Smith of Russell, Clayton, Clements, Kelly, Brown, Rather, Screws and Edwards, the resolutions were adopted by a rising vote.

Mr. Clayton offered the following resolution, which by unanimous consent was presentlyconsidered and adopted :

Resolved, That a page of the journal be set aside as a memorial page to contain the following words:

IN MEMORY

OF

CLEMENT CLAY SHORTER,
SPEAKER 1888-9.

———

BORN FEBRUARY Ist, 1856,
DIED JUNE 16tH. 1890.

As a further mark of respect to the deceased, the house adjourned until 3 p. m. to-day.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.

A quorum was present.

CONSIDERATION OF RESOLUTIONS.

The following resolution by Mr. Long was adopted:

JOINT RESOLUTION,

And memorial to congress asking for increased appropriations to open the Black Warrior river from Tuskaloosa, north to the crossings of Georgia Pacific and K.C., M. & B. R. R., across the Black Warrior river in Walker county, Alabama.

To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America:

Your memorialists, the General Assembly of the State of Alabama, respectfully pray that the Honorable Congress of the United States of America will as speedily as may be, make such appropriations to the opening of the Black Warrior river to the points above Tuskaloosa as above named as will press the work to an early completion.

Your memorialists would respectfully show unto your honorable body that the completion of said work would open uninterrupted water transportation for the Black Warrior coal fields, and the result would not only be of incalculable value to the state of Alabama, but also to the commerce of the United States.

Be it resolved by the General Assembly of the State of Alabama, That our Senators and Representatives in Congress are hereby requested to urge the passage of an act effecting the purposes of the foregoing memorial.

Be it further enacted, That His Excellency the Governor of Alabama, is hereby respectfully requested to transmit the foregoing memorial, with such comments as he may wish to make, to each of our Senators and Representatives in Congress.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker:

The senate accedes to (he request of the house for a committee of conference on the bill :

H. 14. To make appropriations for the ordinary expenses of the executive, legislative and judicial departments of the state, for interest on the public debt and for public schools.

Committee on the part of the senate: Messrs. Handley, Grant and Compton;

And has passed the bills :

H. 86. To amend subdivision 31 of section 629 of the code of Alabama ;

H. 317. To provide for the sale or lease of school indemnity lands certified to the State of Alabama by the United States, and to provide for the disposition of the proceeds thereof:

H. 174. To amend section one of an act approved February 25,1889, to provide for the payment of costs on conviction of felony where the defendant is sentenced to imprisonment in the penitentiary;

H. 149. To authorize the Parker Memorial Baptist Church of Anniston, Alabama, to hold real and personal property to the value of not exceeding one hundred and fifty thousand dollars;

H. 6. To amend section two of an act to incorporate the Anniston Loan and Trust company, of Anniston, Alabama, approved February 28th, 188;);

And has amended as therein shown and as amended has passed the bill,

H. 400. To repeal an act entitled an act “to regulate the issuance of license to sell vinous, spirituous or malt liquors in the county of Morgan,” in so far as the same relates to precinct number one of said county ;

And accedes to the request of the house for a committee of conference on the disagreement of the two houses on senate joint resolution raising a joint committee to consider the recommendations concerning amendments of the constitution
in the governor's inaugural address ;

And has orignated and passed the following bills :

s. 5. To require corporations in making deeds or conveyances to real estate to recite in such deeds or conveyances

a copy of the written authority of the corporation under which the same are made and when so done such deeds or conveyances shall be in the hands of the purchaser or any one holding under him prima facie evidence of authority on the part of the corporation for making the same;

s. 106. To regulate garnishments against salaries and wages of persons employed;

s. 163. To authorize and empower the Governor of Alabama to issue a patent to the heirs of John Henderson, deceased, to the northwest fourth of the northeast fourth and the northeast fourth of the northwest fourth of section sixteen township eighteen of range five east, in Talladega county;

s. 182. To amend section 2360 of the code;

s. 178. To provide for the correction of certificates of com-missionors appointed to take the depositions of witnesses in certain cases;

s. 181. To amend section 4078 of the code;

s. 188. To provide for the election of county superintendent of education of Wilcox county;

s. 197. To provide for the indexing of the records of deeds to and mortgages of real property in Coosa county;

And has concurred in the house joint resolution relating to asking congress for increased appropriations in behalf of the Black Warrior river.

W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE.

On motion, the house concurred in the senate amendment to

H. 400. To repeal an act entitled an act to regulate the issuance of license to sell vinous, spirituous or malt liquors in the county of Morgan, in so far as the same relates to precinct number one of said county,

Yeas 57, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Bass, Bevis, Blackwell. Brown, Buck, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Gass, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp. Langley, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Loveless, Nolen, Parks, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather,

Rousseau,Scott,Simmons, Smaw,SmithofRussell,Sparkman, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

The senate bills just received, the titles of which are set out in the above senate message, were severally read once and referred to appropriate committees as follows :

s. 5,106,172, 178, 181 andl97 to judiciary ;

S. 163 to local legislation;

s. 188 to education.

REPORT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE.

Mr. Speaker :

The committee of conference to which was referred the disagreeing votes of the two houses on the joint resolutions to raise a joint committee of <ho two houses to consider proper amendments to the constitution, and for said committee to sit during the recess, have had the same under consideration, and report as follows :

1. That the senate recedes from insisting on the resolution as it originally passed the senate, and concurs in the amendment made by the house.

G. A. NORTHINGTON,
WILLIS BREWER,
JNO. M. DAVIS of Fayette,
Managers on part of House.
L. D. GODFREY,
M. A. SMITH,
J. H. PARKER,
Managers on part of Senate.

The report was concurred in.

REPORT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE.

To the Senate and House of Representatives:

Your committee of conference to whom was referred the disagreement of the two houses as to the senate amendments to

H. 14. To make appropriations for the ordinary expenses of the executive, legislative and judicial departments of the state, for interest on the public debt, and for public schools;

Have had the same under consideration, and recommend that the two houses concur in said senate amendments.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

W. A. HANDLEY,
L. W. GRANT,
J. C. COMPTOX,
Committee un the part of the Senate.
J. V. SCOTT,
J. H. TOWNSEND
E. H. BUCK,
Committee on the part of House.

The report was concurred in,

Yeas 56, nays 1.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Ayery, Bass, Bevis, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Cooper, Cornelius, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Forman, Foster, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Howle, Hufham, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell. Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

Nay—Mr. Davis of Fayette.

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

H. 358. To incorporate the Brewton Institute, of Brewton, Alabama;

Substitute pending which was adopted.

The bill was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 60, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Almon Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Bass, Bevis, Brown, Burford, Clanton, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Forman, Foster, Gilchrist, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Lewis, Loveless, Nolen, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Rather, Rousseau, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan,

Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 445. To constitute the town of Attalla a separate school district and to provide for the management of the public schools of said district,

Was read the third lime at length and passed—yeas 59, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Bass, Bevis, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gordon, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Parks, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.

H. 104. To authorize the court of county commissioners of Fayette county to issue the bonds of said county for an amount not exceeding twenty thousand dollars, for the purpose of building a court house and jail in said county ;

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 59, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Jones, Judge, Kelly Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis,Long,Longshore.Loveless,Nolen,Parks,Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Rousseau, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

s. 72, To incorporate the city school board of Selma,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 61, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton,Armistead,Bass, Bevis, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Burford, Clanton, Cooper, Cornelius,Cox,Davidson,Davisof Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster,

Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis,Long,Longshore,Loveles,Nolen,Parks,Peacock,Poole, Powell, Purifoy,Quarles, Rousseau, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 202. To have testimony of witnesses before the grand jurv of Franklin county kept,

Was taken up,

And amended on motion of Mr. Leigh, so that the provisions of the bill should apply to the county of Lawrence.

The bill was read the Third time at length and passed—yeas 57, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Brown, Back, Clanton, Cooper Cornelius, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Nolen, Northington, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Screws, Smaw, Sparkman, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 481. To provide for the support of the indigent soldiers of the late confederate states army and navy, who are now bona fide citizens of Greene county, Alabama,

Was taken up.

The pending amendment was adopted ;

The bill was read the third time al length and passed yeas—60, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Bain, Bevis, Blackwell,Brown, Buck, Clanton, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Johnsou, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rousseau, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 418. To amend an act passed by the general assembly

of Alabama, and approved February 28,1889, entitled an act for the preservation of game animals and birds in the county of Greene;

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 57, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Bain, Bass, Bevis, Blackwell, Brown, Clanton, Cooper, Cornelius,0ox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Forman, Foster,Gass, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rousseau, Sayre, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Whatley, Wilson, Young.

H. 164. To establish a separate school district, to be known as China Grove school district, in Hale county,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 53, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton Armistead, Avery, Bain. Bass, Bevis, Blackwell, Brown, Clanton, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle,Hufham,Johnson,Jones,Judge, Kelly, Langley, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Parks, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 165. For the relief of James P. Steely, Roland Wood, and Elizabeth Russell, of Jackson county,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 56, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Bass, Bevis, Brown, Buck,Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius,Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Lane, Langley, Lewis, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Rousseau, Simmons, Smaw, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Whatley, Wood,Wi1son, Young.

H. 306. To dissolve the bonds of matrimony between W.

H. Hays and Elizabeth Hays, a lunatic, and to allow W. H. Hays to marry again ;

Was read the third time at length and lost—yeas 7, nays 53.

Yeas—Messrs. Amason of Sumter, Coleman, Cox, Edwads, Poole, White;

Nays—Messrs. Speaker, Adams,Almon, AmasonofTallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Bevis, Clanton, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews,Davis of Lamar, Forman, Foster, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie,Harrell,Harris, Henry,Hill, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Powell, Rousseau, Sayre, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell. Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 405. To incorporate the East Alabama Male and Female Institute, Notasulga, Alabama,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 56, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Brown, Buck, Clanton,Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Forman, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Powell, Rousseau, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Sparkman,Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.

s. 98. To incorporate the Montgomery, Hayneville and Camden Railroad,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 58, nays 0.

Yeas—Met-srs. Speaker, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Bain, Bass, Bevis, Brown, Buck, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris. Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lewis, Loveless, Nolen, Parks, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Rather, Rousseau, Simmons, Smaw, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

s. 76. To establish a new charter for the town of Roanoke,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 60, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Brown, Buck, Clanton, , Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Gass, Gordon, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Langley, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Rather, Simmons, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 454. To prevent the manufacture, sale, giving away, bartering, exchanging, or otherwise disposing of alcoholic, vinous or malt liquors, or intoxicating bitters or beverages, in Holly Springs, precinct No. 31, in Jackson county,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 53, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armstead, Bass, Bevis, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Forman, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Kelly, Kemp. Langley, Leigh, Lewis, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Poole, Powell, Rousseau, Sayre, Screws, Smaw, Sparkman, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Whatley, White. Wood, Wilson, Young.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker:

The president of the senate having signed the following bills, your signature thereto is requested:

s. 17. To amend section 1476 of the code,

s. 18. To amend and confirm the charter of the Fort Payne Coal and Iron Company, a corporation organized under the general incorporation laws of the state ;

s. 32. To amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the town of Courtland, in the county of Lawrence, approved December 16, 1873;

s. 44. To amend section 750 of the code so far as the same applies to the counties of Lamar, Fayette, Marion and Franklin;

s. 27. To prohibit the selling, giving away or otherwise disposing of any spirituous, vinous,or malt liquors, intoxicating beverages or bitters, or fruits preserved in alcoholic liquors within a half mile by the most commonly traveled route of the City Mission Methodist church and the Corinthian Baptist church, in Mobile county ; or within that portion of Baldwin county lying north of the Louisville and Nashville railroad; or within eight miles of Oak Grove church in Pickens county; or within six miles of the Branch Agricultural Station and School at Abbeville in Henry county ; or within seven miles of Emory Chapel church in Pickens county; or within two miles of Liberty church in Henry county; or within three miles of Antioch church, near Elizabeth post office in Coffee county ; or within two miles of Shiloh, Pleasant Hill and Friendship Missionary Baptist churches in Geneva county ; or within two miles of Wesley Chapel, Pond Town, Hurricane Creek, and Tabernacle M. E. churches in Geneva county; or within the county of DeKalb; or within two miles of the Industrial High school at Healing Springs in Washington county; or within two miles of Pinetucky church in Cleburne county ; or within five miles of LaFayette college in LaFayette, Alabama, in Chambers county ; or within five miles of Mountain Spring Baptist church in Chambers county ; or within beat 12 in the county of Butler, except in the corporate limits of the city of Greenville; or within two miles of Daleville Methodist or Baptist churches in Dale county; or within three miles of Pilgrim's Rest, Baptist church and Morton's Chapel Methodist church in Etowah county; or within five miles of Oak Grove church, Fellowship church, Centre church, and Union Springs church in Henry county; or nearer New Mount Bethel church in Cross Roads beat4, township 2,range 8, in Lauderdale county, than the beat line in every direction from said church; or within three miles in any one direction of Hebron's Baptist church in township 20, range 15, in Pickens county ; or within four miles of Lebanon church school-house in Limestone county; or within four miles of Shady Grove Methodist church in Pike county; or within two miles of Mount Hope and Livingston Chapel church in Cullman county; also within three miles of Bristow's church, situated

at Keener in Etowah county; or within three miles of Pleasant Ridge Missionary Baptist church in Red Ridge beat 9, in Tallapoosa county; or within two miles of the Methodist Protestant church at Macedonia in township 19, range 22, Tallapoosa county; or within five miles of Holly Pond Baptist church in Cullman county ; or within four miles of O'Neal school-house in Limestone county ; or within the limits of Perry county, except the towns of Marion and Uniontown, or within five miles of Cumberland chuch, in Larkinsville, Jackson county ; or within the limits of precinct number 10, in Jackson county ; or within half a mile of Four Mile-Post Methodist church, in Mobile county ;

s. 43. To amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the city of Fort Payne, DeKalb county, Alabama, approved February 28, 1889;

s. 62. To incorporate the Lineville College, at Lineville, Clay county, Alabama ;

s. 63. An act to incorporote Tennessee River, Ashville and Coosa Railway Company and to further the construction thereof;

s. 150. To provide for the holding of the circuit courts in the counties of Covington, Conecuh, Pike and Butler :

s. 9. An act, to amend an act to allow constable of Troy beat, Pike county, and the constable of beat No. 21, in Jefferson county, Alabama, to appoint deputies, approved Feb ruary,12, 1885;

s. 69. To confirm the corporation and organization of the Prattville Cotton Mills, and to define, declare and ,enlarge the powers of said company, and to change the name of the same;

s. 86. To regulate the disposition of fines arising from prosecutions under the laws of this state for cruelty to children and animals;

s. 128. To provide for the assessment and collection of taxes in the county of Tallapoosa for the years 1891 and. 1892.

W. L. CLAY,

Secretary.

SIGNING OF BILLS.

The speaker of the house, in the presence of the house, immediately after their titles had been publicly read by the

clerk, signed the bills, the titles of which are set out in the above senate message.

REPOKT FROM COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Speaker :

The committee on enrolled bilk report the following bills correctly enrolled:

H. 70. To authorize the mayor and city council of the city of Uniontown to issue bonds of said city for an amount not exceding twenty-five thousand dollars, bearing six per cent. interest, payable semi-annually, for the purpose of erecting or providing said city with water works, and for funding the indebtedness of said city;

H. 144. To amend section 1 of an act to prevent stock from running at large in the several beats of Randolph and Calhoun, and to authorize elections thereon, approved February 27, 1889 ;

H. 255. To provide for the pay and compensation of the superintendent of education of Pike county ;

H. 317. To provide for the sale or lease of school indemnity lands certified to the State of Alabama by the United States and to provide fur the disposition of the proceeds thereof.

C. C. RATHER,
Chairman.

SIGNING OF BILLS.

The speaker of the house, in the presence of the house, immediately after their titles had been publicly read by the clerk, signed the bills the titles of which are set out in the foregoing report of the committee on enrolled bills.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker :

The senate has concurred in the report of the conference committee as to the disagreement of the two houses as to the bill

H. 14. To make appropriations for the ordinary expenses

of the executive, legislative and judicial departments of the state, for interest on the public debt, and for public schools.
W.L.CLAY,
Secretary.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

By Mr. Jones, recording secretary :

CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICE, }
MONTGOMEKY, ALA., December 9th, 1890. }

Gentlemen of the Senate and
House of Representatives:

One of my predecessors, in a special message to the general assembly in 1882, said that “almost from the first day of its organization the penitentiary has been a source of solicitude to the state, and until very recently its operations have been unprofitable in every sense." While the system has long since ceased to be "unprofitable" in a pecuniary sense, and has been improved in many ways by wiser laws and better supervision, it is to me, as I doubt not it is to you, a source of anxious and continuing concern.

On the first day of October, 1890, there were one thousand, seven hundred and seventy seven state and county convicts; of whom eleven hundred and twenty-three were state convicts, and six hundred and fifty-four were county convicts. On the first day of October, 1888, there were 1,593 convicts, of whom 740 were state convicts, and 853 county convicts. On the first, day of October, 1886, there were 1,463 convicts, of whom 559 were state, and 904 county convicts. On the first day of October, 1884, there were 1,626, of whom 527 were state convicts and 1,099 county convicts. On December 1st, 1883, there appears to have been 951 county convicts. This was the first record ever made of county convicts, and was imperfect owing to the lack of means to compel county officers to make reports. It will be noticed that for each of these years there has been a gradual increase in the number of state convicts, and a gradual decrease of the number of county convicts as compared with each other. In 1884, the county convicts nearly doubled the state convicts; while in 1890, the reverse was true. Under the

present laws and conditions we have little ground to indulge the hope that the number of convicts will not increase in the future.

The female convicts are rapidly increasing; being now seventy-two in number, as against 26, six years ago. Since January, 1888, these women have not been hired out. During that time, while under the immediate care and control of the state, only one has become pregnant, while such cases were very common when under the care of contractors.

It is not pleasant, and can not be useful, except to draw profitable lessons from the experience of the past, to recall instances of cruelty and oppression which have accompanied the various stages of the state's efforts to deal with the large number of those whom society, for its own protection, has left bound to punish. A graphic and truthful history of the evils or the system as late as 1882, may be round in some very able papers written by the then president of the State Medical Association, and the consequent discussion of the matter in the press at that time. An act to regulate the treatment and hire of the state convicts—Acts 1882-3, p. 134—was the fruit of this discussion and made some valuable changes. Among these, was the power given the governor to annul any contract at pleasure. Further protection was given county convicts in the inspection required to be made every three months by the state inspectors, who were to report to the judges of probate upon the treatment and condition of the convicts. The law, however, permitted county convicts to be hired in small squads, and they were scattered over the state at one time in as many as twenty-three different places. This made it difficult to enforce proper inspection. Records were required to be kept for the first time at the capitol, from which it could be ascertained where each convict was and when his term expired. This was an important provision, for it often happened that a convict was found at work in the custody of contractors long after his sentence had expired.

At the session of 1885 additional legislation was had, by which many sweeping reforms were effected and with which you are entirely familiar. This act, with a few amendments, is the law under which the system is at present controlled. Under the new law, energetically and honestly administered, improvement has continued ; but there are very many vital matters in which the system should be changed.

The death rate among the state and county convicts, at work in the mines, is larger than it should be, and authority should be given for proper scientific examination to detect and remedy the cause, if possible. Numerous examinations have been made at Pratt Mines, not only by the inspectors but bv physicians of eminence, including our own state health officer, and visitors from other states. All agree that the arrangements at Pratt Mines, (where the leased state convicts are employed,) for feeding, clothing and sheltering the convicts, and their general surroundings are excellent, but there appears to be some cause of sickness at Pratt Mines, though in a less degree than at the other mines where convicts are worked, which has not been traced.

The condition of county convicts is not as good as that of the state convicts; the death rate of the former being twice that of latter. The explanation of this difference lies in the fact that the management and surrounding of county convicts is not as good as that of state convicts, because the sick and disabled state convicts are taken to the penitentiary and there recuperated before being returned to labor at the mines ; while there is no such protection for the county convicts. The sick and feeble county convicts must recuperate and be cared for at the prison of the contractor, and this, however well kept, is not a suitable place for building up the sick and feeble ; for a change of location, surroundings, and especially of water, will frequently do more than medicine. There are provisions, among them section 4657 of the code, which provide that any convict hired in the mines, who after wards becomes unfit to do such work, may on the recommendation of the physician, or by order of the inspectors, be removed from the mines and put to some “other kind of hard labor.” There is no adequate provision for hard larbor at the penitentiary; besides it was believed that under decisions of the supreme court a county convict taken from hard labor and employed at the walls would be released on habeas corpus. There was no such danger in reference to state convicts, as they were sentenced to serve a term of imprisonment in the penitentiary, and are subject, to be leased or hired out by the board of inspectors. I do not stop to enquire whether the county convicts detained at the walls for the purpose of restoring their health, would be released on habeas corpus. All doubts should be removed by clear and specific statutory provisions. Humanity to the

county convicts demands this; and the county which receives the benefit of the hire should be made to pay to the state all the costs and expenses of taking care of their convicts, while in the hospital or being recuperated at the walls.

Some of the plans discussed for the betterment of our present system contemplate the closing of our penitentiary and even its sale. It is alleged that too many "dead-heads" are kept there, and that the expenses of carrying convicts to and from the walls, when sick or disabled at the work at which they are engaged at the mines and maintaining them till they can be returned, is an unnecessary and extravagant expenditure. I will not do injustice to the people whom we represent by supposing that they are willing to save money by leaving convicts to sicken and die, rather than to pay something to remove them to the penitentiary and support them there, until restored to health. Revenue has no place in the discussion of such a question. The objection, however, is utterly untenable in fact. I learn from the records of the convict bureau that the expenses of the hospital at the penitentiary during the last four years were $5,469.39, and that the convicts who have been restored to health and then returned to the mines, have earned since January 1st, 1888, $16,159.89. Some of these convicts were worked for a while, before being returned to the mines, at farm work near the penitentiary ; but the value of their work while so engaged is not included in the last named sum.

Under the contract with the hirers of the state convicts they are bound to pay, and do pay the expenses of taking disabled men to the penitentiary and back to their work. If, however, all the expenses of transporting the convicts to and from the walls—which includes the transportation of females who are not hired out, of boys under 15 years of age, persons who on account of sickness when convicted are sent directly to the penitentiary, the transportation of witnesses from any prison to any court and back under section 4631 of the code, transportation of insane convicts to the asylum, and the transportation of convicts who are discharged while at the penitentiary —is charged up to the hospital, it would not amount to more than three thousand dollars for the four years last past, and including the other expenses of the hospital, it, would not amount to more than fifty per cent of the saving effected in the labor of the restored convicts. So it appears that humanity has been profitable.

It appears to me that it would be the height of unwisdom to abandon the use of the penitentiary or to sell it. Where could the sick and disabled convicts be kept and restored to health, unless the state maintains a penitentiary? What fears would contractors have of a contract being abrogated, if it was known the state had no place where convicts could be properly kept until new arrangements could be made? If the board of inspectors would deem it to the interest of the State to reject bids, what provisions could the state make for caring for convicts while advertising for other proposals? If the large prisons at Pratt Mines were destroyed by accidental fire, where would the state take its convicts while the prison was being rebuilt? Epidemics, abrogation of contracts, or other emergencies might require a temporary removal of the convicts in large numbers to the walls. The great freshet of 1886, which drove convicts from the state farm, furnishes a striking illustration of the need for the state's maintaining a place where it can take care of its convicts.

Again, there are some convicts who ought never to be put under contract or hired out at all; such as weakly females, small boys, and men, who while able to do light work are unable to perform any kind of real hard-labor. In the hands of a contractor, under the wisest safeguards, the feeble are in danger of over-work. The strong who do good work are generally the favorites of contractors. Convicts are hired to make money out of their labor. It is not a pleasant business and profit is its only inducement. Often when a contractor does his best, and earnestly seeks to guard convicts against oppression, it is not always in his power to do so effectually; for human nature is prone to abuse power, and guards when out of sight of their employers often mistreat convicts, without the knowledge or approval of their hirers.

The state has spent large sums of money in building and maintaining the penitentiary. The property is valuable as an investment. Standing near the head of navigation it will become exceedingly valuable to the state in the near future, when the Coosa river is opened by the general government ; which will be accomplished, if the present appropriations are continued, within ten or twelve years.

I heartily concur in the recommendation of the inspectors, that the cells at the walls should be altered to accommodate as many convicts as possible; for the reasons already stated, and because the state, by being prepared to care for and

work its convicts, will be in a better condition to demand its own terms for such of the convicts as it may choose to hire out. The abandonment of the lease system is a mere question of time. I will not here argue the objections to it. They are thoroughly impressed on your minds and in public opinion. When abandoned some other system must take its place. We can never abandon it. unless we make a beginning. What is wisest and best cannot always be determined by statute. The state authorities should be given some discretion, that they may adopt and put in force such plans as appear to them most feasible and test them by actual experionce.

For this purpose, I recommend that the board of inspectors, with the approval of the governor, be authorized to acquire by purchase or condemnation, 400 or 500 acres of land in the vicinity of the walls, on which can be worked small boys and persons unfit to be sent to contractors. Recent operations at the penitentiary induce the belief that cotton and provisions raised on such farm would suffice to pay for the food and clothing of the convicts at the walls. The board should also be authorized to procure machinery for small industries, such as making brooms, mats, socks, &c. Convicts who cannot do out-door work, and some expert convict mechanics could in this way be made self-sustaining, if not profitable. The cost of such machinery would probably not exceed $1,500. It is believed, though there has not been an opportunity to give the matter mature consideration, that some of the convicts at the walls might be made self-sustaining in making brick.

If authority be conferred upon the governor and board of inspectors as above stated, it will enable them to determine by practical experience many of the questions which must be determined by any commission which is raised, as is proposed in the message of the retiring governor and in some bills now pending. I thereforere commend that the general assembly authorize the board, with the approval of the governor, to expend out of the convict fund a sum not exceeding $20,000. The condition of the treasury will admit this outlay. Some one must be trusted with the matter, and to whom better can it be left, than to a governor elected by the people, and a board of inspectors nominated by him and confirmed by the senate. Responsibility for the working of a system should always be accompanied with power to make it effective.

I earnestly invite your attention to the abuses resulting from allowing courts, other than courts of record, to sentence prisoners to hard labor for the payment of costs. Many such cases arise where it would be better for the good of society that the offender should go unpunished, than to have him placed in the mines, and undergo punishment there for the payment of costs. A recent instance has come to my attention, where a justice of the peace, who afterward sought to correct his mistake as soon as he ascertained it, put to hard labor in the mines one who had been adjudged a lunatic and escaped from the lunatic asylum.

Cases of violation of Sunday laws, vagrancy, assaults, assaults and battery, affrays, petit larceny, failure to work on the public roads, and the like, are within the jurisdiction of justices of the peace; and in many of these cases the costs far exceed the fines, and imprisonment at hard labor for the costs practically amounts to cruel and unusual punishment. It is known to us all that many disputes arise among negroes for which they prosecute each other criminally, and where the harm done society by the violation of the law is slight compared with the punishment which the offender undergoes for the payment of costs. The system incites useless persecutions, and piles up costs, demoralizes the labor of the country, and words great hardship in this way upon employers.

I recommend that section 4492 of the code be amended, so as to require that, wherever a sentence for hard labor is for more than twelve months, that judges be required to sentence the persons to imprisonment in the penitentiary, and not leave it to their discretion to put them to hard labor for the county. No other argument is needed for this, than the fact that the death rate of county convicts is twice as great as that of state convicts.

It is greatly to be desired that our system of punishment should not be such as to require more protection from the convict after his term expires, than before he was put in the penitentiary. Most of the convicts, it, is true, can never be reformed; but we ought not on that account to abandon the effort to save those who may be bettered. Authority should be given board of inspectors to take the young boys and other convicts, who in their, judgment may be reformed, and put them to themselves at some place where they can not only labor but be taught and improved.

In the short time since my induction into office, I have not had an opportunity to prepare and submit to the general assembly many recommendations which I deem of importance. The subject here treated, however, is is of such consequence that I deem it best to bring it to your attention now, that you may have the benefit of discussion and investigation during the recess, and be the better prepared to act on it upon your reassembling. THO'S G. JONES,
Governor.

On motion 500 copies of the above message were ordered printed for the use of the house.

At 5 p. m. the house adjourned till 9:30 a. m. to-morrow.

TWENTY-FIFTH DAY.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

WEDNESDAY, Dec. 10, 1890.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Dr. Burkhead of the city.

A quorum was present.

The journal of yesterday was read and approved.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Was granted to Mr. Whatley for one day.

RESOLUTIONS

Were offiered and by unanimous consent presenlty considered as follows:

Be it resolved by the house, the senate concurring, That at 1 p. m. to-day the general assembly adjourn to re-assemble at 10 a. m. January 20, 1891.

Adopted.

By Mr. Foster— .

Resolved, That the governor be requested to have the hall of this house repaired during the recess.

Adopted.

By Mr. Brown—

Be it resolved by the house, the senate concurring, That his excellency the governor be requested to return to the senate

House bill 146: “To establish a charter for the town of Woodlawn in Jefferson county, Alabama."

Adopted.

By Mr. Clements (Mr. Watters in the chair)

Whereas, Senate bill No. 184. “To regulate the payment of interest due by the state in New York,” passed the senate, and has been favorably reported by the ways and means committee of the house, but not having been read twice can not now be passed in time to regulate the payment of interest falling due in Jauuary ; and,

Whereas, The passage of the bill will save the state two hundred and fifty-one dollars of useless express charges, besides obviating the risk which the state assumes when it does not effect “special insurance,” for which an additional charge is made ; therefore,

Resolved by the House (the senate concurring) That the governor and treasurer are authorized, in paying the January interest in New York, to follow the mode prescribed in said bill “to regulate the payment of interest due by the state in New York.”

Adopted.

RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Quarles moved to reconsider the vote by which H. 271 passed on yesterday ;

And, on motion,

The consideration of said motion was made a special order for January 22, 1891, after reading the journal.

BILLS ON FIRST READING.

Bills were introduced, read the first time severally, and referred to appropriate committees, as follows :

By Mr. Kelly (with notice and proof)—

H. 571. For the relief of the estate of James Hunter, deceased ;

Judiciary.

By Mr. Howle—

H. 572. For the benefit of the surviving soldiers of the Indian war;

Appropriations.

By Mr. Lee of Conecuh—

H. 573. To regulate the trial of misdemeanors in Conecuh county;

Local legislation.

By Mr. Henry—

H. 574. To amend and enlarge the charter of the Birmingham Railway and Electric Company;

Corporations;

Also,

H. 575. To provide for exhibition of school and industrial work of schools at the meetings of the Alabama Educational Association, and of the National Association ;

Education.

By Mr. Adams—

H. 576. To pay probate judges in this state salaries instead of fees and perquisites for their services;

Fees and salaries;

Also,

H. 577. To provide for the payment of the salaries of the judges of probate in this state, and to provide for the payment of the lees and perquisites of their respective offices into the county treasury of the respective counties, to be applied to the payment of their respective salaries, for such clerical aid, or payments for recording in their respective offices, which shall be absolutely necessary for the successful management of their respective offices, and to apply the remainder of said fees and perquisities of said offices to the public school fund of the state ;

Fees and salaries.

By Mr. Lee of Barbour—

H. 578. To require uniform crop liens, or mortgages on crops to be grown, or growing in this state at the time of the execution of said crop lien or mortgage; to require probate judges to use partly printed books for th ir record, and to regulate the charge and payment of the fees chargeable for recording the same;

Judiciary.

By Mr. Brown—

H. 579. To amend section 1U96 of the code of 1886;

Judiciary;

Also,

H. 580. To incorporate the Alabama Telegraph and Telephone Company, of Birmingham, Alabama;

Corporations;
Also,
H. 581. To authorize the intendant and councilmen of the town of Highlands in Jefferson county, to issue bonds of said town for an amount not exceeding seventy-five thousand ($75,000) dollars for the purpose of building and constructins sewers and making other permanent improvements in said town, and paying off floating debt of said town ;
Corporations.
By Mr. Davidson—
H. 582. To prevent camp hunting in Blount county ;
Local legislation.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

The chairman of the several committees reported favorably on the following bills, which were severally read a second time and placed on the calendar:
H. 450. To prevent hunting or fishing, entering upon or trespassing upon certain lands on the Black Warrior river, in Greene county, in townships twenty and twenty-one and ranges two and three, east, after the owner or person in possession thereof shall have forbidden the same by notice posted on the land, or by publication in a newspaper published in said county ;
H. 526. To declare Wm. H. Betts, Luke Coly, A. D. McNiel, Wm. Lane, Jordan M. Crawford and B. T. Johnson,of the county of Conecuh, citizens of Monroe county ;
H. 192. To amend an act entitled an act to make the fees of bonded constables in Kingdom beat No. 1, Bibb county, Alabama, the same as sheriffs fees when they perform the same service, without, the increase of bond, approved February 28, 1887 ;
H. 542. To authorize the election of four commissioners for the court of county commissioners of Chilton county and to direct the court of county revenue of said county to turn over and deliver the records and papers on file in said court to the court of county commissioners of the said county of Chilton ;
H. 564. To amend an act entitled an act to prevent persons from hunting with dog or gun upon the land of another in the county of Lowndes, in beats number one, number five, and number eight in Macon county, and in Calhoun county, with-

out first obtaining permission, and consent from the owner, or agent of said land, approved Febrnary llth, 1889;

H. 407. To regulate the fine and forfeiture fund of Conecuh county, and the disposal of moneys arising from fines, forfeitures and convict labor in said county ;

H. 326. To provide for the registration and payment of claims due state's witnesses in certain cases ;

s. 171. To repeal an act entitled an act to punish persons who take by net or poison fish in Big Limestone creek, in Limestone county, approved December 7, 1888;

s. 118. To regulate and prescribe the manner of electing county commissioners in the counties of Lamar, Fayette, Marion and Franklin ;

s. 123. To divide the county of Blount into two circuit court districts, and to provide for the holding of such courts at Oneonta, and at the point on the South and North railroad in the county of Blount, at which the commissioners court of Blount county may locate the court house for the western division, in said county.

s. 124. To authorize and empower the commissioners of Blount county to build a court house and jail at such point on the South and North railroad in said county as the commissioners court of Blount county may select for said court house and jail;

s. 115. To declare the town of Jacksonville, in Calhoun county, Alabama, a watering place within the meaning of section 4053 of the code of 1886 ;

s. 91. To perpetuate the United States government survey of lands in Dallas county ;

s. 31. To require the judge of the probate court of Jefferson county in this state, to have made general indexes to the deed and mortgage records in his office prior to February 17, 1887, and to allow compensation therefor out of the county treasury of said county ;

s. 20. To change the time of electing commissioners of Lee county;

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker :

The senate has amended as therein shown, and as amended, has adopted the house joint resolution relative to raising a joint committee on the normal schools;

Committee on part of the senate—

Messrs. Grant and Parker.

And has concurred in the house joint resolution relative to the payment of interest on the public debt of the state.

And has concurred in the joint resolution requesting the return from the governor of house bill 146.

W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The house concurred in the senate amendment to the house joint resolution relative to committee on normal schools.

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

s. 51. To provide for the purchase of lauds and to provide additional accommodations for the patients of the Alabama Insane Hospital,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 56, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Appleton, Armistead, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Blackwell, Buck, Clanton, Coleman, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Edwards, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gordon, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge; Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Loveless, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Quarles, Sayre, Scott, Smaw, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limstone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade^. White, Wilson, Young.

s. 59. To authorize the city council of Montgomery to issue bonds for school purposes and for funding its “market house bonds,” and for paving the streets of the city of Montgomery,

Was amended,

And was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 55, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gordon, Harrell, Harris, Howle, Jackson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Bar-

bour,Lee of Conecuh, Leslie, Lewis, Loveless, Nolen, Parks, Pettus, Powell, Quarles, Rousseau, Sayre, Screws, Smaw, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 93. To add section 1319½ to the code of Alabama, reg-regulating the issue of license to retail spirituous or vinous liquors in the State (with substitute pending)

Which on motion of Mr, Lee of Barbour,

Was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Smith of Russell the bill was tabled.

H. 457. To prohibit placing mortgages or encumbrances on growing crops in Monroe county,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 40, nays19.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander,Appleton,Armistead, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Biick,Co1eman,Cornelius,Crews, Edwards, Gordon, Harrell, Harris, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Concuh, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Parks, Pettus, Poole, Rousseau, Screws, Sparkman, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Wilson.

Nays—Messrs. Avery, Brewer, Cooper, Cox, Davidson, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Lane, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Simmons, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Steele, Wood, Young.

H. 84. To prohibit pools, trusts or combines to regulate the prices of produce or goods, wares and merchandise in this state.

Was taken up,

And on motion was made a special order for January 22, 1891, after reading of the journal.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker :

The senate has concurred in the house joint resolution relative to hour of adjournment to-day and re-assembling after recess,

And has concurred in the house amendment to the bill.

s. 59. To authorize the city council of Montgomery to issue bonds for school purposes, for funding the market bonds and for paving the streets of the city of Montgomery,

And has passed a joint resolution herewith sent relative

to giving the joint committee on judicial circuits leave to sit during recess,

And has concurred in the report of the conference committee on the disagreement of the two houses relative to raising a joint committee on the disagreement of the two houses relative to raising a joint committee to consider the Governor's Inaugural Message.

W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE.

On motion the house concurred in the senate joint resolution relative to joint committee on judical circuits sitting during the recess,

And the house resumed consideration of

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

H. 145. To amend an act to incorporate the Central City Insurance Company, approved November 26th,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 58, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Amason of Sumter, Armistead, Avery, Barnett, Bevis, brown, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster, Harrell, Harris, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 37. To prevent the cutting of timber, rolling logs or throwing brushes into any of the running streams in Jackson county,

Was taken up.

Mr. Davis of Fayette, moved to amend by including Fayette county in the provisions of the bill.

Carried.

The bill was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 56, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Alexander, Almon, Armistead, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Brown, Clanton, Cooper, Corne-

lius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Gass, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Huf ham, Jackson, Johnson, Langley, Lee of Bar-Bour, Lee of Conecuh, Lewis, Long, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Powell, Quarles, Rousseau, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Cren-Shaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 480. To prevent the wrongful and illegal collection of money on farm produce as storage,

Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Brown, Buck, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Gass, Harrell, Harris, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kelly Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Long, Longshore, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Poole, Powell, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Wood, Wilson, Young.

S. 93. To amend section 4641 of the code,

Was taken up.

Mr. Long moved that the bill be set for special order for January 24, 1891, immediately after reading journal ;

Lost.

The bill was read the third time at length and passed—Yeas 61, nays 4.

Yeas—Messrs. Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Armistead, Avery, Bain, Barnett, Bevis, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hill, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Pettus, Poole, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker Of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

Nays—Messrs. Adams, Howle, Long and Wood.

H. 331. To amend section 3685 of the code in regard to fees of probate judges in Lamar county ;

Was taken up.

The pending substitute with the following title :

To reduce the fees of probate judges in certain cases in the county of Lamar,

Was adopted.

The bill was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 55, nays 2.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Appleton, Armistead, Bain, Barnett, Bevis, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Gass, Gordon, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Cone cuh, Leigh, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Parks, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rousseau, Smaw, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Wood, Wilson, Young.

Nays—Messrs. Clayton and While.

s. 101. To repeal in part an act in relation to trials for misdemeanors in Tuscaloosa and other counties therein named, approved March 19, 1875,

Was read the third lime at length and passed—yeas 53, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Bain, Barnett, Bevis, Blackwell, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Forman, Harrell, Harris, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Kelly, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Rather, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Webb, Wilson, Young.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker:

The senate has passed the following bills:

H. 356. To permit the sale, giving away, bartering, exchanging or otherwise disposing of alcoholic, spirituous,

vinous and malt liquors and intoxicating bitters, beverages and fruits preserved in alcoholic liquors within the corporate limits of the town of Clio, an incorporated town, having police regulations, in Barbour county ;

H. 278 To authorize the city of Bessemer to issue its bonds for an amount not exceeding ($50,000,00) fifty thousand dollars for the purpose of building and construct ing sewers, improving the streets, building school houses, making other permanent improvements in and paying the floating debt of said city;

H. 505. To establish a new charter for the town of Dothan in Henry county;

H. 381. To incorporate the city bf Ozark in the county of Dale;

H. 7. To prevent the sale, furnishing, giving or providing to any minor under eighteen years of age, of cigarettes, tobacco or cigarette paper or any substitute therefor;

H. 94. To amend section two (2) of an act to amend section 1319 of the code so far as the same relates to the town of Louisville, in Barbour county;

H. 430. To ratify and confirm the reorganization of the People's Savings Bank as the People's Bank and to declare the powers and term of life of the People's Bank ;

H. 274. To authorize the mayor and aldermen of Birmingham to issue bonds of said city for an amount not more than four hundred and fifty thousand ($450,000.00) for the purposes of building and constructing sewers in the said city and extending sewer mains leading from said city to such point as the board may deem advisable, and for building school houses and furnishing the same, and for paving or macadamizing the streets of said city, and making other permanent improvements in said city, and in improving the cemetery grounds heretofore purchased by said city, and in buying whatever floating or outstanding debts said city may have on the 1st day of January, 1891, not to exceed thirty-five thousand dollars ($35,000.00);

And has amended as therein shown, and as amended has passed the bills,

H. 182. To make the husband or wife of the defendant competent to testify as a witness in all prosecutions for bigamy and adultery or fornication ;

H. 109. To establish a new charter for the town of Pratt Mines in Jefferson county ;

And has passed the bills,

H. 439. To prevent stock from running at large in beats two, three and seventeen in Coosa county;

H. 67. To amend an act entitled an act to more effectually secure competent and well qualified jurors in the county of Montgomery, approved February 21st, 1887;

H. 48. To authorize the increase of the capital stock and bonded indebtedness of private corporations organized under special charters;

And has originated and passed the bills,

s. 147. To amend section 378O (4346) of the code;

s. 220. To amend the charter of the town of Evergreen in the county of Conecuh, and to confer upon the mayor and council additional power and authority to levy and collect taxes and licenses in said town, to that conferred in the act to establish a new charter for the town of Evergreen in Conecuh county, approved February 5th, 1881;

s. 219. To amend the charter of the city of Greenville, and the various acts amendatory thereof;

s. 190. To provide for establishing a certain portion of the line between the States of Alabama and Georgia, where the same divides the counties of Cherokee in the State of Alabama and the county of Polk in the State of Georgia; to provide for the appointment of persons to establish said line and to appropriate money to pay the expenses thereof;

WM. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE.

On motion of Mr. Foster, the house non concurred in the senate amendment to house bill 182, and requested a conference committee thereon ;

Committee on part of the house—Messrs. Foster, Kelly and Pettus.

On motion, the house concurred in the senate amendment to

H. 109. To establish a new charter for the town of Pratt Mines in Jefferson county ;

Yeas 58, nays 0 ;

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis

of Lamar, Edwards, Forman, Harris, Henry, Hill, Huf ham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Parks, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, White, Wilson, Young.

The senate bills just received, whose titles are set forth in the above and foregoing message, were severally read once and referred to committees as follows :

s. 190, to judiciary;

s. 219 and 220, to corporations;

s. 147, to revision of laws ;

And the house resumed consideration of

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

s. 96. To prescribe the duties and provide for the compensation of the county solicitor of Talladega county,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 55, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Armistead, Avery, Bain, Bass, Bevis, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Cooper, Cornelius, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gass, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Howle, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Parks, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Rather, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Sparkman, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 251. To amend an act entitled an act for the protection of plantations and crops within certain limits in Lauderdale county, Alabama,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 61, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Armistead, Avery, Bain, Barnett, Bevis, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster, Class, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris. Henry, Howle, Huf ham, Johnson, Jones,Langley,

Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Parks, Poole, Purifoy, Quarles, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, White, Young.

H. 72. To prevent the tying or staking out of any stock on or along side of any public road,

Was taken up.

The pending amendment to add :

SEC. 3. Provided, that this act shall only apply to the counties of Perry, Dallas, Macon, Greene and Wilcox,

Was adopted.

The bill was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 64, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gass, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Parks, Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, White, Wilson.

H. 467. To prohibit the selling, giving away, or disposing of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, or of alcoholic bitters, cordials or beverages of any kind in Sumter county,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 58, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Blackwell, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Gass, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Parks, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Simmons, Smaw, Smsth of Dallas, Sparkman, Steele, Thrasher, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

s. 38. To require all butchers and dealers in live stock in Mobile county to keep a register of all stock purchased or received by them,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 59, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Barnett, bass, Bevis, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Forman, Gass Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Jones, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Sparkman, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone,Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, While, Wilson, Young.

H. 348. To repeal an act entitled an act to prohibit the sale, giving away, or otherwise disposing of alcoholic, vinous or malt liquors, or other intoxicating drinks, or fruits preserved in alcoholic liquors, within the corporate limits of the town of Moulton in Lawrence county, or within five miles thereof, and other places therein named, approved February 28, 1889, so far as the same relates to the corporate limits of Moulton, Lawrence county, or within five miles thereof,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 53, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, A1mon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Armistead, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Cooper, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Hill, Hufham, Jackson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Long, Loveless, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan,Thrasher, Townsend of Lauderda1e,Tncker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Wood, Wilson, Young.

RESOLUTIONS

By unanimous consent, Mr. Clayton offered the following resolution :

The rules were suspended and it was adopted,

Resolved, By the house, the senate concurring, That the

two houses meet again this afternoon at 4 o'clock, for the purpose of having the bills that have passed signed; and no other business shall be transacted.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker:
The president of the senate having singed the following bills, your signature thereto is requested :
H. 166. To authorize and empower the Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis Railway to construct, operate and maintain its road, or a branch thereof, through the counties of Madison, Marshall, and Etowah, in the State of Alabama;
s. 72. To incorporate the city school board of Selma ;
s. 93. To amend section 4641 of the code ;
s. 59. An act to authorize the city council of Montgomery to issue bonds for school purposes, and for funding its market house bonds, and for paving the streets of the city of Montgomery.
W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SIGNING OF BILLS.

The speaker of the house, in the presence of the house, immediately after their titles had been publicly read by the clerk, signed the senate bills, the titles of which are set out in the above senate message.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker:
The senate has concurred in the house joint resolution relative to reassembling of the two houses this afternoon.
W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

At 1 o’clock p. m. the house adjourned till 4 p. m. to day.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.
A quorum was present.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker :
The senate accedes to the request of the house for a committee of conference on the disagreement of the two houses as to bill
H. 183. To make the husband or wife of the defendant competent to testify as a witness on all prosecutions for bigamy and adultery or fornication.
Committee on part of senate, Messrs. Stallworth, Stansel and Godfrey.
WM. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

By Mr. Jones, recording secretary :

STATE OF ALABAMA,EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR,
MONTGOMERY, Dec. 10, 1890.
To the House of Representatives :
Therewith return, without my approval, and for the re-consideration required by the constitution, house bill 6,"to amend section 2 of an act to incorporate the Anniston Loan and Trust Company of Anniston, Alabama, approved February 28th, 1889."
The bill amends section 2 of an act to incorporate the Anniston Loan and Trust Company of Anniston, Alabama, by adding to the powers of said corporation as enumerated in said section, certain other grants of power, not material to be here mentioned.
This is a plain violation of section 2, article IV of the constitution, which declares that "no law shall be revised, amended, or the provisions thereof extended or conferred by reference to its title only, but so much thereof

as is revived, amended, extended or conferred shall be re-enacted and published at length."

In the language of the supreme court of Alabama, the obvious design of the constitution "is to establish a rule of legislation which shall operate as far as possible to induce the members of the general assembly to fully know and intelligently consider the details of every measure. The entire law or portion of law designed to be made operative in either of the ways specified, must be setout at length so that when read it may be comprehended by those called on to vote for or against its passage, and when published it may be plainly understood and easily construed.

"It would be difficult to conceive a more effective method of defeating this important and salutary purpose than that adopted in this bill, by which the legislature attempts to amend, extend and confer the provisions of an important statute by mere general reference to the section amended."—Stewart vs. Commissioners, 28 Alabama, 309; Bay-Shell Railroad Co. vs. O'Donnell, 87 Alabama, 387.

I regret that the meritorious bill must fail for want of conformity to the constitution, but that degree is lessened by the reflection that it is better so, than for the courts to nullify the statute after money has been loaned and contracts made on the faith of an unconstitutional law.

THOS. G. JONES,

Governor.

The house reconsidered

H. 6. To amend section two of an act to incorporate the Anniston Loan and Trust company of Anniston, Alabama, approved February 28, 1889.

The question being shall the bill pass. The governor's veto to the contrary notwithstanding, and the bill was lost.

Yeas 0, nays 53.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Armistead, Barnett, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Harris, Henry, Hufham, Jackson, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Loveless, Nolen, Parks, Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Screws, Simmons, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker :
The president of the senate having signed the following bills, your signature thereto is requested :
s. 4. To amend section 1667 of the code;
s. 96. To prescribe the duties and provide for the compensation of the county solicitor of Talladega county;
s. 98. To incorporate the Montgomery, Hayneville and Camden railroad;
s. 51. To provide for the purchase of lands, and to provide additional accommodations for the patients of the Alabama Insane Hospital;
s. 76. To establish a new charter for the town of Roanoke in Randolph county, Alabama.
W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SIGNING BILLS.

The speaker of the house, in the presence of the house, immediately after their titles had been publicly read by the clerk, signed the senate bills, the titles of which are set out in the foregoing senate message.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker:
The senate has passed the following bills :
H. 451. To authorize the court of county commissioners of Greene county to make an order transferring to the general fund of said county, the balance of the money now in the hands of the county treasurer of Greene county belonging to the sinking fund or special fund created by said court of county commissioners, under the provisions of an act of the general assembly of Alabama, entitled an act to authorize the court of county commissioners of Greene county to issue bonds for the purpose of compromising the old bonds of said county issued in aid of the Selma, Marion and Memphis railroad, approved February 23d, 1881, and to authorize the county treasurer of said county on said order being made by said court of county commissioners to transfer to the general

fund of said county said balance of money in his hands as such treasurer, belonging to said sinking fund or special fund, and to make said money so transferred a part of the general fund of said county ;

H. 328. To ratify and confirm all contracts, sales, conveyances and mortgages made by or to the Alabama State Land companv since November 11th, 1886;

H. 204. To prescribe the time in which bills of exception must be filed in the criminal court of Jefferson county ;

H. 193. To authorize the commissioners court to have a general index made for the records in the probate court of Choctaw and Coosa counties.

W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Speaker:

The committee on enrolled bills report the following bills as correctly enrolled :

H. 6. To amend section two of an act to incorporate the Anniston Loan and Trust company, of Anniston, Alabama, approved February 28, 1889;

H. 14. To make appropriations for the ordinary expenses of the executive legislative and judicial departments of the state, for interest on the public debt, and for public schools.

H. 86. To amend sub division thirty one (31) of section 629 of the code of Alabama;

H. 149. To authorize the Parker Memorial Baptist church of Anniston, Alabama, to hold real and personal property to the value of not exceeding one hundred and fifty thousand dollars ;

H. 329., To ratify and confirm the organization of the Alabama State Land Company;

H. 240. To amend an act entitled an act to provide for the election of county superintendent of education of Dallas county;

H. 264. To amend the charter of the city of Anniston ;

H. 174. To amend section 1 of an act, approved February 25, 1889, to provide for the payment of costs on conviction of felony where the defendant is sentenced to imprisonment in the penitentiary;

H. 400. To repeal an act entitled an act "to regulate the issuance of license to sell vinous, spirituous or malt liquors in the county of Morgan," in so far as the same relates to precinct number one of said county ;

H. 248. To establish a new charter for the city of Birmingham ;

H. 154. To repeal an act entitled an act to amend section eleven of an act to establish a separate school district to be known as the Cullman school district in Cullman county, Alabama, and for the appointment of a board of trustees for said school district, with certain powers and privileges, approved February 28th,1887 ;

H. 153. To establish a new charter for the city of Cullman, Alabama ;

H. 150. To provide for an election in the various beats in the county of Clay on the subject of stock running at large in the beats or parts of beats in said city ;

H. 278. To authorize the city of Bessemer to issue its bonds for an amount not exceeding fifty thousand dollars for the purpose of building and constructing sewers, improving the streets, building school-house, making other improvements in and paying the floating debt of said city ;

H. 356. To permit the sale, giving away, or otherwise disposing of, alcoholic, spirituous vinous and malt and intoxicating bitters, beverages and fruit preserves in alcohol liquors within the corporate limits of the town of Clio, an incorporate town having police regulations in Barbour county ;

H. 430. To ratify and confirm the reorganization of the People's Savings Bank as the People's Bank ;

H. 94. To amend section (2) of an act to amend section 1319 of the code so far as the same relates to the town of Louisville in Barbour county ;

H. 439. To prevent stock from running at large in beats two, three, and seventeen in Coosa county;

H. 274. To authorize the Mayor and Aldermen of Birmingham to issue bonds of said city for an amount not more than four hundred and fifty thousand dollars ($450,000.00) for the purpose of building and constructing sewers in the said city and extending sewer mains leading from said city to such point as the board may deem advisable, and for building school-houses and furnoshing the same, and for paving or macadamizing the streets

of said city, and making other permanent improvements in said city, and in improving the cemetery grounds heretofore purchased by said city, and in buying whatever floating or outstanding debts said city may have on the first day of January, 1891, not to exceed thirty-five thousand dollars ($35,000.00.)

H. 7. To prevent the sale, furnishing, giving or providing to any minor under eighteen years of age, of cigarettes, tobacco, or cigarette paper or any substitute therefor;

H. 505. To establish a new charter for the town of Dothan in Henry county;

H. 48. To authorize the increase of the capital stock and bonded indebtedness of private corporations organized under special charters;

H. 67. To amend an act entitled an act to more effectually secure competent and well qualified jurors in the county of Montgomery, approved February 21, 1887.

C.C. RATHER,
Chairman.

SIGNING OF BILLS.

The speaker of the house, in the presence of hhe house, immediately after their titles had been publicly read by the clerk, signed the bills, the titles of which are set out in the foregoing report of the committee of enrolled bills.

RESOLUTION

By unanimous consent, Mr. Johnson offered the following resolution :

Resolved by the house, the senate concurring, That a committee of three from the house and two from the senate be appointed to wail on his excellency, the governor, and ascertain if he desires to make any further communication before the adjournment.

The rules were suspended and the resolution adopted.

Committee from the house, Messrs. Johnson, Cooper and Harris.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr Speaker:

The senate has concurred in the house joint resolution

relative to raising a joint committee to wait on the governor.

W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

The committee presently returned and reported that the governor had no further communication for the general assembly.

And at 7 p. m. The house adjourned till 10 a. m. January 20,1891.

TWENTY-SIXTH DAY.
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
TUESDAY, January 20, 1891.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Cummings, of the city.

A quorum was present.

The journal of December 10, 1890, was read and approved.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Was granted to Messrs. Smaw, Burford, Screws, Leslie and Alexander for one day ; to Messrs, Tucker of Lauderdale, and Smith of Dallas, for two days ; and to Messrs. Wade, Pettus, Gilchrist, and Moore of Madison, Watters and Meador, indefinitely on account of sickness.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE.

The speaker appointed, as a committee under section 34 of the code, Messrs. Brewer, Lewis, and Adams.

RESOLUTION

Mr. Adams offered the following resolution :

Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed by the speaker, whose duty shall be to secure and provide an office for the clerk of the house at once.

BILLS ON FIRST READING.

On the call of the counties bills were introduced, severally read once and referred to appropriate committees, as follows:

By Mr. Clayton—

H. 583. To amend section 2591 of the code of Alabama ;

Judiciary;

Also,

H. 584. To regulate the defense of contributory negligence;

Judiciary.

By Mr. Crews—

H. 585. To require presentation of a poll tax receipt, and a road or street tax receipt or certificate of overseer or contractor, showing fulfillment of road service obligation, provided by law, to entitle a citizen the right to vote ;

Privileges and elections.

By Mr. Powell—

H. 586. To amend section nine(9) of an act entitled an act to incorporate the Pensacola, Andalusia, Union Springs and Chattanooga Railroad Companv, approved February 28,1889 ;

Commerce and common carriers ;

Also,

H. 587. To authorize executors and administrators to loan money ;

Wavs and Means.

By Mr. Rather—

H. 588. To amend section 8 of an act entitled an act to provide a new charter for the city of Tuscumbia, Colbert county, Alabama, approved February 28, 1887;

Corporations.

By Mr. Rather, (with notice of proof)—

H. 589. To declare the board of education of the separate school district of the city of Tuscumbia the successors in office of “the trustees of the Tuscumbia Male Academy,” and to authorize said board of education to sell and convey certain real estate belonging to “the trustees of the Tuscumbia Male Academy” for school purposes;

Education ;

Also,

H. 590. To amend section 1149 of the code of Alabama ;

Judiciary ,

Also.

H. 591. To amend section 2106 of the code of Alabama ;

Judiciary,

Also,

H. 592. To repeal an act entitled an act to prohibit the sale, giving away or otherwise disposing of any spirituous, vinous or malt, liquors or intoxicating bitters, beverages or drinks, or fruits preserved in alcoholic liquors in the county of Montgomery and other places therein named, approved February 28, 1887, so far as the same applies to the town of Leighton, in Lawrence and Colbert counties or within four miles thereof;

Local legislation.

By Mr. Edwards—

H. 593. To prevent county solicitors, appointed by circuit solicitors, from defending any party charged with an offense less than a felony, in the county in which he is acting as county solicitor;

Judiciary ;

Also,

H. 594. Lo require the secretary of state to furnish a tract book of all the lands therein to the county of Dale ;

Local legislation ;

Also,

H. 595. To prevent the selling, giving away, or otherwise disposing of any spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, within two miles of providence church, in beat three, in Dale county, Alabama;

Temperance ;

Also. (with notice),

H. 596. To legalize the marriage of William H. Bottoms and Mary O. Bottoms, the widow of John Bottoms, deceased;

Judiciary ;

Also, (with notice),

H. 597. For the relief of A. B. Byrd, sheriff of Dale county, Ala., for the removal of prisoners from Georgia and Florida, in the year 1890 ;

Local legislation.

By Mr. Quarles—

H. 598. To prevent hunting on land without written consent of owner or his agent;

Revision of laws ;

Also, (with petition),

H. 599. To repeal an act entitled an act to prohibit stock from running at large in a portion of Dallas county, approved February 13, 1883, so far as the same applies to Dublin beat;

Revision of laws;

Also,

H. 600. To provide for additional appropriations for the support of public schools ;

Appropriations;

Also,

H. 601. To make an appropriation for the expenses of encampments of Alabama state troops for the years 1891 and 1892;

Appropriations.

By Mr. Appleton (petition, notice and proof)—

H. 602. For the relief of A. G. Franklin, ex-sheriff of the county of DeKalb, State of Alabama ;

Fees and salaries.

By Mr. Davis Fayette—

H. 603. To amend section 13 of an act approved February 28, 1887, entitled an act to amend an act to organize and regulate a system of public instruction for the State of Alabama, approved February 7, 1879, and the amendments thereto ;

Education.

By Mr. Judge (notice and proof)—

H. 604. To authorize Mrs. Gertrude Boyce, a resident citizen of Greene county, to act as the guardian of her minor children, Clifford Boyce, Majorie Boyce and James Boyce, without giving bond, as now required by law ;

Judiciary.

By Mr. Avery (petition, notice and proof)—

H. 605. To reimburse the sheriff of Hale county for the extradition of Tom Walker ;

Ways and means.

By Mr. Henry—

H. 606. To regulate the fees of the judge of probate in the matter of the exemptions to widows and minor children, so far as the same relates to Jefferson county ;

Fees and salaries;

Also,

H. 607. To amend section 521 of the code, so far as the same relates to Jefferson county;

Judiciary ;
Also,
H. 608. To amend section 3217 of the code of Alabama, so far as the same relates to Jefferson county ;
Judiciary;
Also,
H. 609. To amend an act entitled an act “to expedite the trial of capital cases in Jefferson county;
Judiciary.
By Mr. Brown—
H. 6l0. To amend sections 2 and 16 of an act entitled an act to amend an act entitled an act to establish the city court of Birmingham, which was approved February 28, 1889;
Judiciary;
Also,
H. 611. To authorize the submission of controversies without suit;
Judiciary;
Also,
H. 612. To amend section 4641 of the code ;
Penitentiary and criminal administration ;
Also,
H. 613. To amend section 4591 of the code;
Penitentiary and criminal administration :
Also,
H. 614. To amend section 4631 of the code ;
Judiciary.
By Mr. Young (notice and proof)—
H. 615. To repeal an act entitled an act to authorize the tax collector of Marion county to collect the unpaid taxes for the years 188O, 1881, 1882, l883. and to pay the same to J. R. Hughes, late tax collector of said county, for the purpose of reimbursing the said J. R. Hughes, for money paid the state and county on account of said taxes, approved February 28,1887 ;
Ways and means.
By Mr. Lewis (notice and proof)—
H. 616. For the relief of the estate of John R. Dickin, deceased;
Revision of laws;
Also,
H. 617. For the relief of parties whose lands have been sold for taxes;
Revision of laws;

Also (with petition),

H. 618. To prevent desertion by persons who have signed a marriage contract;

Revision of laws.

By Mr. Sullivan (notice and proof)—

H. 619. To refund to George G. White and Charlton Alexander $107.55 erroneously paid by them into the state treasury for purchase of certain lands previously sold by the state ;

Judiciary ;

Also,

H. 620. To amend section 3258 of the code;

Revision of laws.

By Mr. Parks—

H. 621. To amend section 4 of an act to give force and effect to section 4 of article 14 of the Constitution of the State of Alabama, approved February 28, 1887 ;

Judiciary.

By Mr. Kemp (by request)—

H. 622. To amend sections 4068 and 4069 of the code of Alabama;

Temperance.

By Mr. Sayre—

H. 623. To amend an act entitled an act to provide for the registration and lien of judgments and decrees for the payment of money. approved February 28, 1887 ;

Revision of laws;

Also,

H. 624. To amend sections 1868 and 1869 of the code of Alabama;

Revision of laws;

Also,

H. 625. To relieve Thomas W. Oliver, junior, of Montgomery county, Alabama, of the disabilities of non-age;

Revision of laws ,

Also,

H. 626. To protect manufacturers, bottlers and dealers in ale, porter, lager beer, soda, mineral waters and other beverages, from the loss of their casks, barrels, kegs, bottles and boxes;

Temperance.

By Mr. Sparkman (notice and proof)—

H. 627. For the relief of the estate of James Orr, deceased, of Morgan county;

Ways and means.
By Mr. Smith of Russell—
H. 628. To authorize the mayor and aldermen of the city of Girard to establish a system of public schools in said city ;
Education.
By Mr. Wilson—
H. 629. To amend section 3775 of the code ;
Revision of laws.
By Mr. Long—
H. 630. To declare the Black Warrior river a navigable stream within the limits of Walker county, and to prohibit the obstruction of the same;
Commerce and common carriers;
Also,
H. 631. To provide for a charter for the town of Carbon Hill, in Walker county, Alabama;
Local legislation ;
Also,
H. 632. To amend an act entitled an act for the protection of dogs, approved February l2,1887 ;
Local legislation.
By Mr. Purifoy—
H. 633. To regulate the convict system of Alabama;
Penitentiary and criminal administration.
By Mr. Webb—-
H. 634. To amend section one of an act to establish partial stock law districts in Talladega county, so as to include precincts seven, eight, eleven, and all of that part of two lying east of the Jackson Trace road in said county ;
Local legislation ;
Also,
H, 635. To amend section four of an act to incorporate and establish a charter for the town of Childersburg, in the county of Talladega;
Temperance.
By Mr. Brewer (by request)—
Memorial to the congress of the United States in relation to the Nicaragua canal;
Federal relations.

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

H. 91. To levy a state and county tax on peddlers of clocks and sewing machines;

The amendments offered by the committee were adopted.

The bill was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 44, nays 32.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Armistead, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Finch, Harrell, Harris, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Lewis, Long, Loveless, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Simmons, Smith of Russell, Steele, Townsend of Pike, Whatley, Wood.

Nays—Messrs. Adams, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Ayres, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Cox, Davis of Lamar, Forman, Gass, Gordon, Guthrie, Henry, Howle, Jones, Kelly, Lane, Leigh, Longshore, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parks, Quarles, Rather, Sparkman, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Wilson, Young.

H. 335. To amend an act to prohibit the sale, giving away or disposing of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors for gain in beat 1, Lee county, Alabama, and to provide for an election therein. approved February 28th, 1887,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 64, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Gordon, Guthrie, Harre1!, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 207. To change and fix the rule of descents and distributions in this state as to persons dying intestate who leave no widow or children or their descendants, but who have parents surviving them,

Was read the third rime at length and passed—yeas 69, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Amason of Sum-t er, Appleton. Armistead, Avery, Ayres. Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clayton,

Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Finch,Forman, Gass, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Huf ham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher. Townsend of Limestone,Townsend of Pike, Webb, Whatley, Wilson, Young.

H. 273½. To revive section 4202 of the code of 1886, so far as the same may have reference to the county of Geneva, and to make it applicable to the said county of Geneva, and repeal an act entitled an act to repeal section 4031 of the revised code of 1867, so far as said act relates to the county of Geneva;

Substitute pending.

The substitute with the following title was adopted :

To repeal an act entitled an act to repeal section 4031 of the revised code of 1867, so far as the same relates to the county of Geneva.

The bill was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 63, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Ayres, Barnett, Bi hop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Gass, Gordon, Guthrie, Henry, Howle, Huf-ham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 119. To promote the comfort of passengers on railroad trains;

Substitute pending.

The substitute was adopted.

The bill was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 67, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker,Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bass. Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of

Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Gass, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 374. To amend section 4 of an act, entitled an act to more effectually secure competent and well qualified jurors in the several counties of this stale, with the exception that the provisions of this act shall not apply to the counties of Henry, Mobile. Dallas, Talladega, Clay, Marengo, Cherokee, Etowah, St. Clair, Coffee, Dale, Geneva, Marshall and Montgomery, approved February 28th, 1887, so far as the same relates to the county of Marion,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 63, nays 0.

Teas—Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Clanton, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Finch, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 54. To amend sections 2 and 4 of an act entitled an act to facilitate the giving of bonds required by law and authorizing; certain corporations to become sole surety thereon ;

Substitute pending.

Mr. Smith of Russell, moved to table the bill and substitute, and the motion prevailed ;

Yeas 54, nays 15.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Forman, Gass, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Johnson, Judge, Kemp, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Loveless,

Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Wood, Wilson, Young.

Nays—Messrs. Amason of Sumter, Bevis, Buck, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Winston, Hufham, Kelly, Lee of Conecuh, Lewis, Powell, Sayre, Steele, Sullivan, Whatley, White.

On motion of Mr. Brewer, the house adjourned till 9 a. m. to-morrow.

TWENTY-SEVENTH DAY.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
WEDNESDAY, January 21,1891.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Cummings of the city.

The journal of yesterday was read and approved.

RESOLUTION CONSIDERED.

The house adopted Mr. Adams' resolution with reference to assigning clerk of the house an office. And the speaker appointed on said committee Messrs. Adams, Brewer and Clanton.

Mr. Lewis moved to take from the table H. 54, and make its consideration a continuing special order for January 27th, after reading the journal.

Lost.

SPECIAL OBDER.

The house proceeded to consider

H. 499. To fix the salaries of state officers in this state, including the railroad commissioners.

Mr. Pettus moved to amend the bill by .striking out rail road commissioners from the bill.

Mr. Davis of Fayette, moved to postpone the further con-

sideration of the bill and amendment t.ill Tuesday next al 12 o'clock, m.

Mr. Brewer moved to table Mr. Davis' motion.

Carried.

Mr. Brewer moved to table the amendment offered by Mr. Pettus.

Carried.

Mr. Scott offered an amendment to strike out $2,100.00 where they occur in the bill and inserting in lieu $2,000.00.

Lost.

The bill was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 51, nays 32.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker. Adams, Alexander, Almon, Am ason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Black-Brewer, Buck, Coleman, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Forman, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Longshore, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Quarles, Ramsay, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

Nays—Messrs. Amason of Sumter, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bevis, Brown, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Davis of Fayette, Edwards, Henry, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Leslie, Lewis, Moore of Baldwin, Powell, Purifoy, Rather, Sayre, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Tucker of Lauderdale, White.

Mr. Adams moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill just passed was passed and then moved to lay that motion on the table.

The latter motion was carried.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker:

The senate has passed the following bills:

H. 87. To amend sections 2 and paragraphs 5, 7, 9, 10 and 13, and section 4 and sections 9 and 10 of an act entitled an act to provide for a charter for the city of Jasper, in Walker county, Alabama, approved February 6th, 1889.

H. 237. To repeal an act entitled an act to protect fish in the county of Butler, approved February 21st, 1887,

And has adopted a joint resolution herewith sent raising a joint committee to consider the question of redistricting the state into congressional districts.

Committee on the part of the senate, Messrs. Milner, Inzer[,] Stallworth, Cowan, Smith of Autauga.

And has originated and passed the bills:

s. 11. To repeal an act to make an annual appropriation for the benefit of the State Agricultural Society, approved February 22, 1887.

s. 12. To repeal an act entitled an act to amend an act to make an annual appropriation for the benefit of the State Agricultural Society, approved February 25, 1889.

s. 146. For protecting mines in Alabama.

s. 187. To define a lawful wire fence in Wilcox and Sumter counties.

s. 223. To authorize the Opelika police board to order an election in the city of Opelika.

W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The senate joint resolution with reference to redistricting the state into congressional districts was concurred in.

The senate bills just received, the titles of which are set out in the foregoing senate message, were severally read one time and referred to appropriate committees as follows :

s. 11 and 12, to appropriations;

s. 146, to ways and means;

S. 187, to agriculture ;

s. 223, to privileges and elections.

BILLS ON FIRST READING.

On a call of the counties bills were introduced, read the first time severally, and referred to appropriate committees, as follows :

By Mr. Clayton—

H. 636. To regulate the sa1e, barter or exchange of refined petroleum or kerosene oil for consumption within the State of Alabama;

Commerce and common carriers ;

Also,

H. 637. To regulate the fine and forfeiture fund of Barbour county and the disposal of moneys arising from fines, forfeitures and convict labor;

Judiciary;

Also,

H. 638. To amend section 2223 of the code;

Judiciary.

By Mr. Adams—

H. 639. To authorize the creation and to provide for the operation of tribunals of voluntary arbitration to adjust industrial disputes between employers and employed ;

Mining and manufacturing;

Also,

H. 640. To authorize W. D. Caddell to make title deeds to certain lands in Bibb county;

Local legislation.

By Mr. Cooper—

H. 641. To validate bonds issued by the corporate authorities of the city of Anniston, bearing date of June 1st, 1887;

Judiciary.

By Mr. Whatley—

H. 642. To prescribe the time when taxes shall become delinquent in the county of Chambers;

Revision of laws.

Also,

H. 643. To prohibit the selling of farm products on which the landlords liens is unpaid in the county of Chambers;

Judiciary.

By Mr. Rather—

H. 644. To incorporate the town of Leighton, in the counties of Colbert and Lawrence, Alabama;

Corporations.

By Mr. Rousseau—

H. 645. To divide township 6, range 14, in Covington county, into two school districts.;

Education ;

Also (with notice and proof),

H. 646. For the relief of E. Dixon, tax collector of Covington county;

Ways and means.

By Mr. Guthrie (with petition)—

H. 647. To prohibit the manufacture, sale, giving away, or otherwise disposing of, as a beverage, spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, intoxicating bitters, any fruits preserved in alcohol, or any other intoxicating drinks at or within two miles of Jones' Chapel Methodist Episcopal church in Cullman county, Alabama:

Temperance.

By. Mr. Quarles—

H. 648. To regulate the practice of medicine and surgery in the Slate of Alabama ;

Judiciary.

By Mr. Parker (with notice and proof)—

H. 649. To refund to William Mastin, of Elmore county, thirty-one and 75-100 dollars wrongfully paid by him as taxes to the state;

Local legislation.

By Mr. Davis of Fayette—

H. 650. To establish a Branch Agricultural Experiment Station and Agricultural School in or near Jasper, in Walker county, Alabama;

Agriculture,

Also,

H. 651. To provide for the protection and preservation of game animals and birds in Fayette county;

Local legislation.

By Mr. Judge—

H. 652, To provide for the payment of the members of the committee which held its sitting during the second recess to inquire into the necessity for increasing the judicial circuits and chancery divisions of this state;

Judiciary;

Also (by request),

H. 653. To make additional provisions to the laws regulating the practice of medicine in this state;

Public health.

By Mr. Loveless—

H. 654. To authorize the mayor and councilmen of Brewton to issue bonds of said city for an amount not exceeding twenty five thousand dollars, for the purpose of putting in a system of water works, and making other permanent improvements in said city;

Corporations;

Also (by request),

H. 655. To define and regulate the liability of persons, partnerships and corporations operating in the county of Escambia ditches or canals for the purpose of floating logs or timbers therein;

Judiciary;

Also,

H. 656. To prohibit the driving of live animals into, or the placing of the dead bodies of animals in, any ditch or canal operated for the purpose of floating logs or timbers within the limits of the county of Escambia;

Local legislation.

By Mr. Lane—

H. 657. To establish a district in Limestone county in which it shall be unlawful for hogs, sheep and goats running at large;

Local legislation.

By Mr. Avery—

H. 658. To amend the charter of the town of Greensboro, and the acts amending the same ;

Corporations.

By Mr. Parks (by request)—

H. 659. To create a new county, to be called the county of Sand Mountain;

Counties and county boundaries.

By Mr. Leslie (with notice and proof)—

H. 660. To prohibit the sale, giving away, or otherwise disposing of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, within three miles of Adonirom church, in beat 5, in Henry county, Alabama;

Temperance;

Also,

H. 661. To legalize the purchase of a ferry across the Chattahoochee river by the town of Columbia, Henry county, Alabama, and to authorize said town to run or operate the same;

Local legislation.

By Mr. Henry (by request)—

H. 662. To prevent trespassing in Jefferson county on premises enclosed by a fence;

Local legislation ;

Also (by request),

H. 663. To provide liens for mechanics and materialmen ;

Judiciary.

By Mr. Brown—

H. 664. To define the corporate limits of the town of Irondale, and to authorize the sale or otherwise disposing of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors therein if the citizens of said town so desire;

Local legislation;

Also.

H 665. To incorporate the Birmingham Trust and Security Company ;

Corporations ;

Also,

H. 666. To incorporate the Presbytery of North Alabama ;

Corporations;

Also,

H. 667. To extend the police power and jurisdiction of the city of Birmingham over and above the fair grounds in the vicinity of said city, in the county of Jefferson, known as Fair Grounds of the Birmingham Fair Association, and to empower the corporate authorities of said city to authorize, regulate, and license any business on said fair grounds during the holding of any fair, exposition or races that may be authorized, regulated or licensed by said city within the corporate limits thereof;

Corporations;

Also,

H. 668. To incorporate the town of Village Springs, in Jefferson and Blount counties ;

Corporations.

By Mr.Jackson—

H. 669. To incorporate the Auburn Baptist church, of Auburn, Lee connty, Alabama ;

Corporations.

By Mr. Kelly (by request, with notice and proof)—

H. 670. To remove the disabilities of non-age of John S. Pollard, a minor;

Revision of Laws.

By Mr. Sullivan—

H. 671. To amend section 1 of an act entitled an act to declare void and of no force the sales of land for taxes made by the tax collector of this state made previous to 1st day of January, 1881, where such lands were bid in for the state

and have not been redeemed by the owner or other person entitled, under the laws of the state, to redeem such lands, or that have not been sold or transferred by the state under any law governing the sale or transfer of lands sold for taxes, and to remise, release and quit-claim all the titles of the state therein to the owner thereof," approved February 18, 1889;

Revision of laws.

By Mr. Simmons—

H. 672. To incorporate the Alabama Military Institute at Tuskegee, Macon county ;

Corporations;

Also,

H. 673. To provide for the levying and collecting a license tax on dogs, in Macon county ;

Local legislation.

By Mr. Hill—

H. 674. To amend section eleven (11) of an act entitled an act to prevent horses, mules, asses, cows, hogs, sheep, and goats from running uncontrolled on crops in the county of Montgomery, and to prescribe a rule of damages and the rules of practice in the trials of cases under this act, approved February 24, 1887 ;

Local legislation.

By Mr. Alexander—

H. 675. To amend section 3812 of the (criminal) Code of Alabama;

Judiciary,

By Mr. White (by request)—

H. 676. To prevent the selling, giving away, or procuring for another, or aiding another person in procuring, within the town of Marion, Perry county, or within five miles thereof, any vinous, spirituous or malt liquors, or intoxicating drinks, bitters or beverages, or fruit preserved in alcohol or alcoholic liquors, except for sacramental purposes, or by persons at their private residences, using the same in their families;

Temperance.

By Mr. Barnett (by request)—

H. 677. To establish a charter for the town of Brundidge, in Pike county;

Corporations.

By Mr. Townsend of Pike—

H. 678. To present the selling, giving away, or otherwise

disposing of any spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, or intoxicating bitters of any description, within three miles of Mossy Grove church and school house, in Pike county;

Temperance.

By Mr. Smith of Russell—

H. 679. To amend section 1924 of the code;

Judiciary.

By Mr. Longshore—

H. 680. To amend section 2908 of the code;

Revision of laws.

By Mr. Forman (by request)--

H. 681. To incorporate the town of Seddon in St, Clair county, and to establish a charter for the government thereof;

Corporations;

Also (by request)

H. 682. To allow the sale of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors within the corporate limits of the town of Seddon in St. Clair county, Alabama ;

Temperance;

Also(by request),

H. 683. To confer on the corporate authorities of the town of Riverside, in St. Clair county, authority to license, regulate or restrain the sale, or gift, or other disposition of vinous, spirituous or malt liquors within the limits of said town;

Temperance.

By Mr. Amason of Sumter—

H. 684. To amend section 4887 (4927) (4459) of the code, so far as the same relates to Sumter county;

Revision of laws.

By Mr. Amason of Tallapoosa (with notice)—

H. 685. To refund license money to J. C. Baugham, of Tallapoosa county;

Appropriations;

Also,

H. 686. To prohibit the sale, giving away, or otherwise disposing of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, within one-half mile of the City Mission church and the Corinthian Baptist church in Mobile county, and other places named therein, and known as the “Omnibus Liquor Bill,” approved December 10, 1890;

Temperance.

On motion of Mr. Gordon, the house adjourned till 9 a. m. to-morrow.

TWENTY-EIGHTH DAY.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVBS,
THURSDAY, January 22, 1891.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Cumming, of the city.

A quorum was present.

The journal of yesterday was read and approved.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Was granted to Mr. Northington indefinitely, on account of sickness.

Mr. Smaw rose to a question of personal privilege, and being recognized, stated that he voted on yesterday for H. 499 with the intention of making a motion to reconsider, and not because he favored the bill.

SPECIAL ORDERS.

The motion to reconsider the vote by which

H. 271. To amend an act entitled an act to establish a court of county revenues for Dallas,

Was passed, was taken up.

Mr. Quarles moved to table the motion to reconsider;

Carried.

H. 84. To prohibit pools, trusts or combines, to regulate the prices of produce or goods, wares and merchandise in this state,

Was taken up.

The amendments offered by the committee were adopted.

The bill was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 68, nays 3.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Ayres, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Forman, Gass, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Jones, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Purifoy, Ramsay,

Rousseau, Simmons, Smaw, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

Nays—Messrs. Johnson, Quarles, and Smith of Russell.

EXPLANATION OF VOTE.

Leave was granted Messrs. Quarles, Smith of Russell, and Johnson to spread their objections to H. 84 on the journal, as follows :

The bill does not give "equal rights to all and special privileges to none," and discriminates clearly in favor of one class against all others. For these reasons, we are compelled to vote against this bill, as amended.

W. W. QUARLES,
JOHN V. SMITH,
LEWIS JOHNSON.

The speaker appointed the following committee under senate joint resolution relative to redistricting the state into nine congressional districts:

From the state at Large—Messrs. Scott and Lewis.
1st District—Mr. Steele.
2nd " Mr. Lee of Conecuh.
3rd " Mr Smith of Russell.
4th " Mr. Quarles.
5th " Mr. Harris.
6th " Mr. Foster.
7fh " Mr Cooper.
8th " Mr. Lane.

REPORT FROM COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Speaker :

The committte on enrolled bills report the following bills correctly enrolled :

H. 193. To authorize and empower the commissioners' court to have a general index made for the records in the probate court of Choctaw and Coosa counties;

H. 204 To prescribe the time in which bills of exception must be filed in the criminal court of Jefferson county;

H. 237. To repeal an act entitled an act to protect fish in the county of Butler, approved February 21st, 1887;

H. 328. To ratify and confirm all contracts, sales, convey-

ances and mortgages madeby or to the Alabama State Land Company since November 11th, 1886.
H. 451. To authorize the court of county commissioners of Greene county to make an order transferring to the general fund of said county, the balance of the money now in the hands of the county treasurer of Greene county belonging to the sinking fnnd or special fund created by said court of connty commissioners, under the provisions of an act of the general assembly of Alabama, entitled an act to authorize the court of county commissioners of Greene county to issue bonds for the pnrpose of compromising the old bonds of said county issued in aid of the Selma, Marion and Memphis rail-road, approved Februarv 23d, 1881, and to aufhorize the county treasurer of said county on said order being made by said court of couity commissioners totransfer to the general fund of said county said balance of money in his hands as such treaaurer, belonging to said sinking fund or special fund, and to make said money so transferred a part of the general fund of said county ;
H. 109. To establish a new charter for the town of Pratt Mines in Jefferson county ;
H 381. To incorporate the city of Ozark in the county of Dale.
C. C. RATHER,
Chairman.
RESOLUTIONS

Were offered as follows:
By Mr. Brown—
Resolved, That on and after the 23d inst., this house shall have daily sessions, as fnllows: Assemble at 9 o'clock, a. m., adjourn at 1 o'olock, p, m., re-assemble at2:30 o'clock, p. m., and adjourn at 6 o'clock, p. m.; provided, that the afternoon sessions of each day be devoted to local bills,
Which was referred to the committee on rules.
By Mr. Clayton—
Resolved by the house, the sennte concurring, that the joint committee heretofore raised to consider the advisability of increasing the number of cliancery divisions and judicial circuits or of re-arranging those already established be allowed two days more in which to report.
The rules were suspended and the resolution adopted.

By Mr. Brewer—
Resolved by the house, the senate concurring, That the joint committee to examine the offices of the state auditor and state treasurer are authorized to appoint an expert clerk to assist them in their work it they deem it necessary to have one.
BILLS ON FIRST READING.
On a call of the counties bills were introduced, read severally one tirne and referred to appropriate committees as follows:
By Mr. Lee of Barbour—
H. 687. To amend section 3758 (4327) of the code; Revision of laws.
Also,
H. 688. To amend sect-ion 3757 (4325) of the code; Revision of laws.
By Mr. Cooper—
H. 689. To fix the compensation of county commissioners of Calhoun county, Alabama;
Local legislation.
By Mr. Whatley—
H. 690. To relieve Leonora Caroline Omalie of Chambers county af the disabilities of non-age;
Judiciary.
By Mr. Cornelius—
H. 691. To create a separate school district. in Cherokee county and to define the boundaries thereof ;
Education.
By Mr. Watters (nofice and proof)—
H. 692. Fortherelief of Burwell Y. Burns of Choctaw county, Alabama;
Ways and means.
By Mr. Rousseau—
H. 693, To authorize the commissioners court of Covington county, Alabama, to levy a special tax for the pay of grand and petit jurors in said county.
Ways and means.
By Mr. Edwards—
H. 694. To prevent the furnishing of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors to persons confined in jail;
Temperance.

By Mr. Appleton—
H. 695. To allow A. E. Lowry of Deivalb county to practice medicine according to the Botanic theory without passing an examination before the medical board of said county, and to collect fees for medical services rendered under this act;
Public health.
By Mr. Loveless—
H. 696. To amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the town of Brewton in Escambia county, approved February 13th, 1885;
Corporations.
By Mr. Brewer (by request)—
H. 697. To incorporate the town of Hayneville;
Corporations.
By Mr. Simmons—
H. 698. To provide for the election of a board of four commissioners to be known as the commissioners court of Macon county at the general election in August, 1892;
Privileges and elections.
Also,
H. 699. To provide for the election of a county treasurer of Macon county by the qualified voters thereof at the general election for state and county officers in Angust, 1892.
Privileges and elections.
By Mr. Bass—
H. 700. To create and establish a new beat in Lee couuty, Alabama, to be known and designated as beat number 14 in said county having as a precinct or voting place, Smith station. The said beat, to be bounded as follows, to-wit: as hereinafter designated and more particularly described ;
Local legislation.
By Mr. Bain (by request)
H. 701. To cure irregularities in the issuance of claims against the fine and forfeiture fund of Marshall county and to further regulate said fund;
Ways and means.
Also,
H. 702. To regulate the granting of licenses to sell vinous or spirituous liquors in the county of Marshall, State of Alabama;
Temperance.

By Mr. Buck—
H. 703. To repeal sertion 9 of an act entitled an act to regulate the practice of pharmacy, and the sale of poisons in the cities and towns of more than nine hundred inhabitants in the State of Alabama;
Revision of laws.
By Mr. Kelly—
H. 704. To iocoiporate the Pan-Anierican Trdnsportation Company and to define its powers;
Revision of laws.
By Mr. Kemp (by request)—
H. 705. To establish and regulate trials by jury before justices of the peace;
Judiciary.
By Mr. Sparkman—
H. 706. To locate permanently the seat of government of the county of Morgan;
Local legislation.
By Mr. Forman—
H. 707. To incorporate the town of Springville with the boundaries hereinafter designated, and to establish a new charter for said town;
Corporations.
By Mr. Ramsay—
H. 708. To amend section 2568 of the code;
Revision of laws.
By Mr. Webb—
H. 709; To grant certain rights of way to the Montgomery and Syllacauga railroad company;
Corporations.
Also,
H. 710. To amend sections 1, 3 and 9 of an act entitled an act to incorporate the Montgomery and Sylacauga railroad company, approved February 11,1889;
Corporations.
By Mr. Foster—
H. 711. To establish the Sylvan Agricultural District; to authorize the erection of an outside fence and to dispense with inside fences, and to levy taxes to erect said fence and to pay all the current expenses of said district;
Local legislation.
By Mr. Davis of Winston—
H. 712. To prohibit the sale, giving away or otherwise dis-

posing of vinous or malt liquors or intoxicating beverages, except for medicinal or church purposes in beat number 5 in Winston county, Alabama;
Temperance.
Also,
H. 713. To incorporate the town of Millville in the county of Winston and State of Alabama:
Corporations.
By Mr. Finch—
H. 714. To provide for a registration of all claims against the fine and forfeiture fund of Franklin county;
Judiciary.
Also,
H. 716. To authorize the deeds, contracts, conveyance or other instruments to be recorded again in Franklin connty;
Judiciary.
By Mr. Longshore—
H. 717. To repeal an act enlitled an act to regulate sheriffs and coroners sales in the county of Shelby;
Corporations.
By Mr. Rather—
H. 718. For the relief of T. R. Whittemore & Co.;
Appropriations.
BILLS ON SECOND READING.
The following bills were reported favorably by the various committees, severally read the second time and placed on the caiendar :
H. 624. To amend sections 1868 and 1869 of the code of Alabama ;
H. 625. To relieve Thomas W. Oliver, junior, of Montgomery county, Alabama, of the disabilities of non-age ;
H. 616. For the relief of parties whose lands have been sold for taxes;
H. 484. To allow all fines and forfeitures imposed and adjudged by any court in Crenshaw county to be paid in fine and forfeiture scrip issued by said county ;
H. 616. For the relief of the estate of John R. Dickin, deceased ;
H. 525. To amend section 2931 of the code ;
H. 483. To repeal an act entitled “an act to authorize and require the commissioners court of Crenshaw county to dis-

pose of moneys arising from fines, forfeitures and convict labor," approved February 4th,1889;
s. 147. To amend section 3780 (4346) of the code;
H. 615. To repeal an act entilled an act to authorize the tax collector of Marion county to collect the unpaid taxes for the years 1880, 1881, 1882, 1883, and to pay the same to J. R. Hughes, late tax collector of said county, for the purpose of reimbursing the said J. R. Hughes for money paid the state and county on account of said taxes, approved February 28, 1887;
H. 268. To require tax collectors to take duplicate receipts for all moneys paid county treasurers ;
H. 605. To reimburse the sheriff of Hale county for the extradition of Torn Walker ;
H. 308. To finally dispose of lands which have been sold for its taxes and bid in for the state;
H. 352. To regulate the mode and manner of taxing property under mortgage in the State of Alabama:
s. 184. To regulate the payment of interest due by the state in New York;
s. 46. To provide for the pay of mileage to constables and bailiffs for their attendance upon the different courts of the state ;
H. 544. To provide for the better maintenance and support of the public schools of Escambia county ;
H. 628. To authorize the mayor and aldermen of the city of Girard to establish a system of public schools in said city;
H. 443. To amend an act entitled an act to establish a new charter for the town of Attalla, approved February 28, 1889 ;
H. 447. To amend section 18 of an act entitled an act to establish a new charter for the city of Gadsden, approved February 27,1883;
H. 588. To anieud section 8 of au act entitled an act to provide a new charler for the city of Tuscumbia, Colbert county, Alabama, approved February 28th, 1887;
H. 595. To prevent the selling, giving away, or otherwise disposing of any spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, within two miles of Providence church, in beat three, in Dale county, Alabama;
H. 626. To protect manufacturers, bottlers and dealers in ale, porter, lager beer, soda, mineral waters and other

beverages from the loss of their casks, barrels, kegs, bottles and boxes;
H. 560. To prohibit the sale, giving away or otherwise disposing of spirituous, malt or vinous liquors, or fruits preserved in alcoholic liquors, or intoxicating bitters of any kind within three miles of Holly Grove (colored) Missionary Baptist Church, in beat No. 14, Lamar county, Alabama ;
H. 490. To prohibit the selling, bartering, exchanging or giving away of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, intoxicating bitters or beverages in Mitchell beat number one, Lauderdale county, Alabama;
H. 635. To amend seclion four of an act to incorporate and establish a charter for the town of Childersburg, in the county of Talladega;
s. 104. To prevent the sale of spirituous, vinous and malt liquors within three miles of Big Creek Baptist Church, or within Memphis beat, No. 20, in Pickens coimty ;
s. 97. To prohibit the sale, or other disposition of all intoxicating liquors, or other intoxicating beverages at or within five miles of Brockwood, in Tuskaloosa county ;
s. 180. To repeal an act to prohibit the sale, giving away or otherwise disposing of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, or intoxicating bitters at or within certain localities in this state therein designated to-wit: In SpringHill, Marengo county, and within six miles thereof, and varions other places, approved February 28, 1881, so far as the same applies to Van Dorn, Marengo county, and the territory adjacent thereto for one hundred yards ;
H. 323. For the relief of Benjamin B. Ballard, a cilizen of Covington county ;
H. 602. For the relief of A. G. Franklin, ex-sheriff of the county of DeKalb, State of Alabama ;
H. 528. To repeal an act entitled an act to amend an act to regulate the fees of officers of court against the fine and forfeiture fund of Wilcox county;
H. 327. To fix the fees of the circuit clerk of Hale county;
H. 576. To pay probate judges in this state salaries instead of fees and perquisites, for their services ;
H. 577. To provide for the payment of the salaries of the judges of probate in this state, and, to provide for the payment of the fees and perquisites of their respective offices, into the county treasury of the respective counties to be ap-

plied to the payment of their respective salaries; for such clerical aid, or payments for recording, in their respective offices, which shall be absolutely necessary for the successful management of their respective offices, and to apply the remainder of the fees and perquisites of said offices to the public school fund of the state ;

H. 262. To provide for the assessment of state and county taxes on property within the corporate limits of the city of Anniston;

H. 466. To regulate and give security to farm and plantation labor contracts in Sumter county ;

H. 653. To make additional provisions to the laws regulating the practice of medicine in this state;

s. 148. To provide for the service of process upon domestic corporations by publication in cases where return of "not found" is made by the sheriff ;

s. 145. To amend section 4854 of the code;

s. 118. To dissolve garnishments in cases where the defendant executes bond to plaintiff;

s. 64. To authorize judges of the circuit and city courts of this state in term time, to apportion costs in actions to recover land or the possession thereof where only a portion of the land sued for is recovered;

s. 181. To amend section 4078 ofthe code;

s. 78. To provide for bells at public ferries in Wilcox county;

S. 163. To authorize and empower the governor of Alabama to issue a patent to the heirs of John Henderson, deceased, to the N. W. ¼ of the N. E. ¼ and N. E. ¼ of N. W. ¼ of section sixteen, township eighteen of range five east, of Talladega county;

H. 649. To refund to Wm. Mastin, of Elmore county, thirty-one and 75-100 dollars, wrongfully paid by him as taxes to the state ;

H. 632. To arnend an act entitled an act for the protection of dogs, approved February 12, 1887 ;

H. 673. To provide for the levying and collecting a license tax on dogs in Macon and Lee counties;

H. 592. To repeal an act entitled an act to prohibit the sale, giving away or otherwise disposing of any spirituous, vinous or malt liquors or intoxicating bitters, beverages or drinks or fruits preserved in alcoholic liquors in the county of Montgomery, and other places therein named, approvcd

February 28, 1887, so far as the same applies to the town of Leighton, in Lawrence and Colbert counties, or within four miles thereof;
H. 657. To establish a district in Limestone county in which it shall be unlawful for hogs. sheep and goats to run at large;
H. 82. To preserve order at the Corn House Camp Ground, in Randolph county, Alabama ;
H. 631. To provide for a charter for the town of Carbon Hill, in Walker county, Alabama.
On motion, the following bills were taken from adverse report and read a second time severally :
s. 24. To protect chickens and other poultry on the premises in the night ;
H. 385. To amend section 629 of the code of Alabama,by adding thereto subdivision 42;
H. 262. To provide for the assessment of stat.e and county taxes on property within the corporate limits of the city of Anniston ;
H. 648. To regulate the practice of medicine and surgery in the state of Alabama.
On motion of Mr. Webb—
H. 635. Was recommitted to the committee on temperance;
H. 640. Was returned by the committee on local legislation and it was referred to the committee on judiciary.
On motion ofMr. Edwards—
H. 596. Was recalled from judiciary and referred to the committee on temperance; and
H. 594 and 597 were recalled from committee on local legislation and referred to the committee on temperance.
On motion of Mr. Simmons—
H. 520. Was taken from adverse report and recommitted to the committee on agriculture.
BILLS ON THIRD READING.
s. 83. To provide for the humane killing of animals so maimed or crippled by railroad locomotives or cars, as to be unable to procure food or drink for themselves,
Was taken up.
Mr. Sayre moved to indefinitely postpone the further consideration of the bill;

Carried.
H. 223. To amend subdivision 2 of section 629 of the
code,
Was taken up.
The substitute offered by the committee was adopted.
The bill was read the third time at length and passed— yeas 53, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Brewer, Brown. Buck, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Foster, Gass Guthrie, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham,Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee ofConecuh, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Rous-seau, Sayre, Smaw, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend
of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.
H. 222. To require county administrators to keep a book
of record and to make such book of record free for examina-tion of all persons,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 59, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Foster, Gass, Guthrie, Henry, Howle, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee Conecuh, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Parks, Peacock, Purifoy, Quarles, Rousseau, Sayre,Smaw, Srnith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Young.
H. 340. To amend section 4592 of the code,
Was read the third time at length and lost—yeas 48,
nays 1.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Bain, Barnett, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clayton, Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Forman, Gass, Harris, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Rousseau, Sayre, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan,

Thrasher, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.
Nay—Mr. Smaw.
Mr. Clayton moved to reconsider the vote by which the
bill was lost;
Carried.
The vote ordering the bill to a third reading was recon-sidered.
Mr. Brewer offered the amendment—
"Not to exceed four dollars a day and not to exceed two days examination in any month."
Adopted.
The bill was read the third time at length and passed— yeas 65, nnys 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Am-ason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clayton, Cooper, Coroelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Edwards, For-
man, Foster, Gass, Guthrie, Harris,Henry, Hill, Howle, Huf-ham, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parks, Powell, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.
s. 50. To provide a system of water works for the city
of Montgomery,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 61,
nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Favette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore,Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Sayre, Simmons, Srnaw, Smith of Russell, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Whatley White, Wood, Wilson, Young.
H. 338. To provide for the payment for the publication

nd section 4429 of the Code of Alabama,
Was taken up.

ot the laws of a general and public character passed at the second sitting of the session of 1888-89 of the Ganeral Assembly of Alabama,
Was taken up.
The amendmsnt offered by the committee was tabled.
Mr. Brewer offered the following amendment—
"Strike out all after the words 'pay for the same,' and in-sert the words, 'at the rale of seventy-five cents per square of ten lines for one insertion in the newspaper in which the same were printed ;' "
Adopted.
The bill was read the third time at length and passed— yeas 60, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Armstead, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Gass, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Judge, Kelly, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour,
Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rather, Sayre, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson.
H. 216. To amend subdivision 2, section 839 of the code,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 54, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Alexander, Amason of Sumter, Amason
of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Blackwell, Brown, Clanton, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Gass, Guthrie, Henry, Howle, Johnson, Judge, Kelly, Lane, Langley, Lee of Conecuh, Lewis, Longshore, Moore of Baldwin, Parker, Parks, Pea-cock, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Sayre, Scott, Simmons, Sparkrnan, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Town-
send of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.
Mr. Smith of Russell, moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed, and the vote was reconsidered ;
And, on motion, the bill was recommitted tojudiciary committee.
H. 354. To amend section 4429 of the Code of Alabama,
Was taken up.

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Was taken up.

Mr. Clayton offered the following amendment—
Add to end of bill, "Provided, that nothing in this act
shall in any way affect any bail or appearance bond hereto-fore executed."
Adopted.
The bill was read the third time at length and passed— yeas 70, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Almon, Am-ason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Burford, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Gass, Guthrie, Harris, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Judge,
Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbonr, Lee of Cone-cuh, Lewis, Longshore, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Powll, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Sayre, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Kussell, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike,
Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker :
The senate has originated and passed the following bills:
s. 140. To provide compensation to sheriffs for removal
of prisoners from other states to this state;
s. 234. To provide for the election of county superinten-dent of education of Autauga county;
s. 235. To provide for the election of the county board
of commissioners ofAutauga county ;
s. 224. To require the cominissioners court of Sumter county to appropriate money from the general fund of the county from which to pay the claims against the fine and for-feiture fund of said county, and to provide the manner of such payrnent ;
s. 211. To amend an act enlitled an act to incorporate
the town ofNorthport, approved February 12, 1879 ;
s. 208. To fix the number of representatives in the house
of representatives of the general assembly of this state, and
to apportion them among the several counties of the state ;
s. 209. To provide for senatorial representation in the general assembly of Alabama ;

And has adopted a joint resolution concerning the bill now pending in the congress of the United States commonly known as the “Force Bill; ”
And has concurred in the house joint resolution allowing the joint committee on re-arranging the judicial circuits and chancery divisions, two days longer in which to report.

W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The senate bills just received, the titles of which are set
out in the foregoing senate message, were severally read one time ard referred to appropriate committees, as follows:
s. 140 to ways and means.
s. 234, 235, 208 and 209, to privileges and elections;
8. 224 to federal relations ;
s. 211 to corporations.
On motion of Mr. Lewis, the senate joint resolution, with reference to the “Force Bill,” was amended by adding thereto the words, “and senators,” and as amended, was concurred in.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

By his private seeretary, Mr. Jackson.

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
MONTGOMERY, Jan. 12, 1891.

Gentlemen of the General Assembly:
As heretofore advised, prompt request was made in com-pliance with a joint resolntion of the general assembly, of the census bureau for an official certified tabulated statement of the population of Alabama by counties.
Such a statement has been received, and not being in dup-licate, I send it to the house.
It is believed thal the tabulated statement recently pub-lished in the daily newspapers is an exact copy of the official statement sent to this office. If, however, it be desired by
the senate, I will have a copy of the tabulated statement
made and forward to it.

THOS. G. JONES,
Governor.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
CENSUS OFFICE,
WASHINGTON, D. C., January 19,1891.

Dear Sir:

I take pleasure intransmitting to you herewith a complete statement of population for the State of Alabama by counties, as finally determined according; to the the count of the returns made under the eleventh census.

Very respectfully,
R. L. PORTER, Superintendent of Census.
Governor of Alabama, Montgomery, Alabama.

STATE OF ALABAMA—BY COUNTIES.

Autauga 13,330
Baldwin 8,941
Barbour 35,742
Bibb 13,824
Blount 21,927
Bullock 27,063
Butler 20,797
Calhoun 33,835
Chambers 26,319
Cherokee 20,459
Chilton 14,549
Choctaw 17,526
Clarke 22,624
Clay 15,765
Cleburne 13,218
Coflee 12,170
Colbert 20,189
Conecuh 14,594
Coosa 15,906
Covington 7,536
Crenshaw 15,425
Cullman 13,439
Dale 17,225
Dallas 49,350
DeKalb 21,106
Elmore 21,732
Escambia 8,666.

Etowah 21,926
Fayette 12,823
Franklin 10,681
Geneva 10,690
Greene 22,007
Hale 27,501
Henry 24,847
Jackson 28,026
Jefferson 88,501
Lamar 14,187
Lauderdale 23,739
Lawrence 20,725
Lee 28,694
Limestone 21,201
Lowndes 31,550
Macon 18,439
Madison 38,119
Marengo 33,095
Marion 11,347
Marshall 18,935
Mobile 51,587
Monroe 18,990
Montgomery 56,172
Morgan 24,089
Perry 29,332
Pickens 22,470
Pike 24,423
Randolph 17,219
Russell 24,093
Saint Clair 17,353
Shelby 20,886
Sumter 29,574
Talladega 29,346
Tallapoosa 25,460
Tuscaloosa 30,352
Walker 16,078
Washington 7,935
Wilcox 30,816
Winston 6,552
State total 1,513,017

On motion, the above message, with accompany

ments, were referred to the committee on privileges and elections.
On motion, the honse adjourned till 9 p. m. to-morrow.

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TWENTY-NINTH DAY.
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
FRIDAY, January 23, 1891.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.
Prayer by Rev. Mr. Cumming, of the city.
A quorum was present.
The journal of yesterday was read and approved.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Was granted to Mr. Nolen for one day, and to Mr. Howle for to-morrow.

SPECIAL ORDERS.

On motion of Mr. Purifoy H. 259 was made a special order for to-day at 12 m.

CONSIDERATION OF RESOLUTIONS.

The resolution of Mr. Brewer to authorize the joint com-mittee to examine the offices of the auditor and treasurer to appoint an expert clerk was adopted.
Mr. Clayton, from

THE COMMITTEE ON RULES,

Reported the resolution offered by Mr. Brown on yester-day as to the time of meeting and adjournment with the following amendment:
"Amend by striking out 23d instant and inserting 26th, and by striking out 2:30 p. m. o'clockand inserting 3 o'clock, p. m.,"

Mr. Davis of Lamar, moved that the house assemble at 9:30 o'clock, a. m.

Lost.

Mr. Coleman moved thal the house adjourn at 5 p, m.

Adopted.

The amendments of the cominittee as amended were adopted and the resolution as thus amended was adopted.

RESOLUTIONS

Were then introduced as follows :

By Mr. Lee of Conecuh—

Resolved by the house, the senate concurring, That all bills now on the calendar, or that may hereafter be introduced in either house, prohibiting the sale of intoxicants in local dis-tricts in the state, shall be held by the comrnittee to which said bills were referred, to be reported in one general bill not later than February 10.

By Mr. Lewis—

Resoived, That the call of the counties be continued, and that each member of the house shall have the privilege of calling up a bill and put it on its passage, when his county is called.

BILLS ON FIRST READING.

On a call of the counties the following bills were intro-duced, read severally one time, and referred to appropriate committees as follows :

By Mr. Adams—

H. 719. To authorize an election in Bibb county to ascer-tain whether a bridge across the Cahaba river in said county shall continue a toll bridge or be a free bridge ;

Local legislation.

By Mr. Cooper—

H. 720. To authorize the mayor and city council of An-niston to appropriate to public use lands already appropri-ated to public uses ;

Revision of laws.

By Mr. Harris—

H. 721. To prevent, the sale, giving away, bartering or otherwise disposing of alcoholic, vinous or malt liquors or intoxicating bitters or bevernges within three miles of Mount Pleasant church in beat 5, Ohambers coiinty;

Temperance.

Also,
H. 722. To prevent the sale, giving away, bartering or otherwise disposing of alcoholic, vinous or malt liquors, or intoxicating bitters or beverages, within three miles of Mount Zion Missionary Baptist church in beat 4, Chambers county;
Temperance.
By Mr. Howle—
H. 723. To incorporate the Lineville College at Lineville;
Clay county, Alabama;
Education.
By Mr. Almon—
H. 724. To provide for the election of county supermten-dents of education in the counties of Cleburne and Randolph;
Privileges and elections.
By Mr. Peacock (with petition)
H. 725. To prohibit the sale of vinous or malt liquors within one mile of Fresco post-offlce; Goffee county, Alabama;
Temperance.
By Mr. Davidson—
H. 726. For the relief of Joseph D. James, former sheriff
of Blount county, Alabama;
Accounts and Claims.
By Mr. Rousseau (with notice)—
H. 727. For the relief of S. A. Dauphin, late tax collector of the county of Covington ;
Judiciary.
By Mr. Guthrie (by request)—
H. 728. To amend section 2904 of the code ;
Judiciary;
Also, (by request)—
H. 729. To amend section 4465 of the code of Alabama;
Revision of laws ;
Also, (by request)—
H. 730. To require vendors of personal property and oth-ers verbally retaining titles or liens for unpaid purchase money or otherwise, to record statement of same in the office of probate judge ;
Judiciary;
Also, (by request)—
H. 731. To amend section 3836 of the code of Alabama';
Judiciary;

Also, (with petition)—
H. 732. To eslablish a separate school district to be known as the Jones Chapel school district in Cullman county, Ala-bama, and to provide for the election of a board of trustees
for said school district with certain duties and powers;
Education.
By Mr. Quarles (by request)—
H. 733. Fo raise a fund forthe benefit of the fire compa-nies in the city of Selma;
Revision of laws.
By Mr. Tucker of Crenshaw (by request)—
H. 734. To prohibit the sale, giving away, delivery, trans-fer, parting with, procuring or otherwise disposing of spirit-uous, vinous or malt liquors, or any intoxicating bitters, or mixtures within four miles of the Baptist church in the town of Bullock in Crenshaw county, Alabama;
Temperance.
By Mr. Loveless—
H. 735. To define the duties of deputy solicitors in the preliminary examination of persons charged with felonies ;
Judiciary.
By Mr. Finch—
H. 736. To aulhorize the substitution of the bonds of the county officers, justices of the peace, notaries public, consta-bles, executors, administrators and guardians, in Franklin county;
Judiciary;
AIso, (with notice and proof)—
H. 737. For the relief of E. R. Freeman, clerk of the cir-cuit court of Franklin county, Alabama;
Ways and means.
By Mr. Leslie—
H. 738. To amend an act approved February 24th, 1887, entitled an act to amend section three of an act entitled an act to amend an act approved Jannary 28th, 1870, to incor-porate the town of Columbia, Henry county;
Corporationg;
Also, (by request)—
H. 739. To provide for the holding of that branch of the circuit court of Henry county now held at Columbia, at Headland or Columbia as shall be determined by an election of the qualified voters of said county, and for the holding of such election;
Local legislation;

Also,
H. 740. To authorize the town of Columbia in Henry county, Alabama, to assess and collect a license tax from persons, companies or corporations doing business in said town;
Corporations;
Also,
H. 741. To authorize the town of Columbia in Henry county to borrow money and issue bonds for the purpose of constructing water works and electric lights and to regulate the price of water and lights with the citizens of the town who use the same ;
Corporations.
By Mr. Clanton—
H. 742. To authorize the justicesof the supreme court to use a portion of the library fund in the purchase of law books for the office of the attorney general;
Judiciary.
By Mr. Henry—
H. 743. To confirm the incorporation of the Shakespeare club of Birmingham, Alabama, and the change of the name of said club to " The Alabama Club," and to enlarge the powers and capacities of said club;
Corporatious;
Also, (with notice)—
H. 744. To confirm and amend the incorporation of Iron State Building and Loan Company ;
Corporations;
Also, (with notice and proof)—
H. 745. To ratify, confinn and enlarge the corporate pow-ers of the Birmingham, Powderly and Bessemer Street Rail-road Company;
Corporations.
By. Mr. Brown (by request)—
H. 746. To provide for republishing the reports of the su-preme court which are now out of print;
Appropriations;
Also, (by request)—
H. 747. To allow the sale of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors in the town of Warrior, Jefferson county, Alabama ;
Temperance;
Also, (with notice and proof)
H. 748. To incorporate Southern Steel Company;
Corporations.

By Mr. Davis of Lamar, (with petition)—
H. 749. To increase, enlarge, extend, confirm, establish and ratify the charter and corporate powers of Crews Nor-mal College;
Corporations.
By Mr. Bevis—
H. 750. To amend " an act to authorize the comroission-ers court of Franklin and other counties therein named, to lay off their respective counties into four commissioners dis-tricts ;"
Local legislation.
By Mr. Lane—
H. 751. To amend section one of an act enlitled an act
for the preservation of game in Limestone, Cullman and Madison counties, approved February 26th, 1887 ;
Local legislation.
By Mr. Brewer—
H. 752. To protect the public property at Hayneville ;
Revision of laws.
By Mr. Blackwell--
H. 753. To amend an act entitled an act to authorize Madison county to purchase and to build Macadamized roads, and to issue bonds of the county to aid in the pur-chase or construction thereof;
Public roads and highways
Also, (with notice and proof)—
H. 754. To amend the charter of the Gurley's and Paint Rock Valley Railroad Company;
Commerce and common carriers.
By Mr. Steele—
H. 755. To refund to L. G. Cooper the sum of twenty dollars, being purchase money for certain lands heretofore erroneously sold him by the state ;
Appropriation.
By Mr. Jackson, (by request)—
H. 756. An act to exempt dentists from road duty ;
Judiciary.
By Mr. Armistead—
H. 757. To create a new county of portions of Clarke, Marengo and Wilcox county, to be called the county of Herndon;
Counties and county boundaries.
By Mr. Young—

H. 758. To amend section two of an act entitled an act to create a separate school district in Marion and Lamar counties and to define the bonndaries thereof, approved February 27th, 1889 ;
Education.
Also, (with petition)—
H. 759. For the relief of B. L. Cantrell;
Ways and means.
By Mr. Bain—
H. 760. To establish a charter for the town of Albertville, in Marshall county, Alabama ;
Corporations.
By Mr. Kelly—
H. 761. To exempt the secretary of the chamber of com-merce of the city of Mobile from jury duty;
Revision of laws.
By Mr. Sullivan—
H. 762. To amend section seven of an act entitled " an act to regulate the mode of selecting, drawing and empan-eling grand and petit jurors for the county of Mobile," approved February 20th, 1883 ;
Revision of laws.
By Mr. Kemp—
H. 763. To amend sections one and two of an act entitled an act to preserve order at the Ashberry camp-ground, in the county of Monroe, and at Spring Hill camp-ground, in Buller county, and at Potterville camp, and Ramage Springs camp ground, in Pike county, and at Tabyrnacle and Andrews Chapel camp-ground, in the county of Pickens ;
Local legislation.
By Mr. Sayre—
H. 764. To regulate the payment of the teachers in the public schools of Alabama ;
Education.
Also,
H. 765. To declare the Montgomery Club a Social Club within the meaning of section 4053 of the code of Alabama ;
Revision of laws.
By Mr. IIill—
H. 766. To incorporate the Southern Literary Society ;
Revision of laws.
By Mr. Alexander—
H. 767. To amend an act to authorize the commissioners

court of Perry to establish or abolish districts in said county in which stock may be prevented from running at large, ap-proved February 15th, 1889,
Local legislation.
By Mr. Longshore—
H. 768. To amend section 4492 of the code of Alabama;
Corporations.
By Mr. Ramsay—
H. 769. To provide for the appointment of one, or more, superintendent of public schools, and to further extend the jurisdiction of the commissioners court over and improve
the public roads of Sumter coanty ;
Public roads and highways.
By Mr. Foster (by request)—
H. 770. To amend the act approved February 20, 1889, entitled an act to amend the act to incorporate the city of Tuskaloosa, approved March 12th, 1873, by amending sec-tion 1 of said act so as to extend the boundary lines of said city ;
Corporations.
Also,
H. 771. To amend section 4288 of the code;
Revision of laws.
Also,
H. 772. To confer upon the mayor of the city of Tuska-loosa jurisdiction concurrent with the county court of Tuska-loosa county, of the offences of vagrancy violations of Sun-day laws, assanlts and assaults and batteries, and affrays in which no stick or other weapon is used, abusive language, cruelty to animals, and public drunkenness when com-initted in the corporate limits of the city of Tuskaloosa ;
Revision of laws.
Also,
H. 773. To authorize and empower the board of mayor and aldermen of the city of Tuskaloosa, to issue bonds of said city, not to exceed thirty-three thousand dollars, for the purpose of taking up, and refunding all outstanding bonds of said city, upon which eight per cent. per annum is being paid as interest at the present time;
Revision oflaws.
Also,
House joint resolntion proposing amendments to
H. 774. Section five (5), article eleven (11) of the con-

stitution of the State of Alabama ;
Public roads and highways.
By Mr. Smith of Russell—
H. 775. To repeal an act entitled an act to prevent stock from running al large in Pike county, approved December 9th,1890;
Local legislation.
By Mr. Clayton—
H. 776. To provide for the times of holding the circuit courts in the sixth judicial circuit of this state;
Judiciary.
Also.
H. 777. To define the second judicial circuit of the. State of Alabama and to fix the times and places for holding the courts therein, and to provide a solicitor for said circuit;
Judiciary.
Also,
H. 778. To create two additional judicial circuits in the State of Alabama, one of them to be numbered and called the eleventh judicial circuit, and the other to be numbered and called the twelfth jndicial circuit ; and to fix the times and places of holding courts in each of said circuits, and to provide for a judge and solicitor for each ofsaid judicial cir-cuits;
Judiciary.
Also,
H. 779. To define the eighth judicial circuit, the ninth judicial circuit and the tenth judicial circuit of the State of Alabama, and to fix the times and places for holding courts in the counties thereof;
Judiciary.
By Mr. Longshore—
H. 780. To amend section 4421 ofthe code ;
Corporations.
By Mr. Adams—
H. 781. To establish the rate of interest in the State of Alabama;
Judiciary.
By Mr. Avery—
Memorial from the Hale county association of confederate veterans in reference to an appropriation tor the maimed confederate soldiers and widows, and for the confederate monument ;

Which was read, and on motion, referred to committee on appropriations.

To the Senate and House of Representatives of the State of Alabama :

At the semi-aunual meeting of the Conrederate Veterans Associatiou of Hale county, the undersigned were appointed a committee to memorialize your honorable body, in the interest of the disabled confederate soldiers of the state, and the widows of those who perished in defense of their state and country. Unquestionably these men took up arms, and went to the front, in obedience to the call of their state, and of the general government to which they believed that they owed allegiance. They were true and valiant men. No state or country ever had more loyal citizens, and no soldiers were ever readier to sacrifice personal interests, and life itself for the public welfare. Such men are invaluable, and their lives are indispensable to every form of civil government. Their cheerful and hearty services put forth in the interest of their people, create an obligation that no amount of money could possibly meet. This is the relationship which we sustain to the "disabled soldiers" in our midst, and to the widows of those who fell during the late war, or since its close. If we, in common with the people of the south, had lost all of our resources, our helplessness and poverty might excuse us for inattention to the old maimed veterans in our state, and to the widows of their dead comrades. But this is not the case. It is true that the losses of the south were at first appallingly great. And in addition to all of the other misfortunes of Alabama, political charlatans recklessly ran up the stale debt until it reached the immense sum of $30,000.000. But by industry, energy, enterprise and endurance, the southern people have retrieved their fortunes. They have displayed genius and power seldom equaled in the history of modern civilization. Conspicuous among the southern states, and even the states of the great American Union, stands Alabama. For her age among the sisterhood of states and for the extent of her territory, she is unrivalled for the intelligence and progress of her people, as well as for the wonderful resources which a munificent providence has given her. In her case, in common wilh her illustrious sisters, "the Lost Cause" has become a misnomer. Alabama is richer to day in available wealth than she has ever been.

She is doubtless better able to meet all of the just fiscal obli-gations that rest upon her, than she womd have been if the "Southerin Confederacy" had secured its independence. The spirit of the dead coufederacy, if it could have seen a quarter of a centnry into the future, in the darkest day of its calamity, might have said in the presence of its bitterest foe, "Rejoice not over me, O mine enemy. for when I fall I shall rise again !'' There is not a great principle for which the southern soldier fought, bled and died, that has not in the providence of God, been secured to him or to his pos- terity. The integrity of the states has been preserved, we are back in the Federal Union, with equal rights and privi- leges of the people of any state, and the flag of the greatest republic in the world's hislory floats in peace and triumph over us. No man who is at all acquainted with the growth, wealth and power of Alabama, will question her ability to meet fully every just and honorable financial obligation that rests upon her. She will likely levy a tax this year upon $275,000,000, and since the property of the state is assessed at only two-thirds of its actual value, this fact indicates that the real wealth of Alabama to-day is not less than $425,- 000,000. With such a financial basis as this to stand upon will the people of the great and sovereign State of Alabama, through her representatives in her general assembly, con- tinue as at present, to dole out a few dollars annually to our maimed soldiers, and the widows of our heroic dead ? Pre-ceding legislatures have honored themselves by acknowledg- ing this just claim, in former appropriations. It was wise, perhaps, at first, to move with caution and conservatism in this direction, but the time has evidently come for Alabama to do something worthy of her wealth, the intelligence and christian liberality of her people, and worthy of her proud and commanding place among the sisterhood of states! One mill of additional tax, levied for this purpose, upon the prob-able taxable value of property of the state, $275,000,000, would bring into the treasury $275,000 annually. Estimat-ing, approximately, the number of claimants at 850 men and 3150 women, this sum would secure each per year about $70. What a boon this little sum would be to the poor "wooden-legged" soldier who is trying to plow and hoe in his rented field to support dimself and family ! And what a God-send to the dead soldier's widow and her fatherless children! If the appropriation is sufficiently guarded, so as to prevent

possibility of fraud, the claimants will dirninish annually and the amounts proportioned to each beneficiary may become larger, or the tax be diminished, until the appropriation shall disappear in the death of the claimants. If some such course as this is pursued, Alabama will not only meet her obliga- tions to the wreck of one of the finest armies ever mustered upon the fields of wars, but she will help to educate and train citizen soldiers for the perilous emergencies through which all people and countries must necessarily pass. Every state and nation that would maintain its institutions, must place an exalted estimate upon patriotism and valor. This is especialiy true of all free countries. The safety of a govern- ment is found in the intelligence, virtue and prowess of her citizens. We do not claim anything more than approximate accuracy for the assumed facts upon which this argument is mainly built. But we feel assured that when the whole truth has been fully ascertained, the force of this plea for our "maimed soldiers" and "the widows of our chivalrous dead" will not be weakened. We were instructed also to call to the attention of yonr honorable body the unfinished condition of "the Confederate Soldiers' Monument" located on capitol hill in the city of Montgomery, and to ask that such an appropriation be made as will finish it in a style and manner honorable to the State of Alabama and worthy of our illustrious confederate heroes. We give all honor to our noble and patriotic women who have stinted and saved that they might give all they could to perpetuate the memories of those who fought and died in the defense of them and their homes. But we insist upon it, that Alabama is no longer in such a condition as to allow any more drafts upon the "pin money" of these unselfish and lovely guardians of our homes, firesides and hearts.

A. S. ANDKEWS,
JAS. M. HOBSON,
J. W. LOCKE,
Committee

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

The following bills were reported favorably from the committees, severally read the second time, and placed upon the calendar :

H. 598. To prevent hunting on land without written non- sent of owner or his agent ;

H. 599. To repeal an act entitled “an act to prohibit stock from running at large in a portion of Dallas county,” approved February 13, 1883, so far as the same applies to Dublin beat;
H. 488. To provide for a re-survey of the county line be- tween the counties of Monroe and Conecuh ;
H. 372. To amend the caption and sections one (l) and eight (8) of an act entitled “an act to prevent horses, mules, asses, cows, hogs, sheep and goats from running uncontrolled on crops in beat No. five and beat No. eight in Butler county, and to prescribe a rule of damages and rules of protection in the trials of cases under this act,” approved February 18, 1889 ;
H. 520. To amend an act entitled “an act for the preser- vation of game animals and birds and fish in Macon county,” approved February 11th, 1889 ;
s. 187. To define a lawful wire fence in Wilcox and Sum- ter counties;
s. 223. To authorize the Opelika police board to order an election in the city of Opelika ;
s. 234. To provide for the election of county superintend- ent of education of Autauga county ;
s. 235. To provide for the election of the county board of commissioners of Autauga county ;
s. 12. To repeal an act entitled an act to amend an act to make an annual appropriation for the benefit of the State Agricultural Society, approved February 25, 1889 ;
s. 11. To repeal an act to make an annual appropriation for the benefit of the State Agricultural Society, approved February 22,1887;
H. 416. To incorporate the town of Luverne, in the county of Crenshaw, and State of Alabama ;
H. 568. To amend section 7 of an act entitled an act to incorporate Howard College in Marion, Pery county, ap- proved December 29, 1841 ;
H. 665. To incorporate the Brmingham Trust and Secur- ity Company;
H. 644. To incorporate the town of Leighton, in the counties of Colbert and Lawrence, Alabama;
H. 666. To incorporate the Presbytery of North Ala- bama ;
H. 581. To authorize the intendant and councilmen of the town of Highlands, in Jefferson county, to issue bonds of said town for an amount not exceeding seventy-five thousand

($75,000) dollars, for Ihe purpose of building and construct- ing sewers and making other permanent improvements in said town, and paying off floating debt of said town, (with amendment);
H. 510. To establish a uniform series of standard school books to be used in the free public schools in Marshall county ;
H. 580. To incorporate “The Alabama Telegraph and Telephone Company,” of Birmmghain, Alabama;
H. 597. For the relief of A. B. Byrd, sheriff of Dale county, Alabama, for the removal of prisoners from Greorgia and Florida in the year 1890 ;
H. 596. To legalize the marriage of William A. Bottoms and Mary G. Bottoms, the widow of John Bottoms, deceased ;
H. 594. To require the secretary of state to furnish a tract book of all the lands therein to the county of Dale;
H. 686. To prohibit the sale, giving away, or otherwise disposing of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, within one-half mile of the City Mission church and the Corinthian Bap- tist church in Mobile count.y. and other places named there- in, and known as the “Omnibus Liquor Bill,” approved De-cember 10, 1890;
H. 678. To present the selling, giving away, or otherwise disposing of any spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, or intox-icating bitters of any description, within three miles of Mossy Grove church and school house, in Pike county;
H. 660. To prohibit the sale, giving away, or otherwise disposing of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, within three miles of Adonirom churcli, in beat 5, in Henry county, Ala- bama;
H. 647. To prohibit the rnanufacture, sale, giving away, or otherwise disposing of, as a beverage, spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, intoxicating bitters, any fruits preserved in alcohol, or any other intoxicating drinks at or within two miles of Jones' Chapel Methodist Episcopal church in Cull- man county, Alabama;
H. 535. To prevent the obstructicn of any of the streams in Dale and Barbour counties by the erection of dams or hedges across said streams where fish are caught by trap- ping or otherwise, (with amendment);
H. 573. To regulate the trials of misdemeanors in Con- ecuh county,
H. 661. To legalize the purchase of a ferry across the

Chattahoochee river by the town of Columbia, Henry county, Alabama, and to authorize said town to run or operate the same;
H. 651. To provide for the protection and preservation of game, animals and birds in Fayette county;
H. 534. For the relief of Susie Rudder, a teacher of the public school in township 2, range 8. in Jackson county ;
H. 672. To incorporate the Alabama Military Institute at Tuskegee, Macon county, Alabama ;
H. 562. To establish in this state a school for the educa- tion of the deaf, mute and blind children of the colored race, (with amendment) ;
On motion
H. 394. To amend section 908 of the code of Alb[a]ma,
Was taken from adverse report and read a second time.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE.

To the Senate and House of Representatives:
The joint committee appointed to take into consideration the propriety of increasing the number of Judicial circuits and chancery divisions in this state, and of rearranging the same, and to prepare bills providing for an increase of the number of judicial circuits and chancery divisions if it should be deemed advisable, make the following report:
During the recess, the committee addressed a circular let- ter to each circuit judge, circuit solicitor, circuit clerk, chan-cellor, and register in chancery in this state, calling for in-formation in detail pertaining to the inquiry embodied in the resolution, and which the committee was required to answer.
1. The information derived by the committee from sources above named and pertaining to the chancery courts and from other sources, is very meagre, and does not show a suf-ficient demand for the creation of a new chancery division; therefore, the formation of a new chancery division is not deemed advisable.
2. The information derived by the committee from avail-ables sources, and which information is very full and in de-tail, shows a demand upon the circuit judges of the state of one hundred and two more weeks of court time. The de-mand for nearly all of this additional time comes from a part of the counties in the second and third circuits and

from the counties of the 8th and 9th circuits, and makes the creation of two additional judicial circuits not only advisable, but necessary for the administration of justice. In many of these counties the dockets are already so crowded that, un- der the present time allowed, it would take perhaps two years to clear them of the cases already in court. The com-mittee ascertained, upon full and careful investigation, that the present number of judges cannot meet the requirement for additional time for the courts. Under the time, as fixed in the code of 1886, the average timea circuit judge was re-quired to sit on the bench was thirly-two and a fraction weeks in the year. Under tne statutes passed since then, the average time ofthe circuit judge has been much in- creased. On account of the growth of the population of the state, the rapid development of our natural resources has greatly increased litigation, so that the present number of circuit judges cannot dispose of the business of the courts promptly to the end that justice may be done without delay. And the committee has heard no complaint against the judges themselves, but they have been uniformly reported to be learned, efficient and industrious. Therefore, your committee herewith reports a bill for the formation of two additioual circuits.

3. To meet the demand for the additional time required for the chancery court of Tuskaloosa county, the committee reports that a bill can be introduced giving the said court three additional days of time.

4. Your committee herewith reports a bill changing the time of holding the circuit court of Tuskaloosa county, which will meet the demand for additional time in that county.

5. Your committee reports a bill to define the second ju- dicial circuit, a bill to define the third judical circuit, and a bill to define the eighth, ninth and tenth judicial circuits.

L. D. GODFREY,
N. STALLWORTH,
M. L. STANSEL,
W. W. HARALSON,
OSCAR HUNDLEY,
MAC. A. SMITH,
R. A. LEE,
H. D. CLAYTON,
H. D. LANE,
J. H. HARRIS,

W. W. QUARLES,
W. BREWER,
M. B. KELLY,
C. A. B. EDWARDS.

The report was received, and the committee was dis- charged.

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

H. 657. To establish a district in Limestone county in which it shall be unlawful for hogs, sheep or goats to run at large,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 60, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Finch, Foster, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Lewis, Longshore, Moore of Baldwin, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Cren-shaw, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

The bill was ordered to the senate without engrossment.

H. 460. To prohibit the sale of vinous, malt or spirituous liquors, or other intoxicating drinks within six miles of the Mount Moriah Freewill Baptist church, Pickens county, Ala-bama,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 54, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Brown, Buck, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews. Cox, David-son, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Finch, Har- rell, Harris, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Longshore, Moore of Baldwin, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ram- say, Roussoau, Sayre, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsendof Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 433. To provide for a fund tor the payment of wit-

nesses for the state in the circuit and county courts of Wilcox county, and to prescribe their compensation,
Was read the third time at length and passsd—yeas 57, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Amason of Talla- poosa, Appleton, Armistead, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Coleman, Cooper, Corne- lius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Ed- wards, Finch, Foster, Gass, Henry, Howle, Jackson, John- son, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Long, Longshore, Moore of Baldwin, Parks, Peacock, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Cren-shaw, Webb, Wood, Wilson, Young.
H. 217. To authorize the laying off the county of Pike into commissioners districts, and providing for the election of commissioners by the qualified voters of the county,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 54, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Ayres, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Burford, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Finch, For- man, Harrell, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Long, Longshore, Moore of Baldwin, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rousseau, Scott, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.
H. 605. To reimburse the sheriff of Hale county for the extradition of Tom Walker,
Was taken up.
The amendment offered by the committee was adopted.
The bill was read the third time at length and passed— yeas 64, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Amason of Sumter,Am-ason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bar- nett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Burford, Clayton, Cole-man, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox,Davidson, Davis of La- mar, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Forman, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Judge, Kelly,

Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leslie, Long, Longshore, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay,Rather,Rousseau, Simmons, Smaw, Sparkman,Steele Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Whatley, Wilson, Young.

H. 543. To amend section (10) ten of an act entitled an act to provide a new charter for the city of Tuscumbia, Ala- bama, approved February 28, 1887,

Was read the third tirne at length and passed—yeas 67, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayers, Bain, Barnett, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Burford, Clanton, Coleman, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, David- son,Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Edwards,Gass,Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Cone- cuh, Leigh, Leslie, Long, Longshore, Northington, Parks, Peacack, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Sim- mons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Sullivan,Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Cren-shaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 173. To amend sections 1, 7, 15, 16, 19, 21, 23 and 24 of an act entitled an act to establish a criminal court for the county of Pike, with criminal jurisdiction in misdemeanor cases, and to repeal certain sections therein,

Was taken up.

The amendment offered by the committee was adopted.

Mr. Smith of Russell offered the amendment—

“That the excess of the solicitor’s salary shall be paid into the state treasury; "

Adopted.

The hour of 12 m. having arrived, the house proceeded to consider the

SPECIAL ORDER.

H. 259. To amend section 141 of the code.

A substitute offered by the committee accompanied the bill.

Mr. Webb offered a substitute by way of amendment to the substitute with the following title :
"To repeal section 141 of the code."
Mr. Northington moved to table Mr. Webb's substitute.
Carried.
Yeas 50, nays 31.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Buck, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Forman, Gordon, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Hill, Hufham, Jackson, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Ramsay, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Steele, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, White, Wood.
Nays—Messrs. Appleton, Bevis, Brewer, Brown, Burford, Clanton, Cornelius, Cox, Finch, Foster Gass, Harrell, Howle, Johnson, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Leigh, Parker, Purifoy, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Sparkman, Sullivan, Thrasher, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Whatley, Wilson, Young.
Mr. Johnson moved to amend the committee's substitute by inserting 15 cents in lieu of 25 cents.
Mr. Purifoy moved to table Mr. Johson's amendment.
Carried.
Mr. Purifoy moved to table the substitute.
Lost.
Mr. Johnson moved to substitute 10 cents for 25 cents in the substitute.
Mr. Northington moved to table Mr. Johnson's motion.
Carried.
Yeas 44, nays 37.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Buck, Clanton, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Foster, Gordon, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Hufham, Jackson, Kelly, Lane, Langley, Leeof Conecuh, Leslie, Lewis, Longshore, Parks, Peacock, Ramsay, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Steele, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, White.
Nays—Messrs. Appleton, Barnett, Bass, Brewer, Brown, Burford, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox,

Davis of Winston, Forman, Gass, Harrell, Hill, Howle, John- son, Kemp, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Long, Northington, Parker, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Sayre, Sparkman, Sulli- van, Townsend of Pike, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

The substitute offered by the committee was adopted. The bill was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 73, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Almon, Am- ason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burlbrd, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Gass, Gordon, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, North-ington, Parker, Parks, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Rus- sell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker :

The senate has originated and passed and ordered forth- with to the house without engrossment the bill,

s. 245. To amend an act to incorporate the city of Fort Payne, Dekalb countv, Alabama, approved February 28th, 1889;

And has originated and passed the bills,

s. 61. To enlarge and amend the rules of evidence;

s. J. R. 3. Joint resolution, proposing amendment to sec- tion 5, article V, of the constitution of the State of Ala- bama;

s. 243. To authorize the court of county commissioners of DeKalb county to issue bonds of said county to an amount not exceeding thirty thousand dollars, and to dis- pose of the same for the purpose of securing means for build- ing a court house and providing the same with suitable fur- niture, and for building an addition to the county jail of said county;

And has amended as therein shown, and as amended has passed the bill,

H. 146. To establish a charter for the town of Woodlawn, in Jefferson county, Alabama ;
And has concurred in the amendment of the house to the senate joint resolution in regard to the Force Bill.
W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE.
The senate bills just received, the titles of which are set out in the foregoing senate message, were severally read once and referred to committees, as follows:
s. 245 to corporations ;
s. 61 and s. J. R. 3 to judiciary ;
s. 243 to local legislation.
On motion of Mr. Brown, the senate ameudment to
H. 146. To establish a charter for the town of Woodlawn, in Jefferson county, Alabama,
Was amended by striking out “thirty” in section 23 and inserting in lieu “twenty ;”
On motion the senate amendment tu said bill was con- curred in ;
Yeas 53, nays 0.
Yeaq—Messrs. Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Taliapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Crews, Davidson, Edwards, Foster, Gass, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, John- son, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Parks, Quarles, Rousseau, Scott, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.
MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.
Mr Speaker ;
The president of the senate having signed the following bills, your signature thereto is requested :
s. J. R. Joint resolution to re-district the congressional districts of the state :

S. J. R. Joint resolution authorizing the joint committee on the judicial circuits and chancery divisions to sit during the recess;
s. 101. To repeal, in part, an act in relation to trials for misdemeanors in Tuskaloosa and other counties therein named, approved March 19th, 1875 ;
s. 38. To require all butchers and dealers in live stock, in Mobile county, to keep a register of all stock purchased or received by them.
WM. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SIGNING OF BILLS

The speaker of the house, in the presence of the hoUse, immediately after their titles had been publicly read by the clerk, signed the joint resolutions and bills, the titles of which are set out in the above senate message.
On motion the house adjourned till 9 a. m. to-inorrow.

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THIRTIETH DAY.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
SATURDAY, January 23, 1891.
The house met pursuant to adjournment.
Prayer by Rev. Mr. Cumming, of the city.
A quorum was present.
The journal of yesterday was read and approved,

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Was granted to Mr. Loveless indefinitely, to Mr. Forman for two days, and to Messrs. Steele, Wood, Nolen, Edwards, Alexander and Bevis for one day,
UNFINISHED BUSINESS.
H. 173. To amend sections 1, 7, 15, 16, 19, 21, 23 and 24 of an act entitled an act to establish a criminal court for the

county of Pike, with criminal jurisdiction in misdemeanor cases, and to repeal certain sections therein,
Was taken up, and read the third time at length and passed. Yeas 54, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Brewer, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Finch, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Hufham, Johnson, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh,Leigh,Lewis, Longshore, Moore of Baldwin, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rous- seau, Sayre, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.
RESOLUTIONS

Were offered as follows:
By Mr. Clayton—
Resolved, 1st, That beginning with Wednesday next the morning session shall be devoted to the consideration of genral legislation only,
2d. Thal beginning with Wednesday next this house shall hold an afternoon session each day from the hour of three to the hour of six,during which local legislation only shall be considered.
Which was referred to the committee on rules.
By Mr. Foster—
Resolved, That the clerk is hereby instructed to have printed on one calendar all bills of a general nature, and on another and separate calendar all bills of a local nature.
By Mr. Brown—
Resolved by the house, the senate concurring, That the gov-ernor be requested to return to the house, house bill number 109.
And the rules were suspended and the resolution was adopted.
By Mr. Leigh—
Be it resoTved by the General Assembly of Alabama, That our thanks be, and they are hereby tendered to the General Assembly of Illinois for its refusal to table or refer the joint resolution on yesterday, expressing condemnation of the so- called “Force Bill” now pending in our national congress.

Resolved further, That it is the pride of all true Americans to point to the city of Chicago as one of the great marvels of American growth, which would be largely increased by the success of the Columbian Exposition,yet while acknowl-edging all this, the General Assemhly of Alabama could en- tertain no proposition to take part in said Exposition as long as the Force Bill is being pressed in the United States.

Resolwd further, That our thanks are hereby tendered to all our meinbers in congress for their opposition to a meas- ure which we regard as detrimental to American liberty, and we ask the conservative and business men of the north, to use their influence to secure the defeat of the so-called, The Force or Election Bill, which is partisan in its nature, unpre-cedented in American politics, and inexcusable for want and lack of necessity.

Resolved further, That His Excellency, The Governor of the State of Alabama, is hereby requested to forward forth- with copies of this resolution to both the Speaker and Presi- dent of the two housesof the General Assembly of Illinois, and a copy to be sent to each of our distinguished federal senators.

Mr. Scott moved to refer the resolution to a committee of five.

Carried.

And the speaker appointed on said committee :

Messrs. Leigh, Scott, Quarles, Smith of Russell, and Lane.

The committee retired and presently returned and recom-mended the adoption of said resolution.

And the rule were suspended and the resolution was unan-imously adopted.

BILLS ON FIRST READING.

On a call of counties the following bills were introduced, severally read one time, and referred to appropriate commit-tees, as follows:

By Mr. Adams—

H. 782. To prohibit all persons not citizens of the United States from taking or holding land situated in the State of Alabama;

Judiciary.

By Mr. Davidson, (by request)—

H. 783. To incorporate The Brotherhood of Dependent Neighbors;

Corporations.
By Mr. Lee of Conecuh—
H. 784. To declare null and void, certain sales of lands made by the tax collector of Conecuh county in the year 1889 for taxes for 1888 ;
Ways and means.
By Mr. Clayton—
H. 785. To amend an act approved December 8, 1888, enti-tled an act to amend an act entitled an act to amend section 499 of the code of Alabama, approved February 18, 1887;
Judiciary.
By Mr. Johnson, (by request)--
H. 786. To amend section 4 of an act to amend and ratify the charter of the Selma and Cahaba Valley Railway Com- pany, approved February 21st, 1887;
Corporations.
By Mr. Townsend of Limestone.
H. 787. To prevent sheriffs and other officers from charg- ing or receiving illegal fees or compensation;
Fees and salaries;
Also,
H. 788. To create a lien on domeetic animals for their feed and pasturage in the State of Alabama;
Revision of laws;
Also,
H. 789. To incorporate the Commercial Savings Bank of Birmingham, Alabama;
Corporations.
By Mr. Brewer, (by request)
H. 790. To authorize and direct the auditor to correct an error in the assessment for taxation for the year 1890, of the rolling stock of the Nashville, Florence and Sheffield Railroad Company;
Ways and means.
By Mr. Simmons (by request)—
H. 791. To define the duties and regulate the fees of the deputy solicitor of Macon county in preliminary trials for felonies before justices of the peace ,
Judiciary.
Also, (by request)—
H. 792. To regulate the trial of misdemeanors in the county of Macon ;
Judiciary.

By Mr. Sayre—
H. 793. To make the 19th day of January of every year a legal holiday;
Judiciary;
Also,
H. 794. To amend section two and seven of an act entitled an act to constitute the city of Montgomery a separate school district;
Revision of laws ;
Also, (by request, wilh petition)—
H. 795. To change the boundary line between the coun- ties of Montgomery and Crenshaw in the State of Alabama;
Counties and county boundaries.
By Mr. Henry—
H. 796. To amend the charter of Avondale;
Corporations.
By Mr. Guthrie (with petition)—
H. 797. To establish a separate school district to be known as the County Line School District in Cullman county, Ala- bama, and to provide for the election of a board of trustees for said school district with certain duties and powers;
Education.
By Mr. Townsend of Pike—
H. 798. To require judges of probate to serve subpoenas on the sheriffs wherein the sheriff is to be summoned as a witness ;
Revision of laws.
By Mr. Longshore—
H. 799. To provide for the paymentof magistrates for tak- ing evidence in writing on preliminary examinations.
Judiciary.
By Mr. Northington (with petition)—
H. 800. To prohibit the sale, giving away or otherwise disposing of vinous, spirituous or malt liquors, intoxicating bitters or cordials, within five miles of Mineral Springs Bap- tist church or within five miles of Rocky Mount Methodist church in beat number one in Chilton county, Alabama ;
Temperance.
By Mr. Clanton—
H. 801. To furnish a tract book for the county of Jackson;
Local legislation.
By Mr. Sayre—
H. 802. To incorporate the Montgomery Manufacturers Aid and Improvement Conipany ;

Revision of laws.
By Mr. Clanton—
H. 803. To ainend section 1 of an act entitled an act to amend seclions 463 and 529 of the code, approved February 28, 1889;
Ways and means.
By Mr. Rather—
H. 804. To incorporate Sheffield Savings and Trust Com- pany ;
Corporations.
By Mr. Avery—
H. 805. To amend section 5 of an act to organize and regulate a system of public instruction for the State of Alabama, approved February 7, 1879, and amendments thereto, approved February 28, 1887, and amendments thereto, approved February 26, 1889 ;
Education.
By Mr. Barnett—
H. 806. To make valid trials and verdicts of juries in criminal cases where the defendant flees and escapes after the jury retires to consider their verdict;
Judiciarv.
By Mr. Clayton—
H. 807. To define the third judicial circuit of the State of Alabama, and to fix the times and places of holding the courts therein;
Judiciary.
By Mr. Quarles—
H. 808. To pay the clerk of the supreme court of Ala bama a salary, and to require the supreme court clerk's fees to be paid into the state treasury;
Judiciary.
BILLS ON SECOND READING.
The following bills were reported favorably from the com-mittees, read the second time severally, and placed upon the calendar:
H. 652. To provide for the payment of the members and expenses of the joint committee which held its sitting during the second recess to inquire into the necessity for in- creasing the judicial circuits and chancery divisions of this state;
H. 316. To declare Clark Frizzle and W. C. Frizzle,

liners between the counties of Bullock and Montgomery, citizens of Montgomery county, (with amendment);
H. 638. To amend section 2223 of the code ;
H. 619. To refund to George G. White and Charlton Alexander $107.55, erroneously paid by them into the state treasury for purchase of certain lands previously sold by the state;
H. 583. To amend section 2591 of the code of Alabama; H. 679. To amend section 1924 of the code ;
H. 360. To amend section 1583 (2008) of the code of Alabama;
H. 355. To provide for the payment of witness fees in cases of indictment before the grandjury, where the defendant is not arrested within twelve months after date of war- warrant issned for his arrest;
s. 177. To amend section 3301 (3709) of the code of Alabama;
s. 197. To provide for the indexing the records of deeds to and mortgages of, real property in Coosa county, (amend-ment);
H. 623. To amend an act entitled an act to provide for the registration and lien of judgments and decrees for the payment of money, approved February 28, 1887 ;
H. 642. To prescribe the time when taxes shall become delinquent in the county of Chambers;
H. 684. To amend section 4887 (4927) (4459) of the code, so far as the same relates to Sumter cuunty;
H. 699. To provide for the election of a county treasurer of Macon county by the qualified voters thereof at the gene- ral election for state and county officers in August, 1892 ;
H. 698. To provide tor the election of a board of four com-missioners to be known as the commissioners court of Macon county at the general election in August, 1892 ;
s. 209. To provide for senatorial representation in the General Assembly ofAlabama;
s. 208. To fix the number of representatives in the house of representatives of this state and to apportion them among the several counties of this state ;
s. 92. To amend section 4571 (4546) of the code ;
H. 612. To amend section 4641 of the code ;
H. 613. To amend section 4591 of the code ;
s. 168. To amend section 4648 of the code ;
H. 707. To incorporate the town of Springville with the

boundaries hereinafter designated, and to establish a new ch rter for said town ;
H. 333. To incorporate the “Cleburne Institute,” Edi wafdsville, Oleburne county, Alabama ;
H. 669. To incorporate the Auburn Baptist church of Au- burn, Lee County, Alabama;
H. 318. To be entitled an act to amend and revise the charter of the town of Oxanna ;
H. 709. To grant certain rights of way to the Montgomery and Sylacauga Railroad Company;
H. 710. To amend sections 1, 3 and 9 of an act entitled an act to incorporate the Montgomery and Sylacauga Railroad Company, approved February 11,1889;
H. 717. To repeal an act enlitled an act to regulate sher- iffs and coroners sales in the county of Shelby;
H. 668. To incorporate the town of Village Springs, in Jefferson and Blount counties ;
H. 546. To change the connty line between the counties of Tallapoosa and Macon ;
H. 557. To repeal an act to amend section 1632 of the code of Alabama. approved February 12, 1885, so far as the same relates to Dale countv ;
H. 692. For the relief of Burwell Y. Burus, of Choctaw county, Alabama;
H. 701. To cure irregularities in the issuance of claims against the fine and forfeiture fund of Marshall county and to further regulate said fund ;
H. 700. To create and establish a new beat in Lee county, Alabama, to be known and designated as beat number 14 in said county having as a precinct or voting place, Smith Station.
H. 706. To locate perrnanently the seat of government of the county of Morgan ;
H. 634. To amend section one of an act to establish par- tial stock law districts in Talladega county, so as to include precincts seven, eight, eleven, and all that part of two lying east of the Jackson Trace road in said county;
s. 243. To authorize the court of connty commissioners of DeKalb county to issue bonds of said county to an amount not exceeding thirty thousand dollars, and to dispose of the same for the purpose of securing means for building a court house, and providing the same with suitable furniture and for building an addition to the county jail of said county ;
s. 109. To amend section 4533 (5002) of the code.

BILLS ON THIRD READING.
H. 51. To provide for theexaminationof bodies supposed to have been poisoned, and to meet expenses of the same,
Was taken up.
Mr. Jackson offered a substitute, which was adopted.
The bill was read the third time at length and passed— yeas 56, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Amason of Sum- ter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Gass, Gordon, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hill, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Lang- ley, Lee of Conecuh, Lewis, Longshore, Moore of Baldwin, Northington, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Cren- shaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Whatley, White, Wil- son, Young.
H. 332. To incorporate the town of Seale, in the county of Russell,
Was taken up.
Mr. Smith of Russell offered an amendment, which was adopted.
The bill was read the third time at length and passed— yeas 58, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Buck, Burford, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Gordon, Harris, Henry, Hill, Hufham, Johnson, Jones, Langley, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Moore of Baldwin, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Lauderdale, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.
H. 219. To authorize the commissioners court of Russell county to lay off said county into four commissioners districts, and to provide the manner of electing the county commissioners,
Was taken up.

Mr. Longshore moved to amend the bill by including the county of Shelby in thebody andtitle of the bill;
Carried.
The bill was read the third tiine at length and passed— yeas 58, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armstead, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Cooper, Crews, Cox, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Harrell, Harris, Hill, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Longshore, Moore of Baldwin, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacnck, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rous- seau, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.
H. 402. To make repairs on the capitol building, for fur- niture in the public rooms, and for work on the capitol grounds,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 53, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Am- ason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Coleman, Cooper, Cor- nelius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Gass, Gordon, Harrell, Hill, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Longshore, Moore of Baldwin, Northington, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Srnfth of Russell, Sparkman,Town- send of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.
H. 302. To repeal an act entitled an act to prohibit the sale, giving away, or otherwise disposing of spirituous, vin- ous or malt liqours, or intoxicating bitters, at or within cer- tain localities in this state, approved February 28, 1881, so far as the same relates to the corporate limits of the town of Muscadine, in Cleburne county, on the Georgia Paciflc rail- road,
Was called up and the pending substitute was adopted ; and the bill
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 59, nays 10.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Am-

ason of Tallapoosa, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Foster, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Jones, Kelly, Langley, Lee of Conecuh, Leslie, Lewis, Moore of Baldwin, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Quarles, Ram- say, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sulli- van, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Lauder- dale, Webb, Whatley, Wilson, Young.

Nays—Messrs. Adams, Appleton, Cornelius, Crews, Harris, Kemp, Lane, Lee of Barbour, Northington, Townsend of Pike.

H. 508. To amend sections 1, 5, 8, and 13 of an act to regulate the practice and proceedings in civil cases in the circuit court of Jefierson county, in this state, and in su- preme court on appeal from judgments rendered in said cases, approved February 28, 1889,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 60, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Winston, Finch, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Hill, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Lane, Lang- ley, Lee ofBarbour, Leigh, Long, Longshore, Moore of Bald- win, Parker, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Screws, Simmons, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Whatley, Wilson, Young.

H. 82. To preserve order at the Corn House Camp Ground in Randolph county, Alabama,

Was taken up.

Mr. Cox offered the following amendment,

Add to the body and title of the bill—

“Bayne's Chapel Camp Ground, Lamar county, Alabama,”

Which was adopted.

The bill was read the tliird time at length and passed— yeas 57, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Am- ason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis

of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Finch, Gass, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Longshore, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Ramsay, Rather, Simmons, Srnaw, Sparkman, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Wilson, Young.

H. 466. To regulate and give security to farm and plantation labor contracts in Sumter county,

Was taken up.

Mr. Amason of Suinter, offered an arnendment, which was adopted.

On motion, the bill was amended by including in the title and body of the bill the counties of Macon, Elmore, Calhoun, Limestone, Conecuh, Cherokee, Butler, Montgomery, Cleburne and Monroe.

Mr. Amason of Sumter, moved to postpone the further consideration of the bill and to make it a special order for 12 o'clock m. January 28th ;

Carried.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speatcer:

The senate has passed the bill,

H. 418. To amend an act passed by the general assembly ofAlabama and approved Febrnary 28th, 1889, entitled an act for the preservation of game animals and birds, in the county of Greene;

And has concurred in the house amendment to the senate amendment to the bill,

H. 146. To establish a charter for the town of Woodlawn in Jefferson county, Alabama;

And has originated and passed,

s. 242. To amend section twenty-seven of an act entitled "an act to establish a new charter for the city of Huntsville," approved December 12th, 1888 ;

s. 267. To authorize the mayor and city council of Jack-sonville to issue bonds of said city for an amount not exceeding fifty thousand dollars for the purpose of maldng and im-proving streets, the public square and grounds about the public spring and in paying whatever outstanding floating

(not bonded) indebtedness said city may have at the pass- age of this act.
W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.
SENATE MESSAGE.
The senate bills just received, whose titles are set forth in the above and foregoing message, were severally read once and referred to the comniittee as follows:
s. 242 and 267, to local legislation.
MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.
By Mr. Jackson, private secretary.
CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICE,
January 24th, 1891.
Gentlemen, of the General Assembly:
In a large and rapidly growing state, the needs of govern- ment and proper care for the public interest will necessarily press from time to time for increased expenditure of public money.
A number of meritorious bills are now pending before you, calling for special appropriations, and a bill is also under consideration providing for a further reduction of taxation.
The proper disposition of these measures compels candid and thuughtful enquiry whether the condition of the treasury is sufficient for the needs of the government; and whether, under present conditions, there is any element of real regard for the best interests of the people, in the proposition to still further reduce the rate of taxation.
At the commencement of the present session—excluding special funds not available for general purposes—there was a balance in the state treasury of $200,944.82. The State's income from property taxes for the fiscal year ending September 30th, 1891, is now a matter of certainty, and after deducting the expense of collection will amount to $935,918. The total income from other sources it is certain will not amount to more than $600,000, so that the legislature will have subject to appropriations for the fiscal year the sum of $1,736,862.

The ordinary disbursemerts for the corresponding period, not including any special appropriations whatsoever, will amount to $1,697,320, and would leave a balance on hand September 30th, 1891, of $38,542, prpvided no apecial appropriations are made.

The auditor estimates the total income for the fiscal year ending September 30th, 1892, as $1,624,500, which with the balance of $39,542, wonld make available for general appro-priations during that fiscal year $l,664,042.

He estimates disbursements for the same period $1,627, 088—not including any special appropriations whatsoever—which would leave $36,954 in the treasury after every dol- lar of the income estimated by him has been received.

The only estimated increase of importance for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1892. is $100,000, and this is from an increase in value of property. Except as to some railroad enterprises not yet finished, and which will be subject to taxation in 1892, the estimate of iucrease from this source is purely conjectural. The estimated increase of $100,000 on the value of the property is arrived at by taking ten per cent. increase on the preceding year's estimate, and this calculation is borne out by the experience of the past few years, but there are contingencies which are likely to produce different results. The great loss of confidence and feeling of uncertainty which would result from the passage of the "Force Bill"—which now seems highly probable— would go a great way towards decreasing instead of increas- ing values. Any serious disaster to our staple crops the coming year, or marked depression in the iron trade, would also have a depressing effect on the values assessable in 1892. The presidential election which occurs in that year always interferes more or less with business and exercises a down- ward rather than an upward tendency in values.

For all these reasons it would seem that the calculation of increase of $100,000 in general taxes is probably not well founded. If the increase is only $50,000 it will leave a small deficit in the treasury on the 30th September, 1892, although no special appropriations whatever are made.

It is also proper to state that the extension of prohibition laws over territory where licenses were formerly issued may decrease the amount from that source to some extent.

It is proper also to state that there may be confidenlly expected an increase of at least ten thousand dollars from

the convict system if the measures which failed from errors in enrollment are re-elected, as I doubt not that they will be.

For this condition of the treasury you are no wise respon- sible. It has resulted from the rapid reduction of taxation to such a low rate, that the State now has practically no more revenue for carrying on the Government than it had in 1876; and this in the face of the fact that its increase in population, since then, has been over 300,000 and the increase in values has been $123,133,873.

It is the inevitable result of cutting down taxes beyond the limits demanded by an enlightened an economical administration of the people's governraent. It hardly admits of question that such governmental policy is not the wisest, best, or to the truest interest of the people.

Since 1876, in addition to the large increase in population, business and industries have been greatly diversified, and the subjects and problems with which Government has to deal have steadily grown in number. Under the restricted policy in the past, many of the real wants of government have been practically ignored, until the pressure for help can no longer be denied. The needs of the insane and for the deaf, dumb and blind have increased and continued to demand recognition and aid. The maimed and indigent Confederate soldiers can no longer be left to inake their way as best they can. The public schools urgently demand more money. The time allotted for the administration of justice in several circuits, practically makes the courts there a mockery. Our highest court is overburdened with work, and an addition to its membership is urgently demanded by every consideration of the public good. The state house itself is badly in need of repairs which cannot be postponed.

These are some of the important, matters—in addition to the ordinary and usual appropriations for schools, the pay- ment of interest on the public debt and the expense of civil government—which the state must provide for now, unless it is willing to inflict upon its people the evils of a practical abdication of some of the highest functions of good govern- ment.

This condition of things should be an ample and emphatic answer to the disposition manifested in some quarters to delude the people by talk of further reduction of the tax rate at this time. Such a reduction, if made, would result in

great harm to the state and every interest with which gov- ernment has to deal. Our financial situation, therefore, calls for calm and thoughtful deliberation. It does not demand niggardly economy, or denial of the meritorious wants which press upon the legislature.

It is believed that an increase of the judicial circuits and an addition to the membership of the supreme court will result in the unclogging of the wheels of justice in criminal as well as civil matters, and will in the matter of feeding prisoners alone, save nearly as much as the cost of provid- ing for the circuils.

The amount recommended to be expended in improve- ments aud additions to the penitentiary, as already stated, will probably be met by the increased income from the con- vict systeni. The state's receipts for this purpose might be added to by the sale of the state farm, if the legislature will authorize it. It is subject to overflow, is sickly, has no im-provements upon it, and no timber which is worth the cost of cutting and hauling to market. It has been rented for a number of years at $500 per annum, and there is reason to believe that it could be sold for something more than six thousand dollars. I recommend that the legislature fix a minimum bid, and authorize the property to be sold and conveyed, and the proceeds paid into the treasury to aid in defraying the expenses necessary for the additions which may be authorized to the penitentiary.

In the auditofs estimate of disbursements for this fiscal year and that ending September 30th, 1892, is included $5,000 per annum for repairing and refurnishing the capitol. This amout is absolutely necessary for the safety and pre-servation of the building, and the appropriation is not an additional appropriation within the meaning of the term as here used. It would save expense to the state in the long run if the bnilding were heated by steam and ligted by electricity. At present its legislative lialls are shockingly ventilated, exposed to cold draughts, and unmodern in every respect. There has been scarcely a year in which the death of some member of the general assembly could not be traced to exposure in its badly ventilated halls and the damp and cold draughts of air which sweep the approaches to them. No man whose opinion is worth respecting, could object to a reasonable appropriation by the people's repre-sentatives to cure these evils.

The legislature has already made proper provision for the accommodation of the insane out of this year's revenues, and may still make out of next year's revenues a similar appropriation for the deaf, dumb and blind.
During the two last fiscal years, the legislature appropri- ated twenty-five thousand dollars per anuum for the relief of the maimed and indigent confederate soldiers and widows ; or more accurately speaking $50,000 at the lirst fiscal year of the bi-ennial session. The auditor's estimate of expendi- tures for this and the next fiscal year do not include any ex-penditures under this head. Humanity, honor and proper self respect, all demand that this state should make some appropriation for this large and deserving class of our fellow-citizens. There should be no hesitation in imposing a special tax to meet it.
THOS. G. JONES,
Governor.
On motion 200 copies of the above message were ordered printed, and it was referred to the committee on ways and means.

SPECIAL ORDERS.
On motion of Mr. Foster, s. 208 was made a continuing special order after the reading of the journal for January 27th;
On motion of Mr. Foster, s. 209 was made a continuing special order for January 27th at 12 m ;
On motion of Mr. Smith of Russell, H. 652 was made a special order for January 26th at 12 m.
On motion the house adjourned till 9 o'clock Monday morning.

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THIRTY-FIRST DAY.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
MONDAY, Jan. 26, 1891.

The house met pursuaht to adjournment.
Prayer by Rev. Mr. Thompson of the city.
A quorum was present.
The journal of yesterday was read and approved.

LEAVE OF ABSCENSE.

Was granted to Messrs. Powell, Jackson, Clayton, Leigh, Al-exander, Brewer, and Smith of Dallas, for one day.

CONSIDERATION OF RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Foster’s resolution with reference to printing the calen- dar was adopted.

Mr. Lewis' resolution with reference to eontinuing call of counties was referred to the committee on rules.

The resolution of Mr. Lee of Conecuh, with reference to temperance committee was adopted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Speaker:

The committee on enrolled bills report the following bills correctly enrolled.

H. 87. To amend section 2 and paragraphs 5, 7,9,10 and 13 and section 4 and sections 9 and 10 of an act entitled “an act to provide for a charter for the city of Jasper, in Walker county, Alabama.” approved February 6th, 1889;

H. 146. To establish a charter for the town of Woodlawn, in Jefferson county, Alabama;

H. 418. To amend an act passed by the general assembly of Alabama and approved February 28th, 1889, entitled an act for the preservation of game animals and birds in the county of Greene.

C. C. RATHER,

Chairman.

SIGNING OF BILLS.

The speaker of the house, in the presence of the house, im-mediately after their titles had been publicly read by the clerk, signed the bills, the titles of which are set out in the foregoing report of the committee on enrolled bills.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker:

The president of the senate having signed the following bills, your signature thereto is requested.

s. J. R. Joint resolutions in regard to the bill now pending in the congress of the United States, commonly known as the "force bill;"
s. 50. To provide a system of water works for the city of Montgomery.
W. L. CLAY,
Sect'y.
SIGNING OF BILLS.
The speaker of the house, in the presence of the house, im-inediately after their titles had been publicly read by the clerk, signed the senate bill and joint resolution, the titles of which are set out in the foregoing senate message.
BILLS ON FIRST READING.
Bills were introduced, severally read the first time, and re-ferred to appropriate committees as follows :
By Mr. Davidson, by request—
H. 809. To amend an act entitled an act to constitute the town of Warrior a separate school district;
Education.
By Mr. Cooper—
H. 810. To amend section two of an act to incorporate the Anniston Loan and Trust Company, of Anniston, Alabama, approved February 28th, 1889;
Corporations.
Also,
H. 811. To extend the jurisdiction of the notary public, and ex-officio justice of the peace, in ward number four, of the city of Anniston, so as to cover the corporate limits of the city of Anniston;
Revision of Laws.
By Mr. Harris—
H. 812. To relieve Augustus Presley Adams, of Chambers county, of the disabilities of non-age;
Judieiary.
Also,
H. 813. To provide for levy, assessment, and collection of taxes in the county of Chambers, for the years 1891, and 1892 ;
Special committee five, Messrs. Smith of Russell, Whatley, Nolen, Wilson and Langley ;

By Mr. Howle—
H. 814. To amend section 5049 of the code of 1876, so far as it relates to Clay county;
Local legislation.
By Mr. Guthrie, with petition—
H. 815. To change the county boundary line between the counties of Cullman and Blount;
Counties, and county boundaries.
By Mr. Henry—
H. 816. To incorporate the Alabama Christian Missionary Convention;
Corporations.
By Mr. Brown—
H. 817. To regulate judicial proceedings in certain cases in the courts of Jefferson county ;
Judiciary.
By Mr. Lane—
H. 818. To relieve Charles A. Harris, a minor, in the county of Limestone, of all disabilities of a minor;
Judiciary.
By Mr. Poole—
H. 819. To confer additional jurisdiction upon commissioners courts and boards of revenue, of Alabama, with regard to the running of stock at large in. said state ;
Agriculture.
By Mr. Bishop—
H. 820. To establish a separate school district to be known as Madison district, in Madison county;
Education.
By Mr. Young, with petition—
H. 821. To repeal section 1 of an act entitled an act to pro- hibit the sale, giving away, or otherwise disposing of vinous, spirituous or malt liquors, intoxicating bitters or cordials, or fruits preserved in alcoholic liqnors, within five miles of Vil- lage Springs Academy, Blount county; within five miles of Townley Coal Mine, Walker county; within five miles of Harkey's Chapel, four miles of Deerman’s Chapel, precinct No. 6; Union church, precinct No, 5; Pleasant Hill church, precinct No. 4; or within five miles of Fishing Creek Metho- dist church, at Seddon, beat No. 11, in St. Clair county, and within four miles of Allen's Factory church, in Marion county; and within five miles of Corinth chnrch, in beat No. 15, and township 12, range 13, in Marion county; and within five miles

of Wheeler's Chapel church, in Marion, and within five miles of Camp Ground church, in Marion county; and within the town of Gain, and within five miles thereof, in Marion county; and within five miles of Townley station, in beat No. 5, in Walker county; and within five miles of Mount Zion church, in section 10, township 15, range 9, in Walker county; and within three miles of Hopewell Baptist church, in Cullman county, approved December 10th, 1888, so far as the same re-lates to Corinth church, beat 15, township 12, range 13, and the town of Gwin, in Marion county;

Temperance.

By Mr. Sayre—

H. 822. Ratifying, confirming and amending the charter of the Commercial and Industrial Association of Montgomery, Alabama;

Revision of Laws.

By Mr. Ayres—

H. 823. To amend sections 4 and 6 of an act entitled an act to prevent stock from running at large in the several beats of Randolph and Cullman counties, and to authorize elections therein;

Local legislation.

By Mr. Pettus—

H. 824. To incorporate the Alabama Street Presbyterian church, located in Selma, Alabama;

Judiciary.

Also, with “notice and proof,”

H. 825. For the relief of the estate of Mary W. Hunter;

Judiciary;

By Mr. Howle—

H. 826. To change the names of the Ashland Educational Company, and to grant additional powers;

Corporations.

Also, with “notice,”

H. 827. For the relief of R. S. Gray, of Clay county;

Appropriations.

Also,

H. 828. For the relief of James J. Sikes, former tax collector of Clay county, and his bondsmen;

Ways and means.

By Mr. Bishop—

H. 829. To amend an act entitled an act to define and pre- scribe a lawful fence in certain portions of the county of Madi-son, approved February 28, 1889;

Agriculture.
By Mr. Northington—
H. 830. To amend section 1 of an act to pay salaries to solicitors instead of the fees which they now receive, and to require said fees to be paid into the state treasury, approved February 28, 1887;
Fees and salaries.
By Mr. Ayres, with notice and proof—
H. 831. For the relief of Elisha Manning Yates;
Judiciary.
By Mr. Longshore—
H. 832. To amend section 1120 of the code;
Privileges and elections.
By Mr. Avery—
H. 833. To authorize the governor of Alabama to adjust and settle the claim of Johnstone Jones, for services rendered the state of Alabama, in restoring from the United States to the state of Alabama the quota of arms and equipments;
Military.
By Mr. Foster—
H. 834. To regulate the bringing of divorce suits in the chancery court of this state, and in the various city courts having equity jurisdiction;
Judiciary.
Also,
H. 835. To regulate the making of final records in the chancery courts of this state;
Judiciary.
By Mr. Watters—
H. 836. To amend section 2698 of the civil code of 1886 ;
Judiciary.
Also,
H. 837. To regulate the fees of bonded constables in Choc- taw county;
Fees and salaries.
By Mr. Cooper—
H. 838. To amend an act to authorize the commissioners court of Calhoun county to levy a tax for working public roads of said county, and to let out said roads by contract, ap-proved February 28,1889 ;
Public roads and highways.
By Mr. Judge—
H. 839. To authorize the mayor and board of aldermen of

the town of Eutaw to pass an ordinance regulating the busi ness of selling, or offering for sale in said town, any second hand or pawnbrokers goods, wares or merchandise, and to fix a license therefore, and a penalty for violations of same;
Judiciary.
By Mr. Smaw—
H. 840. To authorize the mayor and board of aldermen of the town of Eutaw to pass an ordinance requiring temporary merchants, doing business in said town, to first take out a license therefor;
Judiciary.
By Mr. Sayre—
H. 841. To incorporate Montgomery Investment, Banking and Trust Company;
Judiciary.
By Mr. Cornelius—
H. 843. To prevent stock from running at large in the sev- eral beats or parts of beats in Cherokee county, to authorize elections therein, and to provide for building and maintaining fences and gates;
Local legislation.
By Mr. Longshore—
H. 843. To provide for the election of county officers to fill unexpired terms;
Corporations.
By Mr. Parker—
H. 844. To amend an act entitled an act to prevent stock from running at large in the several beats in Tallapoosa and Coosa counties, and to authorize an election therein, approved February 26th, 1887;
Local legislation.
By Mr. Rather—
H. 845. To incorporate National Banking, Investment and Trust Company;
Corporations.
By Mr. Foster—
H. 846. To provide for the disposition of certain swamp and overflowed lands and swamp and overflowed indemnity lands belonging to the state, and to provide for the appropriation of the moneys arising therefrom;
Privileges and elections.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

The following bills were reported favorably from the com-mittees, read severally the second time, and placed upon the calendar:
H. 737. For the relief of S. A. Dauphin, late tax collector of the county of Covington;
H. 235. To create a lien on live stock for the cost of pastur- ing the same;
H. 415. To authorize the chancellors of this state to render decrees in certain cases in vacation (with substitute);
H. 756. To exempt dentists from jury duty ;
H. 742. To authorize the justices of the supreme court to use a portion of the library fund in the purchase of law books for the office of the attorney-general;
H. 387. To amend section two of an act entitled an act to authorize the Macon and Birmingham Railroad Company, a corporation under the laws of Georgia, to construct, maintain and operate its railroad within the state of Alabama, and do all other things needful for that purpose, approved February 27, 1889;
H. 655. To define and regulate the liability of persons, partnerships and corporations, operating in the county of Es-cambia, ditches or canals for the purpose of floating logs or timber therein;
H. 569. To amend section 3780 of the code of Alabama;
H. 571. For the relief of the estate of James Hunter, de- ceased;
H. 529. To amend section 3789 of the code;
H. 530. To amend section 1435 of the Code of Alabama;
H. 733. To raise a fund for the benefit of the fire companies in the city of Selma;
H. 720. To authorize the mayor and city council of Annis- ton to appropriate to public use lands already devoted to pub- lic uses;
H. 765. To declare the Montgomery Shooting Club a social club within the meaning of section 4053 of the code of Ala- bama;
H. 761. To exempt the secretary of the chamber of com- merce of the city of Mobile from jury duty;
H. 771. To amend section 4288 of the code;
H. 519. To incorporate the town of Fort Deposit in the county of Lowndes;

H. 667. To extend the police power and jurisdiction of the city of Birmingham over and about the fair grounds in the vicinity of said city in the county of Jefferson, known as the Fair grounds of the Birmingham Fair Association, and to em-power the corporate authorities of said city to authorize, reg- ulate and license any business, except the sale of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, on said grounds within the enclosures thereof during the holding of any fair, exposition or races that may be authorized, regulated or licensed by said city within the corporate limits thereof;

H. 654. To authorize the mayor and councilmen of Brew- ton to issue bonds of said city for an amount not exceeding twenty-five thousand dollars for the purpose of putting in a system of water works and making other permanent improve-ments in said city (with amendment);

H. 261. To require all person or persons who sell or expect to sell liquors to make publication in the county newspaper for thirty days previous to the time, he or they expect to pre- sent his or their petition to the people for proper signatures to the same;

s. 224. To require the commissioners court of Sumter county to appropriate money from the general fund of the county from which to pay the claims against the fine and for-feiture fund of said county and to provide the manner of said payment;

s. 174. To create a new charter for the town of Jackson- ville, Alabama;

H. 691. To create a separate school district in Cherokee county and to define the boundaries thereof;

H. 719. To authorize an election in Bibb county to ascer- tain whether a bridge across the Cahaba river shall continue toll bridge or be a free bridge;

H. 475. To require the constitution of the United States and the constitution of the state of Alabama to be taught as other branches in the public schools of Alabama;

H. 538. To appropriate the sum of twenty thousand dol- lars to be expended in the maintenance and improvement of the Medical college of Alabama under the direction of the board of trustees thereof;

H. 645. To divide township 6, range 14, in Covington county into two school districts;

H. 601. To make an appropriation for the expenses of en-campments of Alabama state troops for the years 1891 and

1892, with an amendment;
On motion of Mr. Quarles,
H. 20. To prevent the keeping of cook-pits, cock-fight- ing, and betting on cock-fights,
Was read a second time.
On motion of Mr. Lee of Barbour,
H. 687. To amend section 3758 (4327) of the code;
And,
H. 688. To amend section 3757 (4325) of the code,
Were read a second time ;
H. 787. Was returned by the committee on fees and sal- aries and it was referred to judiciary.
Mr. Clayton, from the committee on rules, submitted the following resolution:
Resolved, 1st. That beginning with Monday, January 26th, 1891, the morning session shall be devoted to the considera- tion of general legislation only;
2nd. That beginning with Monday, January 26,1891, next this house shall hold an afternoon session each day from the hour of three to the hour of five, during which local legisla- tion only shall be considered;
Which was adopted;
Also,
Resolved, that the roll of counties be continued and that each member of the house shall have the privilege of calling up a bill and put it on passage when his county is called;
Provided, however, That this rule shall apply to the after- noon sessions only.
Mr. Quarles offered the following as a substitute:
That the house take up calls on the calender, considering general legislation in the forenoon and local legislation in the afternoon, to take effect on Wednesday next;
Which, on motion, was tabled;
And the resolution, as reported from the committee, was then adopted.

SPECIAL ORDERS.

On motion,
H. 562 was made a special order for January 29th at 12 m;
And,
H. 576 was made a continuing special order for January 29th, immediately after reading the journal;

And, H. 577 a continuing special order immediately after H. 576 disposed of.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker;
The senate has passed the bill.
H. 440. To regulate the pay of the judge of probate and clerk of the circuit court of Covington county for services ex-officio;
And has adopted the house joint resolution relative to the action of the general assembly of Illinois concerning the so-called force bill pending in the congress of the United States;
And has originated and passed the bills :
s. 34. To extend the geological and agricultural survey of the state of Alabama;
s. 248. To establish and define the corporate limits of the city of Gadsden;
s. 270. To amend section one of an act entitled an act for the preservation of game animals and birds in the counties of Mobile, Monroe, Marengo, Baldwin, Dallas, Lowndes, Hale, Montgomery, Clarke, Greene, Wilcox, Pike, Talladega, Pick- ens, Bibb, Autauga, Chilton, Clay and Jefferson, approved February 13th, 1879, so far as the same relates to Autauga county;
s. 303. To incorporate she Black Warrior Railroad com- pany and to further the construction of a railroad;
And has concurred in the house joint resolution requesting the return to the house of H. B. 109 ;
And has adopted the house joint resolution relative to the committee appointed under section 34 of the code being authorized to employ an expert clerk.
W. L. CLAY,
Clerk.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The senate hills just received, the titles of which are set out in the above senate message, were severally read one time and referred to appropriate committees as follows:
s. 34, to mining and manufacturing;

s. 248, to corporations;
s. 270, to local legislation ;
s. 303, to privileges and elections.

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

H. 634. To amend section one of an act to establish partial stock law districts in Talladega county, so as to include pre- cincts seven, eight, eleven and all of that part of two lying east of Jackson Trace Road in said county,
Was taken up.
Mr. Webb moved to amend the bill by including in its pro-visions beat 3, and sections 6, 7, and the north ½ of S. 5, in beat 13, T. 20, R. 5, in. Talladega county.
Carried.
Mr. Wilson moved to amend the bill by providing that geese shall not run at large in beat 3, in Talladega county.
Carried.
The bill was read the third time at length and passed— yeas 63, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Amason of Tallapoosa, Ap-pleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Buck, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Howle, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leslie, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Pea- cock, Poole, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Webb, Wilson, Young.
H. 327. To fix the fees of the circuit clerk of Hale county,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 63, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Black-well, Brown, Buck, Burford, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Finch, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Les- lie, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell,

Sparkman, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 468. To amend an act to incorporate the city of Jenifer, Alabama, approved February 28th, 1889,

Was taken up, and the pending substitute with the follow- ing title.

A bill to be be entitled an act to amend section 3, 7 and 24 of an act to incorporate the city of Jenifer, Alabama, approved February 28, 1889,

Was adopted,

And the bill was read the third time at length and passed— yeas 55, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Cornelius, Cox, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Wins-ton, Finch, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Henry, Howle, Johnson, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leslie, Lewis, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Lime-stone, Townsend of Pike, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wil- son, Young.

H. 469. To authorize the citizens of beat three, seven, four- teen, fifteen and eighteen of Tallapoosa county to erect gates across public and private roads in said beats,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 63, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Barnett, Bass, Blackwell, Buck, Burford, Coleman, Cor-nelins, Crews, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Finch, Foster, Guthrie, Harris, Howle, Johnson, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lang- ley, Lee of Conecuh, Leslie, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, North-ington, Parker, Poole, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 537. To amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the town of Northport, approved February 13th, 1879, by adding the following additional sections to said act incorporating said town,

Was taken up.

The amendment offered by the committee was adopted.

The bill was read the third time at length and passed— yeas 56, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck Burford, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Foster, Harris, Johnson, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leslie, Longshore, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Pettus, Poole, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Smaw, Sparkman, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 137. To provide for the teaching, in the public schools, of physiology and hygiene with special reference to the effects of alcoholic drinks, stimulants and narcotics upon the human system,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 61, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Ap-pleten, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Finch, Foster, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 231. To amend section one of an act entitled an act to increase the criminal jurisdiction of justices of the peace, and notaries public having like powers, in the counties of Lee, Mad-ison, Jackson, Clarke, Choctaw, Walker and Marion, approved February 8th, 1877,

Was taken up.

The pending substitute with the following title,

To repeal an act entitled an act to increase the criminal jur-isdiction of justices of the peace, and notaries public having like powers, in the counties of Lee, Madison, Jackson, Clarke, Choctaw, Walker and Marion, approved February 8, 1877, so far as the same relates to Walker county.

Was adopted, and the bill was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 63, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Ap-pleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, David-son, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Finch, Fos- ter, Guthrie, Harris, Howle, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Lane, Langley, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Whatley. Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 528. To repeal an act entitled an act to amend an act to regulate the fees of officers of court against the fine and for-feiture fund of Wilcox county,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 63, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Ap-pleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Black-well, Brown, Buck, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Foster, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leslie, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Poole, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Town-send of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Whatley, Wilson, Young.

H. 106. To incorporate the Alabama Mining and Man-ufacturing company,

Was read a third time at length and passed—yeas, 56, nays 2.

Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bass, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Bur-ford, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Guthrie, Harris, Hill, Howle, Huf- ham, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Lane, Langley, Lee of Conecuh, Lewis, Long, Loveless, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Town-send of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

Nays—Messrs. Speaker and Adams.

SPECIAL OKDER.

The house of 12 m. having arrived the house proceeded to consider
H. 652. To provide for the payment of members and ex- penses of the joint committee, which held its sitting during the recent recess to enquire into the necessity for increasing the judicial circuits and chancery divisions of the state.
The bill,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 59, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Barnett, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of La-mar, Edwards, Foster, Harrell, Hill, Hufham, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northing-ton, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Simmons, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, "Webb, Whatley, 'White, Wilson, Young.
And the house resumed consideration of

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

H. 260. To amend section 3765 of the code of Alabama
Was taken up.
Mr. Sullivan offered an amendment which was adopted and the bill
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 64, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Ap-pleton, Armistead, Avery, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clayton, Coleman, Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Finch, Foster, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Howle, Hufham, John- son, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sulli- van, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, white, Wilson, Young.

H. 175. To reduce and fix the salaries of circuit solici- tors, and for the county solicitor of Montgomery in this state,
Was taken up.
Mr. Northington moved to amend the bill by striking out $2,000 and inserting in lieu thereof " $2,500."
Carried;
Yeas 40, nays 32.
Yeas—Messrs. Avery, Ayres, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clan- ton, Clayton, Cooper, Crews, Edwards, Foster, Henry, Hill, Johnson, Judge, Kemp, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Dewis, Long, Loveless, Northington, Parker, Pettus, Poole, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Sayre, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Webb, What- ley, White, Wood, Young.
Nays—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Amason of Tallapoosa, AP-pleton, Armistead ,Bain, Barnett, Blackwell, Coleman, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Finch, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Howle, Hufham, Jones, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker, of Crenshaw, Wilson.
Mr. Pettus moved to amend the bill by striking out $2,500 and inserting in lieu $2,995;
Pending consideration of this amendment the hour of 1 p. m. arrived and the house adjourned until 3 p. m. to-day.

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AFTERNOON SESSION.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.
A quorum was present.
The house proceeded to consider

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

s. 46. To provide for the pay of mileage to constables and bailiffs for their attendance upon the different courts of the state,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 63, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Amason of Tal-lapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett,

Blackwell, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, David-son, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Finch, Gor-don, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Hufham. Jones, Judge, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 510. To establish a uniform series of standard school books to be used in the free public schools in Marshall county,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 61, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adam8,Alexander,Alinon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Bar-nett, Blackwell, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Finch, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Huf- ham, Johnson, Jones, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leslie, Moore of Baldwin, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Whatley, Wood. Wilson, Young.

s. 235. To provide for the election of the county board of commissioners of Autauga county,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas, 59, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Amason of Talla-poosa, Appleton, Armistead, Ayers, Bain, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cor- nelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Win-ston, Edwards, Finch, Foster, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Huf- ham, Johnson, Jones, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Con- ecuh, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Pea- cock, Pettus, Poole, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Spark- man, Thrasher, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Whatley, Wood Wilson, Young.

H. 673. To provide for the levying and collecting a license tax on dogs in Macon and Lee counties,

Was taken up.
Mr. Simmons offered an amendment which was adopted and the bill
Was read the third time at length and lost—yeas 34, nays 39.
Yeas—Messrs. Alexander, Bain, Brown, Buck, Burford, Cooper, Crews, Cox, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Foster, Gilchrist, Gordon, Howle, Hufham, Judge, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Moore of Baldwin, Northing-ton, Parker, Peacock, Poole, Purifoy, Simmons, Smaw, Sullivan, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Watters, Wilson, Young.
Nays—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Amason of Talla-poosa, Appleton, Ayres, .Bass, Blackwell, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cornelius, Davidson, Davis of Winston, Finch, Guth-rie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Jones, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Parks, Pettus, Quarles, Ramsay, Rousseau, Scott, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Lime- stone, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Whatley, Wood.
H. 407. To regulate the fine and forfeiture fund of Conecuh county, and the disposal of moneys arising from fines, forfeit- tures and convict labor in said county,
Was taken up, and amended by including Escambia county within the provisions of the bill,
And the bill was read the third time at length and passed— yeas 61, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Blackwell, Brown, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Jones, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Conecuh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Bald-win, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wil-son, Young.
H. 411. To establish a charter for the town of Oneonta,
Was read a third time at length and passed—yeas 58, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tal-lapoosa, Armistead, Bain, Bass, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clan-ton, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Ed-

wards, Finch, Foster, Gass, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Judge, Kemp, Lee of Conecuh, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Young.

H. 316. To declare Clark Frizzle a liner between the coun- ties of Bullock and Montgomery, a citizen of Montgomery county,

Was taken up and amended by adding the name of W. C. Frizzle,

And the bill was read the third time at length and passed— yeas 58, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Amistead, Ayres, Barnett, Bass, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Clay- ton, Coleman, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of La-mar, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Hufham, Johnson, Judge, Langley, Lewis, Long, Long-shore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Purifoy, Quarles. Ramsay, Rather, Rous-seau, Sayre, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Whatley, White, Wood, Young.

s. 24. To protect chickens and other poultry on the prem- ises in the night time,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 41, nays 15.

Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Blackwell, Brown, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davis of Winston, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Kemp, Lee of Conecuh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Bald-win, Peacock, Quarles, Ramsay, Rousseau, Thrasher, Town- send of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Watters, Wilson.

Nays—Messrs. Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Foster, Gil-christ, Harris, Judge, Langley, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Poole, Purifoy, Wood, Young.

H. 372. To amend the caption and sections one (1) and eight (8) of an act entitled an act to prevent horses, mules, asses, cows, hogs and goats from running uncontrolled on crops in beat, No. five and in beat No. eight in Butler county, and to prescribe a rule of damages and rules of pro-

tection in the trial of cases under this act, approved February 18th, 1889,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 56, nays 0.
Yeas—
Messrs. Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Bass, Blacwell, Burford, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Foster, Gilchrist, Guth- rie, Harrell, Harris, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Long-shore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wilson, Young.
H. 319. To ratify and amend the charter of the Security Bank of Alabama,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 58, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Blackwell, Brown, Burford, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Foster, Gass, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Howle, Jones, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, North-ington, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Purifoy, Rather, Rous- seau, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauder- dale, Watters, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.
H. 643. To prescribe the time when taxes shall become de-linquent in the county of Chambers,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 55, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Appleton, Armistead, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Brown, Burford, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Foster, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harris, Hill, Howle, Jones, Judge, Langley, Lee of Conecuh, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.
H. 370. To authorize the mayor and council of the city of

Anniston to issue bonds of said city for an amount not exceed- ing fifty thousand dollars for the purpose of purchasing land and erecting and equipping school buildings thereon,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 58, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Barnett, Bass, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Foster, Gordon, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Jones, Langley, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 542. To authorize the election of four commissioners for the court of county commissioners of Chilton county, and to direct the court of county revenues of said county to turn over and deliver the records and papers on file in said court to the court of county commissioners of said county of Chilton,

Was read the third lime at length and passed—yeas 57, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Ayres, Bain, Bass, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clan- ton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, David-son, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Howle, Johnson, Jones, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Pea- cock, Poole, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 692. For the relief of Burwell Y. Burnes, of Choctaw county, Alabama,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 55, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Foster, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Hufham, .Johnson, Jones, Kemp, Langley, Lee, of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parker,

Parks, Peacock, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Whatley, White, Young.

H. 518. To regulate trials by juries in the county court of Clarke county,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 58, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Ap-pleton, Armistead, Bain, Barnett, Blackwell, Brown, Buck Burford, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Foster, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Johnson, Jones, Kemp, Lang- ley, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Spark- man, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wil- son, Young.

s. 66. To constitute the city of Anniston a separate school district, and to provide a board of education therefor,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 57, nays 0.

Yeas—Mr. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Apple ton, Armistead, Avery, Bain, Bass, Brown, Buck, Burford, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Foster, Gilchrist, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hufham, Jones, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Conecuh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Purifoy, Rather, Rous- seau, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Cren-shaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 346. To incorporate the town of Edwardsville,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 61,

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Tal-lapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Brown, Buck, Burford, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of'- Winston. Edwards, Foster, Gil- christ, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, John- son, Jones, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Purifoy, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott,

Screws, Smaw, Steele, Sullivan, Towsend of Limestone, Town-send of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.
At 5 p. m., the house adjourned till 9 a. m., to-morrow.

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THIRTY-SECOND DAY.
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.
TUESDAY, January 27, 1891.
The house met pursuant to adjournment.
Prayer by the Rev. Mr. Brown of the city.
A quorum was present.
The journal of yesterday was read and approved.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

Was granted to Messrs. Davis of Fayette, Gass and Leigh indefinitely on account of sickness.

SPECIAL ORDERS.

s. 209. To provide for senatorial representation in the general assembly of Alabama,
Was read a third time and passed—yeas 61, nays 5.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Tal-lapoosa, Appleton, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harris, Howle, Johnson, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Purifoy, Rather, Sayre, Scott, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Sullivan, Townsend of Lime- stone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, White, Wood Wilson.
Nays—Messrs. Judge, Longshore, Pettus, Rousseau and Young.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

H. 175. To reduce and fix the salaries of circuit solicitors and for the county solicitor of Montgomery in this state,
Was taken up.
The question being upon the adoption of Mr. Pettus' amend-ment to " strike out $3,500 and insert $2,995;"
The amendment was lost.
Mr. Pettus moved to indefinitely postpone the consideration of the bill.
Lost.
Mr. Smaw moved to re-commit to the committe on fees and salaries the bill and amendments.
Carried.
By unanimous consent the vote by which the bill was re-committed was reconsidered;
And Mr. Smith of Russell offered the following amend- ment:
Provided, that the provisions of this act shall not operate to reduce the salaries of those solicitors whose fees amount to $3,000 annually.
Mr. Northington moved to table Mr. Smith's amendment.
Lost.
Mr. Scott moved to re-commit the bill and amendments to the committee on revision of laws.
Carried.

RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Adams moved to reconsider the vote by which
H. 673. To provide for the levying and collecting a license tax on dogs in Macon county was lost on yesterday.
Carried.
The bill passed—yeas 42, nays 28.
Yeas—Messrs. Alexander, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Armistead, Bain, Barnett, Coleman, Cornelius, Crews, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Forman, Gilchrist, Harrell, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Judge, Kelly, Lane, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Northing- ton, Parker, Peacock, Poole, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Sullivan, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Watters, White, Wilson.

Nays—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Appleton, Ayres, Black- well, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Davidson, Foster, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Johnson, Jones, Langley, Lewis, Long, Parks, Pettua, Sayre, Smith of Russell, Thrasher, Townsend of Lime-stone, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wood. Young.

Mr. Brewer moved to re-consider the vote by which

H. 642. To prescribe the time when taxes shall become delinquent in Chambers county,

Was passed on yesterday;

The vote was reconsidered and the bill was referred to the judiciary committee.

On motion H. 824 was made a. special order for January 28th, after reading the journal.

On motion of Mr. Brown H. 550 was made a continuing spe-cial order for January 30th, after reading the journal, and 150 copies were ordered printed.

RESOLUTION.

Was offered as follows:

By Mr. Edwards—

Resolved, by the house, the senate concurring, that the gov-ernor be requested to return to the senate house bill No. 381 and house bill No. 87.

The rules were suspended and the resolution was adopted.

BILLS ON FIRST READING.

Bills were introduced, severally read the first time, and re-ferred to appropriate committees as follows :

Br. Mr. Lee of Conecuh—

H. 847. To prohibit, within prohibition districts, the taking or soliciting of orders for intoxicating liquors to be shipped into such districts ;

Temperance.

By Mr. Adams, by request—

H. 848. To fix the time of holding the circuits courts in the counties of Randolph and Bibb in the fifth judicial circuit of the state of Alabama;

Judiciary.

By Mr. Davidson, by request—

H. 849. To prohibit the sale of vinous, spirituous or malt liquors in Blount Springs school district in Blount county,

Temperance.

By Mr. Northington, with petition—
H. 850. To prohibit the sale, giving away, or otherwise disposing of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, or intoxicating bitters at, or within 5 miles of Corinth church in beat one in Chilton county;
Temperance.
Also,
H. 851. To authorize the county superintendent of educa- tion of Chilton county to teach in the public schools in said county, and to make contracts with township superintendents of said county to teach in such public schools ;
Education.
By Mr. Peacock, with notice and proof—
H. 852. To authorize Mary F. Churchwell, widow of David Churchwell, deceased to sell lands at private sale, belonging to the estate of said David Churchwell, deceased ;
Judiciary.
By Mr. Nolen—
H. 853. To amend section 4889 of the code of Alabama, so far as the same relates to Coosa county;
Revision of Laws.
By Mr. Quarles—
H. 854. To protect the owners of bottles, boxes, syphons and kegs used in the sale of soda waters, mineral or aerated waters, porter, ale, cider, ginger ale, milk, cream, small beer, lager beer, Weiss, beer, beer, white beer, or other beverages in Alabama;
Revision of laws.
By Mr. Avery, by request—
H. 855. To authorize the sale of iron or steel rails, railroad frogs, switches, switch stands, fish plates, angle plates, bolts and nuts, and all track material for railroads or other roads, sidings, mines, mills, and train-ways on a credit or partly on a credit, the seller retaining the title thereto, and regulating such sales;
Corporations.
Also,
H. 856. To amend section 4167 of the code;
Revision of laws.
By Mr. Clanton—
H. 857. To amend section 2 of an act to amend an act en- titled an act to create a separate school district in Jackson county, to be known as Pleasant Grove, out of a part of town- ship 5, range 6, east, approved February 15, 1889;

Education.
By Mr. Parks—
H. 858. To amend an act to create a separate school dis- trict in Jackson county, known as Pleasant Grove school dis- trict, out of apart of township 5, range 6, east;
Education.
By Mr. Brown, by request—
H. 859. To provide liens for mechanics and material men;
Judiciary.
Also,(with notice and proof)—
H. 860. For the relief of William B. Morgan, of Jefferson county,
Ways and means.
By Mr. Davis of Lamar—
H. 861. To amend paragraph one of section 968 of the code of Alabama;
Revision of laws.
By Mr. Tucker of Lauderdale—
H. 863. To amend section nine hundred and ninty-one (991) of the code of 1886 ;
Education.
By Mr. Bass—
H. 863. To repeal section 4197 of article 3, of chapter 1, of title 3, of part 5, of the code of Alabama, so far as the same relates to the county of Lee;
Local legislation.
By Mr[.] Bain (by request with petition)—
H. 864. To regulate the sale, giving away, or otherwise dis-posing of any vinous, spirituous or malt liquors, or intoxicat- ing beverages or bitters in the city of Fort Payne ;
Judiciary.
By Mr. Sparkman—
H. 865. To prohibit the sale, giving away, or otherwise dis-posing of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, or intoxicating bitters, or cordials, or fruits preserved in alcoholic liquors within the corporate limits of the town of Hartselle, in Mor- gan county, Alabama;
Temperance.
Also, (by request with petition)—
H. 866. For the relief of Thomas G. Hughes, of Decatur, Morgan county;
Ways and means.

By Mr. Barnett—
H. 867. To prohibit the sale, giving away, bartering, ex-changing or otherwise disposing of alcoholic, vinous or malt liquors, or intoxicating bitters, beverages or fruits preserved in alcoholic liquors within three miles of Shady Grove Baptist church and Bethel Baptist church, or within four miles of Mt. Moriah Baptist church and within two miles of Zebulon Bap- tist church in Pike county ;
Temperance.
By Mr. Wilson, (with notice)—
H. 868. To divest the title interest and estate of the state of Alabama, out of certain lands in Talladega county, and invest the same in Drucilla Lawler;
Federal relations.
By Mr. Webb—
H. 869. For the relief of needy confederate soldiers and sailors, residents of Alabama, who, from wounds pr other cause, are now unable to earn a livelihood, and for the widows of such as were killed or died in said war, and have not since married ;
Ways and means.
By Mr. Clements—
H. 870. To permit and provide for the incorporation of sep- arate school districts in the county of Tuskaloosa;
Education.
Also, (with petition)—
H. 871. To prohibit the sale, giving away or otherwise dis-posing of any vinous, spirituous or malt liquors, or any intox-icating substance of any kind within five miles of Arbor Springs Baptist church, in Tuskaloosa county;
Temperance.
By Mr. Foster—
H. 872. To amend section 1 of an act, approved February 12, 1879, entitled an act to establish the Warrior Agricultural District, to provide for the securing of the same and the man-agement of its affairs ;
Local legislation.
By Mr. Long—
H. 873. To require the money paid by all persons for state and county license to retail liquor, in the year 1889, to be refunded to such persons or their legal representatives when the use of such licenses* were prevented by prohibitory act of the legislature;
Privileges and elections.

By Mr. Cooper—
H. 874. To incorporate the Corning Land, Industrial and Trust Company;
Corporations.
By Mr. Parker (by request)—
H. 875. To protect the owners of stock in Elmore county from any liability for damages which said stock may commit, in adjacent territories prohibiting stock from running at large;
Local legislation.
By Mr. Watters—
H. 876. To authorize the commissioners courts in Choctaw and Clarke counties, to establish districts in which stock may be prevented from running at large ;
Agriculture.
By Mr. Rather—
H. 877. To authorize the trustees of township two, range 15, Colbert county, Alabama, to sell certain school property in the town of Riverton in said township and county afore- said:
Education.
By Mr. Crews—
H. 878. To fix the time in which circuit court solicitors shall hold their office ;
Revision of laws.
By Mr. Judge, (by request)—
H. 879. To further enlarge the powers, rights, franchises and privileges of the East Birmingham Land and Railroad Company, a corporation having its principal place of business in the city of Birmingham in this state;
Judiciary.
By Mr. Wade—
H. 880. To amend an act to incorporate the Walnut Grove College at Walnut Grove, Etowah county, Alabama, approved February 20th, 1889;
Corporations.
By Mr. Judge, (by request, with notice thereof)—
H. 881. To declare certain lands in Greene county, in this state, belonging to T. W. Cobb, Mary Cobb, Mary E. Walker, and Amenia J. Upchurch, a district in which stock shall be prevented from running at large, and to provide that the pro-visions of an act entitled an act to authorize the commis- sioners court of Greene county to establish. districts in which

stock may be prevented from running at large, approved February 17th, 1885, shall be applicable to said district; Revision of laws.

BILLS ON SECOND READING. .

The following bills were reported favorably by the commit-tees, severally read a second time, and placed on the calendar:

H. 785. To amend an act approved December 8, 1888, entitled an act to amend an act entitled an act to amend section 499 of the code of Alabama, approved February 18, 1887;

H. 839. To authorize the mayor and board of aldermen of the town of Eutaw to pass an ordinance regulating the business of selling, or offering for sale in said town, any second hand or pawnbrokers goods, wares or merchandise, and to fix a license therefor, and a penalty for violations of same;

H. 840. To authorize the mayor and board of aldermen of the town of Eutaw to pass an ordinance requiring temporary merchants, doing business in said town, to first take out a license therefor;

H. 824. To incorporate the Alabama Street Presbyterian church, located in Selma, Alabama;

H. 428. To amend section two of an act entitled an act to create the tenth judicial circuit of the state of Alabama, and to fix the time of holding court therein, and to provide for the appointment and election of a judge and solicitor for said circuit, approved December 12th, 1888;

H. 337. To amend sections 2103 (2447) and 2105 (2449) of the code;

H. 716. To authorize the deeds, contracts, conveyances, or other instruments to be recorded again in Franklin county;

H. 559. To ratify and confirm the agreement of consolidation made by and between the Jefferson Iron Company and the Irondale Company of Jefferson county on the 18th of April, 1890;

H. 776. To provide for the times of liolding the circuit courts in the sixthjudicial cirouit of this state;

H. 359. To amend section 5 of an act entitled an act to regulate the holding of the circuit court of Henry county, approved February 17th, 1885 ;

H. 736. To authorize the substitution of the bonds of the

county officers, justices of the peace, notaries public, con- stables, executors, administrators and guardians in Franklin county;
H. 861. To amend section 2512 of the code of Alabama;
s. 106. To regulate garnishments against salaries and wages of persons employed;
s. 190. To provide for establishing a certain portion of the line between the state of Alabama and Georgia, where the same divides the county of Cherokee in the state of Alabama and the county of Polk in the state of Georgia, to provide for the appointment of persons to establish said line and to ap-propriate money to pay the expenses thereof (with substitute.)
H. 766. To incorporate the Southern Literary Society;
H. 553. To more effectually provide for working the public roads of the state and to provide for the appointment of a public road inspector for the several counties of the state;
H. 556. To create and establish a separate school district in Dale and Geneva counties, to be known as county line school district in Dale and Geneva counties;
H. 478. To establish a technological and industrial school for the education and training of girls and young women in the practical industries of life and to provide means for its maintenance;
H. 805. To amend section 5 of an act to organize and reg- ulate a system of public instruction for the state of Alabama, approved February 7th, 1879, and amendments thereto, ap- proved February 28th, 1887, and amendments thereto ap- proved February 28, 1889;
H. 589. To declare " the board of education of the sep- arate school district of the city of Tuscumbia," the successors in office of " the trustees of the Tuscumbia Male Academy, " and to authorize said board of education to sell and convey certain real estate belonging to " the trustees of the Tuscum- bia Male Academy," for school purposes ;
H. 723. To incorporate the Lineville College at Lineville, Clay county, Alabama;
s. 188. To provide for the election of the county superin-tendent of education of Wilcox county;
H. 724. To provide for the election of county superinten- dents of education in the counties of Cleburne and Randolph ;
s. 303. To incorporate " the Black Warrior Railroad Com-pany," and to further the construction of a railroad ;
s. 34. To extend the geological and agricultural survey of the state of Alabama ;

H. 813. To provide for the levy, assessment and collec- tion of taxes in the county of Chambers for the years 1891 and l892;
H. 658. To amend the charter of the town of Greensboro. Alabama, and the acts amending the same;
H. 712. To prohibit the sale, giving away or otherwise dis-posing of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors or intoxicating beverages except for medicinal or church purposes in beat No. 5, in Winston county, Alabama;
H. 702. To regulate the granting of licenses to sell vinous or spiritous liquors in the county of Marshall, state of Ala- bama;
H. 722. To prevent the sale, giving away, bartering or other-wise disposing of alcoholic, vinous or malt liquors or intoxicat-ing bitters or beverages, within three miles of Mount Zion Missionary Baptist church in beat 4, Chambers county;
H. 721. To prevent the sale, giving away, bartering or otherwise disposing of alcholic, vinous or malt liquors or in-toxicating bitters or beverages within three miles of Mount Pleasant church in beat 5, Chambers county ;
H. 800. To prohibit the sale, giving away or otherwise dis-posing of vinous, spirituous or malt liquors, intoxicating bit-ters or cordials within five miles of Mineral Springs Baptist church or within live miles of Rockey Mount Methodist church in beat 1, in Chilton county, Alabama;
H. 734. To prohibit the sale, giving away, delivery, trans- fer, parting with, procuring or otherwise disposing of spirit- uous, vinous or malt liquors or any intoxicating bitters or mixtures within four miles of the Baptist church in the town of Bullock, in Crenshaw county, Alabama;
H. 694. To prevent the furnishing of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors to persons confined in jail;
H. 550. To improve the penitentiary and convict system of Alabama;

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

H. 292. To provide for the publication of the general laws enacted at the present session of the general assembly of Ala- bama, in some newspaper,
Was, on motion of Sayre, indefinitely postponed;
H. 285. To expediate the printing of acts and joint resolu- tions of the general assembly,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 55, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Ap-pleton, Armistead, Avery, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Black-well, Brewer, Brown, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davis of Lamar, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Leslie, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Parks, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Sayre, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 18. To amend section 130 of the code of Alabama.

On motion of Mr. Quarles the bill was tabled.

H. 16. To prevent the running of freight trains on Sun- day,

Was taken up.

Mr. Quarles offered an amendment;

Mr. Sullivan moved to table the bill and amendment;

Lost;

Yeas 23, nays 46.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Avery, Bain, Brewer, Davis of Lamar, Foster, Guthrie, Harrell, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Leslie, Lewis, Moore of Baldwin, Poole, Purifoy, Scott, Smaw, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Watters, White.

Nays—Messrs. Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Tal-lapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Ayres, Bass, Bishop, Black-well, Brown, Burford, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Edwards, Guthrie, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Long, Long-shore, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Pettus, Powell, Quarles, 'Rather. Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Whatley, Wilson, Youug.

By unanimous consent the further consideration of the bill was postponed till to-morrow.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker:

The senate has passed the following bills :

H. 99. To allow the probate judge, clerk of the circuit court and sheriff of Dale county to sell or dispose of their

claims against the fine and forfeiture fund in Dale county, and to make said claims receivable in payment of fines and for-ieitures just as state witness claims against said fund are now receivable and payable under the statute of Alabama;

H. 129. To confirm the ordinance passed by the mayor and council of the town of Decatur and the contract in pur- suance thereof, passed on the 7th day of October, 1890, grant- ing to J. Judson Barclay, J. C. Hollowell and J. D. Jervis the right to operate and maintain a line of railroad over and along Market, Washington, Davis and Lee streets in the town of Decatur;

H. 191. To repeal an act entitled an act to establish a court of county revenues for Chilton county, approved February 28th, 1887;

H. 232. To authorize the payment of fines and forfeitures in Walker county with the claims of the officers of said county which are now or may hereafter be registered against the fine and forfeiture fund of Walker county;

H. 233. To amend section four of an act entitled an act in relation to trials of misdemeanors in Walker county, approved February 23d, 1883;

And has concurred in the house joint resolution relative to requesting the return from the governor of house bills 87 and 381.

WM. L. Clay.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR,

By Mr. Jackson, his prvate secretary.

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR,
MONTGOMERY, January 27th, 1891.

To the General Assembly :

T transmit herewith a letter from the secretary of war, re-questing the passage of an act by the general assembly of Alabama, ceding jurisdiction to the United States over the military reservations at Mount Vernon Barracks and Fort Mor-gan, and the draft of a bill to carry out his request.

I have examined the bill and recommend its passage.

THOS. G. JONES,
Governor.

On motion, the message with accompanying letter and bill were referred to the committee on federal relations.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour of 12 m. having arrived,
s. 208. To fix the number of representatives in the house of representatives of the general assembly of this state, and to apportion them among the several counties of this state,
Was taken up.
Mr. Pettus offered the amendment, “to strike out word three after words Mobile and Dallas, and insert four ; strike out six in last line of bill, and insert four.”
Mr. Clayton offered the following amendment: “Strike out the word two after Barbour, and insert the word three.”
By unanimous consent, Mr. Clayton offered the following, resolution:
Resolved, 1st, that the consideration of pending bill be postponed and made a special order for Thursday next at 12 o'clock m.
2d, That a committee of five be appointed by the chair to consider the advisability of taking a new census of the state.
3d, that said committee be requested to report on or before 12 o'clock m. next Thursday.
Pending consideration of said resolution, the hour of 1 p. m. arrived, and the house adjourned till 3 p. m. to-day.

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AFTERNOON SESSION.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.
A quorum was present.
The house proceeded to consider

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

H. 616. For the relief of the estate of John R. Dickin, de- ceased,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 59, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sum-ter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armstead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Cooper, Corne- lius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Forman, Gil-

christ, Harrell, Harris, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, .Moore of Baldwin, Peacock, Powell, Pu-rifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Smaw, Sparkman, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, White, Wilson, Young.

H. 588. To amend section 8 of an act entitled an act to provide a new charter for the city of Tuscumbia, Colbert county, Alabama, approved February 28, 1887,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 59, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Cole-man, Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Edwards. Foster, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jonhson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leslie, Lewis, Long-shore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Northington, Parks, Pea-cock, Poole, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Smaw, Spark-man, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend, of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Webb, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 573. To regulate the trials of misdemeanors in Conecuh county,

Was taken up.

Mr. Lee of Conecuh offered an amendment which was adopted,

And the bill was read the third time at length and passed- yeas 58, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sum-ter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Ed- wards, Finch, Foster, Gilchrist, Henry, Howle, Hufham, John- son, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Lewis, Longshore, Moore of Baldwin, Parks, Pea- cock, Powell, Purifoy, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Smaw, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, Wilson, Young.

H. 323. For the relief of Benjamin B. Ballard, a citizen of Covington county,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 58, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Blackwell, Burford, Clayton, Coleman, Crews, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Foster, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Smaw, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Cren-shaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 416. To incorporate the town of Luverne, in the county of Crenshaw, and state of Alabama,

Was read the third time at length and passed—Yeas 62, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Burford, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, Da- vis of Lamar, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gordon, Harrell, Har- ris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Northington, Parks, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Smaw, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Whatley, Wilson, Young.

H. 597. For the relief of A. B. Byrd, sheriff of Dale county, Alabama, for the removal of prisoners from Georgia and Florida, in the year, 1890,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 55, nays 2.

Yeas—Messrs. Alexander, Amason of Tallapoosa, Apple- ton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Bevis, Blackwell, Brew- er, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cor- nelius, Crews, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Foster, Gordon, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, John- son, Jones, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Smaw, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

Nays—Messrs. Kelly and Northington.

H. 598. To prevent hunting on land without written con- sent of owner or his agent, in Dallas county, Alabama,

Was taken up.

On motion the counties of Conecuh, Wilcox, Autauga, Sumter, Barbour, and Madison were added to the provisions of the bill.

Mr. Adams offered the amendment:

“Provided this act shall apply only to enclosed lands.”

Mr. Wood moved to table Mr. Adams’ amendment.

The amendment was lost.

Mr. Northington offered the following amendment, add end of the bill:

“Provided that no prosecutions shall be commenced under this act unless it be by the owner or duly authorized agent of the land trespassed upon,”

Which was adopted.

The bill was read the third time at length and passed— yeas 55, nays 12.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Am- ason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Barnett, Bass, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Coleman, Cooper, Corne- lius, Crews, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Foster, Guth- rie, Harrell, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Conecuh, Leslie, Loveless, Moore of Bald- win, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Quarles, Rather, Rous- seau, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Walters, Whatley, White, Wood, Wil- son, Young.

Nays—Messrs. Adams, Alexander, Ayres, Bain, Davidson, Forman, Harris, Lee of Barbour, Lewis, Long, Tucker of Lauderdale, Clayton.

Mr. Quarles moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and to table that motion, and the latter mo- tion was carried.

H. 599. To repeal an act entitled “an act to prohibit stock from runniug at large in a portion of Dallas county,” ap- proved February 13, 1883, so far as the same applies to Dublin beat,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 60, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Almon, Amason of

Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown. Buck, Burford, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Crews, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Moore of Baldwin, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Watters, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 691. To create a separate school district in Cherokee county, and to define the boundaries thereof,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 60, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Forman, Foster, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leslie, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wood, Wilson, Young.

REPORT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE.

Mr. Speaker:

The house committee appointed to confer with the senate committee relative to the non-concurrence in the house amendment to senate bill No. 36, report:

1st—That the proposed amendment is not obnoxious to any provision of the constitution, and that the extension of the term of tax collectors by act approved December 17th, 1873, and the extension of the term of the commissioners of the port of Mobile by act approved December 8, 1880, furnish precedent for the amendment extending the term of office of the present commissioner of agriculture until his suc-cessor can be chosen by the people at the next general election.

2d—That the conference committee cannot agree ;

Wherefore, the committee asks to be discharged.
S. M. ADAMS,
Chairman.
H. D. CLAYTON,
A. P. LONGSHORE.
The report was received, and the committee discharged.
The hour of 5 p. m. arrived, and the house adjuorned till to-morrow at 9 a. m.

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THIRTY-THIRD DAY.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
WEDNESDAY, January 28, 1891.
The house met pursuant to adjournment.
A quorum was present.
Prayer by Rev. Mr. Brown, of the city.
The journal of yesterday was read and approved.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Was granted to Messrs. Nolen, Parker, Coleman, Gass and Davis of Winston, indefinitely, and to Mr. Lee of Cone- cuh, for one day.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The house proceeded to consider
H. 824. To incorporate the Alabama Street Presbyterian church, located in Selma, Alabama,
And the bill was read the third time at length and passed— yeas 67, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Edwards,

Forman, Foster, Gilchrist, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kemp, Lane, Lee of Barbour, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Madi- son, Northington, Parks, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Simmons, Smaw, Sparkman, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauder- dale, Watters, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

REPORT FROM COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Speaker :
The committee on enrolled bills report the following bills correctly enrolled:
H. 99. To allow the probate judge, clerk of the circuit court and sheriff of Dale county to sell or dispose of their claims against the fine and forfeiture fund in Dale county, and to make said claims receivable in payment of fines and forfeitures just as state witness claims against said fund are now receivable and payable under the statute of Alabama; H. 191. To repeal an act entitled an act to establish a court of county revenues for Chilton county, approved Feb- ruary 28th, 1887;
H. 232. To authorize the payment of fines and forfeitures in Walker county with the claims of the officers of said county which are now or may hereafter be registered against the fine and forfeiture fund of Walker county;
H. 233. To amend section four of an act entitled an act in relation to trials of misdemeanors in Walker county, ap- proved February 23d, 1883 ;
H. 440. To regulate the pay of the judge of probate and clerk of the circuit court of Covington county, for services ex-officio;
H. 129. To confirm the ordinance passed by the mayor and council of the town of Decatur and the contract in pur- suance thereof, passed on the 7th day of October, 1890, granting to J. Judson Barclay, J. C. Hallowell and J. D. Jervis the right to operate and maintain a line of railroad over and along Market, Washington, Davis and Lee streets in the town of Decatur.
C. C. RATHER,
Chairman.

SIGNING OF BILLS.

The speaker of the house, in the presence of the house, immediately after their titles had been publicly read by the clerk, signed the bills, the titles of which are set out in the foregoing report of the committee on enrolled bills.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker:
The president of the senate having signed the following bills, your signature thereto is requested :
s. 24. To protect chickens and other poultry on the premises in the night time ;
s. 46. To provide for the pay of mileage to constables and bailiffs for their attendance upon the different courts of the state;
s. 66. To constitute the city of Anniston a separate school district and to provide a board of education therefor;
s. 235. To provide for the election of the county board of commissioners of Autauga county.
W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SIGNING OF BILLS.

The speaker of the house, in the presence of the house, immediately after their titles had been publicly read by the clerk, signed the senate bills, the titles of which are set out in the foregoing senate message.

BILLS ON FIRST READING.

By unanimous consent, bills were introduced, read one time severally, and referred to appropriate committees, as follows:
By Mr. Rather—
H. 882. To prevent hogs from running at large in Spring Valley beat of Colbert county, and to authorize election thereon ;
Local legislation.
By Mr. Clements, (with petition)—
H. 883. To repeal an act approved February 20, 1889,

entitled an act to amend the act to incorporate the city of Tuskaloosa approved March 12lh, 1873, by amending section 1 of said act so as to extend the boundary lines of said city;
Corporations.
By Mr. Clayton—
H. 884. To incorporate the Eufaula Investment and Security Company;
Judiciary.
By Mr. Davidson, (with petition)—
H. 885. To incorporate the town of Blount Springs, Blount county, Alabama;
Corporations.
By Mr. Sparkman—
H. 886. To constitute a separate school district to be known as the Flint school district in the county of Morgan, and State of Alabama, and for the appointment of a board of trustees therefor and a levy of special tax ;
Corporations.
By Mr. Howell—
H. 887. To authorize the construction of tramways, pole roads, canals and ditches by corporations, partnerships and individuals in Conecuh, Butler, Crenshaw and Covington counties;
Corporations.
By Mr. Lee of Barbour—
H. 888. To make the office of commissioner of agriculture an election office, and to provide for the filling of such office after the term of the present incumbent in said office shall have expired, and until his successor can be chosen at the next general election for state officers;
Agriculture.
Also,
H. 889. To reduce and equalize the salaries of the clerks in the different departments of state and offices, to-wit: the secretary of state, auditor, treasurer, superintendent of education, commissioner of agriculture, state board of health, and commissioner of convicts;
Fees and salaries.
By Mr. Lewis—
H. 890. To ratify and confirm the subscriptions to and organization and incorporation of the Gulf Coke and Coal Company, and to enlarge the power of said company;
Revision of Laws.

By Mr. Bass—
H. 891. To incorporate the Alabama, Florida and Chatta- nooga Railway Company;
Corporations.
By Mr. Hill—
H. 892. To incorporate the Montgomery Loan and Trust Company;
Corporations.
By Mr. Jackson—
H. 893. To detach the county of Lee from the third judi- cial circuit of the State of Alabama and add said county to the fifth judicial circuit of the State of Alabama, and to fix its time for holding the courts in said county ;
Judiciary.
By Mr. Harris (with petition)—
H. 894, To repeal an act to change the line between Lee and Chambers counties so as to include the southwest quar- ter of section eight (8), township twenty (20), range twenty- five (25), in Lee county, approved February 24, 1872 ;
Counties and county boundaries.
By Mr. Armistead, with notice and proof, (by request)— H. 895. For the relief of Jack R. Wilson, ex- probate judge of Clarke county, Alabama ;
Local legislation.
By Mr. Poole—
H. 896. To fix the fees of probate judges for recording in certain cases in this state ;
Fees and salaries.
By Mr. Rousseau—
H. 897. To provide for paying tax collector of Covington county for selling real estate in Covington for collection of taxes;
Ways and means.
By Mr. Wood, (by request, and with petition)—
H. 898. To amend section 1 of an act entitled an act for the protection of land and property against the depredations of live stock in portions of precincts numbers one, two, three four, five and six, in Autauga county, approved February 20th, 1889 ;
Agriculture.
By Mr. Armistead—
H. 899. To authorize the county of Clarke to borrow 30 h

money and issue bonds for the purpose of building a court house for the use of said county at Grove Hill, or other place at which it may be determined to build said court house;
Judiciary.
By Mr. Hill—
H. 900. To amend section 1586 of the code ;
Revision of laws;
Also,
H. 901. To amend section 3874 of the code of Alabama ;
Revision of laws.
By Mr. Gilchrist—
H. 902. To establish the Canebrake Agricultural Experiment Station, the North Alabama Agricultural Experiment Station and Agricultural School, and Southeast Alabama Agricultural Experiment Station and School;
Agriculture;
Also,
H. 903. To permit blind persons to peddle without licenses;
Ways and means.
By Mr. White—
H. 904. To provide for the appointment of three trustees by the county superintendent of Perry county ;
Education.
By Mr. Simmons—
H. 905. To change the name of Thomas H. Perry, of Macon county, to Thomas H. Hall;
Judiciary.
By Mr. Northington—
H. 906. To amend section 262, so far as the same applies to Chilton county ;
Fees and salaries.
By Mr. Barnett, (with notice and proof)—
H. 907. To reimburse C. J. Ross, sheriff of Pike county, for expenses incurred by him in going to Florida and removing one John Blue, a prisoner from jail in. Tallahasse, Florida, to Troy jail, in Pike county, and for expenses in capturing one Johnson Ellis, charged with murder, who was tried and convicted and is now serving a life sentence in the penitentiary of this state;
Ways and means.
By Mr. Davis of Lamar—
H. 908. To compensate superintendents of townships and

other school districts over the age of forty-five years, for the enumeration of children within the educational age required by section 979 of the code of Alabama ;
Education.
By Mr. Guthrie—
H. 909. To prohibit the sale, giving away or otherwise disposing of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors at or within two miles of Homls Gap school house, in Cullman county ; Temperance;
Also,
H. 910. To amend an act to authorize the commissioners court of Etowah county and of the county of Cullman to lay off said county of Etowah and county of Cullman into four commissioners districts and to provide for the election of commissioners therein, so far as the same relates to Cull- man county;
Local legislation.
By Mr. Jackson—
H. 911. To prevent discrimination by common carriers ; Commerce and common carriers.
By Mr. Clanton—
H. 912. To confer certain privileges upon the Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis Railway company ;
Judiciary.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

By unanimous consent the following bills were reported favorably, from the committees, and severally read a second time and placed upon the calendar:
H. 825. For the relief of the estate of Mary W. Hunter;
H. 434. To authorize the commissioners court of Chilton county to issue bonds of said county to amount not to exceed twenty-five thousand dollars for the purpose of building a new court house for Chilton county;
H. 793. To make the 19th day of January of every year a legal holiday ;
H. 376. To create a separate school district of certain fractional townships in Dallas county;
H. 876. To authorize the commissioners courts of Choctaw and Clarke counties to establish districts in which stock may be prevented from running at large ;
H. 826. To change the name of Ashland Educational Company, and to grant additional powers ;

H. 366. To provide for a system of waterworks for the city of Sheffield, in Colbert county, Alabama;
H. 552. To provide a new charter for the town of Rus- sellville ;
H. 770. To amend the act to incorporate the city of Tus- kaloosa, approved March 12th, 1873, by amending section 1 of said act so as to extend the boundary lines of said city ; H. 680. To amend section 290 of code, so far as the same relates to Shelby county ;
H. 704. To incorporate the Pan-American Transportation Company, and to define its powers ;
H. 772. To confer upon the mayor of the city of Tuska- loosa jurisdiction concurrent with the county court of Tus- kaloosa, of the offenses of vagrancy, violations of Sunday laws, assaults, assaults and batteries, and affrays in which no stick or other weapon is used, abusive language, cruelty to animals, and public drunkenness, when committed in the corporate limits of the city of Tuskaloosa ;
H. 773. To authorize and empower the board of mayor and aldermen of the city of Tuskaloosa to issue bonds of said city, not to exceed thirty-three thousand dollars, for the pur- pose of taking up and refunding all outstanding bonds of said city, upon which eight per cent per annum is being paid as interest at the present time;
H. 822. Ratifying, confirming and amending the charter of the Commercial and Industrial Association of Montgom- ery, Alabama;
H. 811, To extend the jurisdiction of the notary publics and ex-officio justices of the peace in ward number four of the city of Anniston, so as to cover the corporate limits of the city of Anniston ;
s. 25. To require railroad companies to provide suitable water-closets on passenger cars or coaches, (with amend- ments ;
H. 630. To declare the Black Warrior river a navigable stream within the limits of Walker county, and to prohibit the obstruction of the same ;
H. 586. To amend section nine (9) of an act entitled an act to incorporate the Pensacola, Andalusia, Union Springs and Chattanooga Railroad Company, approved February 28th, 1889;
H. 636. To regulate the sale, barter or exchange of re- fined petroleum and kerosene oil for consumption within the State of Alabama, (with amendments);

H. 685. To refund license money to J. C[.] Bangham, of Tallapoosa county ;
H. 755. To refund to L. G. Cooper the sum of twenty dol- lars, being purchase money for certain land heretofore erro-neously sold him by the state;
H. 758. To amend section 2 of an act entitled an act to create a separate school district in Marion and Lamar coun- ties and to define the boundaries thereof, approved February 27th, 1889 ;
H. 587. To authorize executors and administrators to loan money;
On motion of Mr. Powell—
H. 587. To authorize executors and administrators to loan money,
Was taken from adverse report, and read a second time.
On motion of Mr. Clanton—
H. 498, was recommitted to the judiciary committee.
By unanimous consent special orders were set as follows: On motion of Mr. Long—
H. 177 was made a special order for January 29th, after reading the journal;
On motion of Mr. Foster—
s. 34 was made a special order for January 30th at 11 a. m.; On motion of Mr. Adams—
H. 719 was made a special order for January 30th, at 3 p. m.;
On motion of Mr. Long—
H. 631 was made a special order for 4 p. m. to-day.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr Speaker :
The senate has amended as therein shown, and as amended has passed, the bill
H. 72. To prevent the tying or staking out of any stock on or alongside of any public road;
And has originated and passed the bills :
s. 131. To amend section 1319 (1544) of the code ;
s. 120. To incorporate the city of Ashville, in St. Clair county, Alabama;
s. 259. To relieve George T. Preer, of Lee county, Ala- bama, of the disabilities of non-age;
s. 246. To authorize the mayor and aldermen of the city

of Huntsville to issue certain negotiable bonds to an amount not exceeding twenty thousand dollars;
s. 261. To amend sections two and seven of an act entitled "an act to constitute the city of Montgomery a separate school district;"
s. 271. To fix the times and places of holding the chancery courts in the Southwestern Chancery Division of the State of Alabama,
And has ordered the last named bill to the house without engrossment.

W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The house concurred in the senate amendment to
H. 72. To prevent the tying or staking out of any stock on or alongside of any public road,
Yeas 71, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Webb, Wood, Young.
The senate bills just received, whose titles are set forth in the above and foregoing message, were severally read once and referred to the committees as follows :
s. 131 to ways and means ;
s. 120, 246, 261 to corporations ;
s. 259 to judiciary;
s. 271 to special committee consisting of—
Messrs. Pettus, White, Lewis, Jones, Steele, and Judge.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The house proceeded to consided as unfinished business,

H. 16. To prevent the running of freight trains on Sun- day,
The pending question being the adoption of Mr. Quarles' amendment.
Mr. Lewis moved to indefinitely postpone the further con-sideration of the bill.
Pending consideration of Mr. Lewis' motion, the hour of 12 m. arrived, and the house proceeded to consider special orders set for that hour.

First.

s. 208. To fix the number of representatives in the house of representatives of the general assembly of this state, and to apportion them among the several counties of this state, The pending question being Mr. Clayton's amendment to give Barbour county three representatives.
By unanimous consent, Mr. Clayton offered the following resolution:
Resolved, 1st. That the consideration of the pending bill be postponed and made special order for Thursday next at 12 o'clock m.
2d. That a committee of five be appointed by the chair to consider the advisability of taking a new census of the state.
3d. That said committee be required to report on or be- fore 12 o'clock m., next Thursday.
Mr. Brown moved to lay the resolutions on the table;
Carried.
Yeas 64, nays 16.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Almon, Am- ason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Ayres, Bain, Bar- nett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Burford, Clanton, Cooper, Cornelius, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Finch, For- man, Foster, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris., Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Leslie, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Madison, Northington, Parks, Poole, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Smaw, Sparkman, Steele, Townsend of Limestone, Town- send of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young. Nays—Messrs. Avery, Buck, Clayton, Crews, Cox, Ed- wards, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Lee of Barbour, Lewis, Pettus, Powell, Quarles, Simmons, Sullivan

Mr. Clayton's amendment was lost.
Mr. Pettus' amendment was lost.
The bill was read the third time at length and passed— yeas 76, nays 4.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Almon, Am- ason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, David- son, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gil- christ, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hill, Hufham, Jackson. Johnson, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Northington, Parks, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.
Nays—Messrs. Jones. Lane, Pettus, Townsend of Lirne- stone.
Second.
H. 466. To regulate and give security to farm or planta- tion labor contracts.
On motion the following counties were stricken from the provision& of the bill: Calhoun, Cherokee and Perry.
Mr. Gilchrist moved to strike from the provisions of the bill the county of Montgomery.
Mr. Hill moved to table Mr. Gilchrist’s amendment.
Lost.
Pending consideration of the bill the hour of 1 p. m. ar- rived and the house adjourned to 3 p. m. to-day.

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AFTERNOON SESSION.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.
A quorum was present.
The house proceeded to consider

BILLS ON THIBD READING.

s. 60. To amend and extend the charter of the Gommer-

cial Bank of Selma, and lo amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the Selma Savings Company, approved December 10th, 1864, and an act entitled an act to amend the act to incorporate the Selma Savings company approved February 23, 1866, and an act entitled an act to change the name of the Selma Savings Company to the Selma Savings Bank, approved January 28th, 1870, and an act entitled an act to change the name of the Selma Savings Bank to the Commercial Bank of Selma, approved February 10th, 1879, Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 56, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Clanton, Clayton, Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lewis, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Parker, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Rather, Rousseau, Simmons, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Wilson, Young.

H. 602. For the relief of A. G. Franklin, ex-sheriff of the county of DeKalb, State of Alabama,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 53, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayers, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Gordon, Guthrie, Harris, Jackson, Johnson, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lewis, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Peacock, Purifoy, Quarles, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Waters, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 813. To provide for the levy, assessment and collection of taxes in the county of Chambers for the years 1891 and 1892,

The bill was amended and read the third time at length and passed—yeas 61, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Arm-

istead, Avery, Ayres. Bass, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Da-vidson, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Gordon, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Long, Loveless, Moore of Bald- win, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rousseau, Simmons, Smaw, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Whatley, Wood Wil- son, Young.

H. 631. To provide for a charter for the town of Carbon Hill, in Walker county, Alabama,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 58, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Alexander, Amason of Tallapoosa, Ap- pleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Gil-christ, Guthaie, Harrell, Harris, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lewis, Long, Love-less, Moore of Baldwin, Parks, Poole, Powell, Quarles, Ramsay, Rousseau, Sayre, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Spark-man, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.

H. 654. To authorize the mayor and councilmen of Brew- ton to issue bonds of said city, not exceeding twenty-five thousand dollars, for the purpose of putting in a system of water works, and making other permanent improvements in said city,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 57, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Burford, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris. Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Kemp, Langley, Love- less, Moore of Baldwin, Poole, Powell, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Simmons, Smaw, Sparkman, Steele, Sulli- van, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 448. To authorize the mayor and aldermen of the

town of Attalla, in Etowah county, to issue bonds of said town for the purpose of providing said town with gas or elec- tric lights and water, building and constructing sewers, building school houses, and to create a board of commission- ers to manage, control and invest the proceeds of said bonds, Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 57, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of La-mar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris. Henry, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Lane, Lee of Barbour, Longshore, Parks, Pettus, Powell, Rather, Rousseau, Smaw, Sparkman, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Cren-shaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 160. To allow the sheriff of Franklin county more time to summons jurors,

Was taken up.

And, on motion of Mr. Parks, the bill was amended so as to include Jackson county in its provisions, and

The bill was read the third time at length and passed— yeas 62, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Tal-lapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Ayres, Barnett, Bass, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Coleman, Cornelius, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leslie, Lewis, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons. Smaw, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauder- dale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood,Wi1son, Young. H. 450. To prevent hunting or fishing, entering upon, or trespassing upon certain lands on the Black Warrior river in Greene county, in townships twenty and twenty-one, and ranges two and three, east, after the owner or person in pos-session thereof shall have forbidden the same, by notice posted on the land, or by publication in a newspaper pub- lished in said county,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 58, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Barnett, Bass, Brewer, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Parks, Powell, Purifoy, Rather, Rousseau, Simmons, Smaw, Sparkman, Steele, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Cren-shaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wil- son, Young.
H. 839. To authorize the mayor and board of aldermen of the town of Eutaw to pass an ordinance regulating the business of selling, or offering for sale in said town, any sec- ond hand or pawn brokers goods, wares, and merchandise, and to fix a license, and a penalty for violations of same,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 59, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Bain, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Forman, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leslie, Lewis, Loveless, Northington, Parks, Powell, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rather, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Sparkman, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Wood, Wilson, Young.
H. 658. To amend the charter of the town of Greensboro, Alabama, and the acts amending the same,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 58, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Almon, Ama- son of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Edwards, Finch, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, John- son, Jones, Judge, Lee of Barbour, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Love-less, Parker, Parks, Pettus, Poole, Purifoy. Rather, Rous- seau, Scott, Smaw, Sparkman, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend

of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wil- son, Young.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

By his private secretary, Mr. Jackson.

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR.
MONTGOMERY,
January 28, 1891.

Gentlemen of the Senate and of the House of Representatives ;

I transmit hetewith a printed memorial to the Governor and the General Assembly of the State of Alabama, from George Wilkinson, receiver of the Newark Savings Institu- tion, who, as such, is the holder of one hundred bonds of the State of Alabama for one thousand dollars each, issued un- der an act approved March 3d, 1870, to "lend the credit of the State of Alabama to the Montgomery and Eufaula Rail- road Company for the purpose of expediting the construc- tion of its railroad wit.hin this state."

The memorial, with the affidavit attached, claims the ac-quisition of the bonds in conformity to the act of the legis-lature and in the utmost good faith, and argues against the reasons urged by a former committee of your honorable bod- ies for declining to investigate this claim.

It seems that these bonds are not provided for in the debt settlement, and, from the best information I can gather, were not presented to the commissioners for adjustment.

The memorialists pray for a commission to examine into the evidence and report whether these bonds were in fact fairly acquired, in good faith for value, and whether some just settlement ought not to be made with the memorialists therefor.

It seems to me that the state ought al|least investigate this claim, and that no injustice can be done it by an examina-tion before one of its own tribunals, into the merits of the claim. I, therefore, recommend that your honorable bodies authorize the attorney general to hear the memorialists and all other evidence that may be adduced, and report to the

next general assembly what disposition, in equity and justice, should be made of this claim.

THOS. G. JONES,
Governor.

Which, with the accompanying memorial, were referred to the committee on ways and means.

To the Governor and General Assembly of the State of Alabama :

George Wilkinson, as receiver of the Newark Savings Institution of Newark, New Jersey, respectfully shows to the Governor and General Assembly of Alabama that he is the holder of one hundred bonds of the State of Alabama for $1,000 each, executed and put in circulation by the State under the act approved March 3, 1870, entitled "An act to lend the credit of the State of Alabama to the Montgomery and Eufaula Railroad Company for the purpose of expediting the construction of its railroad within said State." Said act is found in the printed acts of 1869-70, pages 376, 377, and a copy thereof hereto attached.

The said one hundred bonds are held and owned by George Wilkinson as the receiver of the Newark Savings Institution of Newark, New Jersey, by which they were purchased from George Opdyke & Company, the agents of the Montgomery and Eufaula Railroad Company, at ninety (90) cents on the dollar and accrued interest.

That said bonds are part of an issue of three hundred bonds of $1,000 each issued by the State under said act and dated April 1, 1870, and payable January 1, 1900, with semi-annual interest coupons attached, at the rate of 8 per cent. per annum, payable on the first days of July and January of each year until January, 1900, when the principal becomes due.

That said bonds were executed, issued, and sold in strict conformity to the act; that they were listed on the New York Stock Exchange and thereby stamped as valid and meritorious securities in that market. They were purchased by said Savings Institution not as a speculation, but as an investment of the hard earnings of the poor confided to them for safe investment.

That George Opdyke & Company were at the time brokers dealing in public securities, and on the day of the purchase of the said one hundred bonds it also bought of him $60,-

000 of bonds of the city of Des Moines and $125,000 of bonds of Washington county, Illinois; that the purchase was made by Daniel Dodd, the president of the Newark Savings Institution, and contemporaneous entries were made in the books of the institution of the said purchase, which were all made in perfect good faith, relying upon the pledge of the faith and credit of the State of Alabama for the payment of said bonds and without any knowledge on the part of the said Dodd of any circumstances affecting the regularity of the issue of the said bonds.

That the State has paid all interest on said bonds, and the coupons therefor were cut off and surrendered up to January, 1873, but that since that date no interest has been paid and no provision whatever has been made by the State for its payment.

That the report of the commissioners to ascertain, adjust, and liquidate claims against the State of Alabama arising from bonds issued or endorsed by the State did not refer to the issue of bonds now under discussion, except to state its amount. As regards the bonds of the Montgomery and Eufaula Railroad Company and several other railroad companies mentioned in connection therewith, the report of the commissioners only referred to the fact that there was litigation then pending in the courts of this State and Tennessee of an important character, involving points of law that will in all probability very materially change the aspect of what is claimed as the liability of the State upon its endorsement of the bonds of those companies, and the commissioners expressed the hope in regard to such endorsements by the State that the litigation might result in convincing the holders of said endorsed bonds that their true interest would be best advanced by their acceptance of a transfer of the lien of the State, created by its statutes, and giving to the State a full discharge from those claims against it. This suggestion of the commissioners had reference only to railroad bonds endorsed by the State. In no way did the commissioners in their report question the validity and fairness of the issue of the straight bonds now under discussion. They simply left these bonds unquestioned claims against the State, if issued and sold in accordance with the terms of the act of March 3, 1870, without making any provision for the settlement thereof or any suggestion in regard thereto. Prior to the issue by the state of its bonds now under dis-

cussion it had endorsed 1,280 first-mortgage bonds of $1,000 each of the Montgomery and Eufaula Railroad Company. The holders of these bonds were subrogated to the statutory liens of the state. This was a superior lien upon the property of that company for an amount greater than the whole value of the property, as it appeared when it was afterwards sold under a judicial decree. Though the property was sold for more than its real value under that decree, or rather for more than what it would cost to complete a new road by its side, by reason of competmon for its control by other railroad companies, yet the proceeds were not sufficient to pay off the costs of the court and these endorsed bonds, with interest, together with a prior mortgage given to the state, which the state had before that time transferred to the South and North Alabama Railroad Company, amounting to about $60,000, and each holder of one endorsed bond got upwards of $1,500, on account of the principal and interest, on his bond of $1,000.

From the fact that all the property of the Montgomery and Eufaula Railroad Company was insufficient to satisfy prior liens, it is manifest that the commissioners never could have thought that the state should put off the holders of these straight bonds, purchased for full value, by the empty transfer of an inferior lien held by the state on property. completely cover d by prior liens already transferred by the state to other parties. That this litigation could not have been looked to by the commissioners as a means of satisfying these bonds is also apparent from the fact that the holders of such bonds were in no sense creditors of the Montgomery and Eufaula Railroad Company, nor could they have asserted any claim against the Montgomery and Eufaula Railroad Company or its property in the suit referred to. They were creditors of the State of Alabama alone. In all the cases named by the commissioners the holders of the bonds endorsed by the state got the whole property of the several raiload companies or the proceeds of the sale thereof, or else the state made settlement by the issuance of new bonds for the payment of some part of the bonds adjusted.

In other instances in which the state, under the constitution of 1867, had issued its straight bonds and loaned them to railroad companies for sale it has never denied its liability and has made some provision for its discharge. Of

all the bonds mentioned by the commissioners in their re- port, with the single exception of the bonds hereunder discussion, a settlement was suggested and effected in all instances where the state alone was the debtor, and in the cases where it was merely an endorser it relinquished in favor of the bondholders all security it held against the prin- cipals or their property or the courts held them subrogated to the state lien.

The state held $300,000 of the second-mortgage bonds of the Montgomery and Eufaula Railroad Company which were deposited in its treasury in exchange for the state bonds here under discussion ; these were never transferred to or even offered to the holders of the straight bonds, be- cause it was apparent that they were worthless. The report of the senate committee at their last session upon your peti-tioner's memorial to it sets out that no suit was brought by the holders of said bonds prior lo the constitution of 1875, which became operative December 6, 1875, though more than three years had elapsed before that date since interest had been paid on said bonds, and that suit might have been brought within that time.

The committee which made that report were perhaps ignorant that no law has ever existed in Alabama prior to the adoption of the constitution of 1875 under which a citi- zen of another state could sue the state in its courts.

Another ground relied upon by the committee for its ad- verse report was substantially that the body of men con-stituting the general assembly of the state were legislated into power by an act of the federal congress and held in their usurped places by the might of federal arms ; that this body of men was composed (with a few worthy exceptions) of aliens, adventurers, and ignorant negroes, and that it is a fact of historical notoriety that their general conduct was violative of every characteristic or principle of represenla- tive responsibility.

Your memorialist submits that the constitution of 1867, under which the legislature which passed the act of March 30 was elected, has been recognized as of binding force up to the lime of the adoption of the constitution of 1875, by every department of the government of the State of Ala- bama—legislative, executive, and judicial.

The committee also objected to the recognition of these bonds for the reason, as it asserted, that they were procured

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through bribery by the officers of the Montgomery and Eu- faula Railroad Company of some of the members of the legislature, and because at a public meeting held in the capi- tol city of Montgomery at the close of the session of the legislature its acts were denounced as dangerous and ruin- ous to the finances of the state.

Chief Justice Marshall as long ago as 1810 declared that there was no judicial power of inquiry into the motives by which the members of the state legislature were actuated in the performance of a public duty under which private rights had become vested. In this case there is, besides, no evi- dence that if the act was obtained by bribery that the pur- chaser was at all aware of it. We submit that the real ques- tion between the holder of the bonds the subject of this me- morial and the general assembly of Alabama is whether the state was ever liable for these bonds or has been absolved from the obligation contracted by its government under the constitution of 1867. The convention which framed the con-stitution of 1875 was called, elected, and held under a law passed by the legislature held in 1874-'75 under the con- stitution of 1867, and this convention recognized the con- stitution of 1867 as of binding authority while George S. Houston was the governor and when every department of the government was in the hands of the democracy. The supreme court has fixed the time when the government went into operation under the constitution as the 25th day of June, 1868, and the present chief justice declared that the constitution then became first obligatory on all the citizens of Alabama. (Mayor of Mobile vs. Irwin, 57 Ala. Reports.) Thus the constitution of 1867 and the government thereunder has received the sanction of every branch of the present state government, and has been declared to be of binding force on it. The memorialist files herewith an affidavit made by Daniel Dodd, a copy of which is attached, which sets forth that at the time of the purchase of the said bonds by him as president of the Newark Savings Institution he had never heard of any circumstance impugning their credit. The fact that he purchased them at the price limited in the act, in the exercise of his trust as president of such an insti- tution, is persuasive to show that he could never have heard of anything to discredit them.

Your memorialist respectfully prays for the appointment of a commission to examine into the evidence and report

whether these bonds were in fact acquired fairly and in good faith, for value, by the said Dodd, and whether some just settlement should not be made with memorialist therefor.

No. 296.

AN ACT to lend the credit of the State of Alabama to the Montgomery and Eufaula Railroad Company, for the purpose of expediting the construction of its railroad within said state.

Whereas, The multiplication of the means of transportation by railway from the central and other portions of Alabama to the best harbors or ports of the Atlantic is essential to the reduction of the high rates which still prevail for trans-portation between the points above indicated;

Whereas, The railroad of the Montgomery and Eufaula Railroad Company will increase the facilities and reduce. the price of transportation between said points, and thus contribute materially to the welfare and prosperity of the people of Alabama;

Whereas, The considerable portion of said railroad must necessarily be constructed through one of the best agricultural regions of the earth, but which is a region of prairie, requiring extraordinary expense in the construction and maintenance of a railroad ; therefore,

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Alabama, That the governor of this state be, and he is hereby, authorized and required to loan to the Montgomery and Eufaula Railroad Company above mentioned, for the purpose of expediting the construction of the railroad of said company, three hundred thousand dollars in the bonds of this state, payable in not less than fifteen nor more than thirty years from their date, bearing interest at the rate of eight per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually, in the city of New York, upon the execution and delivery to the governor by said railroad company of its second-mortgage bonds for the like amount, and with like interest; the interest on these second-mortgage bonds to be payable in every instance at the treasury of this state, at least fifteen days before the corresponding in-terest on the said state bonds is payable ; which said second-mortgage bonds shall constitute a lien upon all the property and franchises of said railroad company, and the acceptance of this loan shall bind the said railroad company never to ap-

ply for any further aid from this state than is provided for by the laws now existing ; Provided, That the bonds issued under the provisions of this act shall not be sold for a less amount, than ninety cents on the dollar.

SEC. 2. Be it further enacted, That the said Montgomery and Eufaula Railroad Company shall provide a sinking fund for the liquidation of the principal of this loan, the same, and in the same manner, and upon the same terms as are now required by the general laws providing for the state in-dorsement of the bonds of the several railroad companies in this state.

SEC. 3. Be it furth enacted, That the said Montgomery and Eufaula Railroad Company, before receiving any of the benefits of this act, shall furnish to the governor undoubted and satisfactory security for the faithful application of the bonds, or proceeds thereof, to the further construction and equipment of the said Montgomery and Eufaula railroad.

SEC. 4. Be it further enacted, That before receiving any of the bonds provided for in this act the said Montgomery and Eufaula Railroad Company shall execute a good and sufficient bond, with undoubted personal security, condi- tioned that said railroad of said company shall be completed to the city of Eufaula, Barbour county, by the first day of October, A. D. 1871.

Approved March 3, 1870.

Affidavit of Daniel Dodd.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
County of Essex, } ss :

DANIEL DODD, of Newark, New Jersey, being duly sworn deposeth and saith that in the year 1870 he was, and for many years previously had been, the president of the New- ark Savings Institution, incorporated by the state of New Jersey, an institution with large deposits and financial re- sources ; that in the year 1870 said institution found great difficulty in making local investments of its large amounts, and such investments were sought in the bonds of states, cities, and counties in good credit; that purchases of such bonds were made by this deponent for said institution from many brokers and bankers in New York city; among others, from George Opdyke & Co.; that said institution had no

agent other than its own officers to make said purchases ; that on or about the 10th day of October, 1870, as appears by the books of said institution, this deponent, having great confidence in the financial condition and reputation of the State of Alabama, being certified by said George Opdyke of the absolute value and security of their bonds, and that said state had always, even during the war and up to that time, paid the interest on their bonds and their principal when due, purchased as said president, for said institution, one hun- dred thousand dollars of the bonds of said state issued in aid of the Montgomery and Eufaula Railroad Company from said George Opdyke & Co., paying therefor ninety thousand dollars, besides twenty-two hundred and thirteen dollars and sixty-nine cents for accrued interest on the same ; that the members of said firm, as far as this deponent remembers, were then the said George Opdyke and one Stevens and one Blennerhassett; that he dealt in said purchase with said Opdyke, the said other members joining in the conversation and recommending the said bonds ; that on the same day he purchased for the same purpose, from the same parties and in the same manner, $60,000, of the bonds of the city of Des Moines, in Iowa. On the the 13th of said October he also purchased from them, in the same manner, $100,000 of bonds of the city of Montgomery, Alabama, and at various other times purchased from them various other bonds and securities ; that said securities were so bought from them in our usual course of business, but they were in no sense our agents in making said purchases.

And deponent further saith that said Alabama bonds were numbered from 25 to 100, and 214 to 237, of $1,000 each ; that at the time of said purchase he had never heard that the validity of said bonds had been or would be questioned nor that any meeting had been held in Alabama or else- where denouncing or questioning said bonds or intimating that they had been procured by fraud from the state, or issued irregularly or fraudulently, nor that any publication to that effect had been made through the press or otherwise; that in 1870, or soon after, one Farley, a son in-law of said Opdyke, became a member of said firm, but as to the condi- tion or present address of the various members of said firm this deponent has no knowledge.

DAN'L DODD.

Sworn and subscribed at Newark, N. J., before me this 11th October, 1870.
Richard WAYNE PARKER,
Master in Chancery and Supreme Court Commissioner
for and in the State of New Jersey.
On motion special orders were made as follows:
H. 435, to-morrow at 11:30 a. m.,
H. 352, January 31st immediately after reading the jour- nal,
H. 152 January 31, after disposmon of H. 352.

OATH OF OFFICE.

Mr. Lane called the attention of the speaker to the fact that Mr. Moore of Madison was in the hall of the house; whereupon Mr. Moore was called to the bar of the house, presented his credentials, and the oath of office was adminls- tered to him by the speaker.
The hour of 5 p. m. arrived and the house adjourned till to-morrow at 9 a. m.

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THIRTY-FOURTH DAY.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
THURSDAY, Jan. 29, 1891.
The house met pursuant to adjournment.
Prayer by Rev. Mr. Brown of the city.
A quorum was present.
The journal of yesterday was read and approved.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Was granted to Messrs. Coleman and Foster for one day. By unanimous consent Mr. Brown called up H. 512 and it was made a special order for 12 o'clock m. to-day.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

H. 16. To prevent the running of freight trains on Sun- day.
Mr. Lewis' motion to indefinitely portpone the further consideration of the bill was carried;
Yeas 43, nays 40.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Amason of Sumter, Avery, Ayres, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clayton, Davis of Lamar, Gilchrist, Gordon, Harrell, Hill, Judge, Kelly, Line, Lee of Conecuh, Lewis, Ling, Meador, Moore of Baldwin. Moore of Madison, Pettus, Poole, Purifoy, Rather, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Whatley, White, Young.
Nays—Messrs. Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Arm- istead, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Clanton, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Guthrie, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Loveless, North-ington, Parks, Peacock, Powel!, Quarles, Ramsay, Rousseau, Smith of Dallas, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike. Wood, Wilson.

SPECIAL ORDERS.

FIRST.

H. 177. To declare conditional sales of personal property void unless in writing, and to require that such sales be re- corded in order to be valid as against purchasers for value and judgment creditors without notice, and to regulate the recording of the same,
Was taken up.
On motion of Mr. Smith of Russell, the bill was indefi- nite postponed.

SECOND.

H. 466. To regulate and give security to farm or plan- tation labor contracts ;
Was taken up.
Mr. Hill moved to amend by adding Montgomery county to the provisions of the bill;
Lost.

Mr. Amason of Sumter, offered the following amendment: "Sec. 1. Amend by striking out in the 3d line the words 'without a good and legal excuse,' and insert the words 'with the intent to injure or defraud.'
"Sec. 2. Amend by striking out in the second line after the word 'same' the words 'without a good and legal excuse,' and insert the words 'with the intent to injure or defraud.' "
Adopted.
Mr. Adams moved to table the bill and amendments ;
Lost.
The substitute was adopted.
Mr. Almon moved to amend by striking out of the provi- sions of the bill Cleburne county ;
Adopted;
And the bill was read the third time at length and lost— yeas 31, nays 35.
Teas—Messrs. Alexander, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Bain, Bass, Brown, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Hill, Hufham, Jackson, Jones, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Conecuh, Lewis, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madi- son, Peacock, Pettus, Simmons, Smith of Russell, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Watters, Whatley.
Nays—Messrs. Adams, Almon, Barnett, Burford, Clayton, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Lane, Lee of Barbour, Long, North- ington, Parks, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

THIRD.

H. 435. To provide for an additional judge of the supreme court of Alabama,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 51, nays 32.
Yeas—Messrs. Amason of Sumter, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Gilchrist, Henry, Hill, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Parks, Pettus, Powell, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Smaw, Smith of

Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Town- send of Limestone, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White.
Nays—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Bain, Bass, Burford, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, North- ington, Peacock, Poole. Purifoy, Ramsay, Thrasher, Town- send of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wood, Wilson, Young.

FOURTH.

H. 612. To amend section 4641 of the Code,
Was taken up.
Mr. Brewer offered the following amendment:
"Strike out section 3."
Adopted.
The bill was read the third time at length and passed— yeas 65, nays 3.
yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bishop, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leslie, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Bald-win, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.
Nays—Messrs. Gordon, Long, Townsend of Pike.

FIFTH.

H. 562. To establish in this state a school for the educa- tion of the deaf mute and blind children of the colored race. The bill was amended,
And was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 61, nays 3.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Almon, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bass, Bishop, Brewer, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox,

Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Jones, Judge, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Lewis, Long, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

Nays—Messrs. Amason of Tallapoosa, Bain, Kemp.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker:
The senate has passed the following bills :
H. 445. To constitute the town of Attalla a separate school district, and to provide for the management of the public schools of said district;
H. 338. To provide for the payment for the publication of the laws of a general and public character passed at the sec- ond silting of the session of 1888-89 of the general assembly of Alabama;
And has adopted a joint resolution herewith sent request- ing the return by the governor of senate bill 24.

W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE.

On motion, the senate joint resolution with reference to s. 24, was concurred in.

BILLS ON FIRST READING.

Bills were introduced, read severally the first time, and referred to appropriate committees, as follows:
By Mr. Longshore—
H. 913. To regulate the trials of misdemeanors in Shelby county, Alabama;
Corporations.
Also,
H. 914. To provide for and regulate the sale of spirituons, vinous or malt liquors in the corporate limits of the city of Calera, Shelby county, Alabama ;
Temperance.

Also,
H. 915. For the relief of Felicia B. Adkins, of Shelby county, Alabama;
Corporations.
By Mr. Clanton—
H. 916. To provide for the establishment and working of the public roads in this state;
Public roads and highways.
By Mr. Rather—
H. 917. To establish the district court of Colbert and Lauderdale counties;
Revision of laws.
By Mr. Crews—
H. 918. To amend section 3017 of the code;
Judiciary.
By Mr. Clayton—
H. 919. To carry into effect the provisions of sections 21 and 22, and article 14 of the constitution of the State of Ala- bama, and to correct abuses and prevent unjust discrimina- tion and extortion in the rates of freights on the railroads of the state;
Judiciary.
By Mr. Purifoy—
H. 920. To authorize and require the governor to com- mence and prosecute proceedings to vacate the charter of the Selma and Pensacola railroad, formerly known as the Selma and Gulf railroad, unless the owners of said railroad shall complete the same within two years after the passage of this act ;
Revision of laws.
By Mr. Avery—
H. 921. To protect and regulate the manner of catching and taking of fish in any of the creeks of Hale county, with- in a certain distance from where said creeks empty in the Warrior river;
Local legislation.
By Mr. Cooper—
H. 922. To better provide for the prompt payment of wages due mechanics and day laborers from contractors for work and labor done in the construction of buildings;
Local legislation.
By Mr. Powell—
H. 923. To amend section one of an act approved Janu-

ary 16, 1879, and entitled an act to amend an act entitled an act to amend section twelve of an act to establish a new charter for the town of Union Springs, Alabama, approved February 1st, 1876;
Judiciary.
By Mr. Avery—
H. 924. To amend section 959, Article III of the Code of Alabama ;
Revision of laws.
By Mr. Jones—
H. 925. To authorize and empower A. J. Moses, as ad-minstrator of the estate of A. F. Flinn, deceased, to sell certain lots in the city of Sheffield belonging to said estate, for the purpose of division among the widow and heirs at-law of said estate ;
Local legislation.
By Mr. Moore of Madison—
H. 926. To amend section 1393 of the code ofAlabama ; Revision of laws.
By Mr. Leslie—
H. 927. To constitute the city of Dothan, in Henry county, a separate school district, and to provide for the management of the public schools in said district;
Corporations ;
Also,
H. 928. To prohibit the sale, giving away, or otherwise disposing of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, or other intoxicating beverages, within six miles of Shorterville Baptist church, in Henry county ;
Temperance.
By Mr. Cornelius—
H. 929. To establish a separate school district in Cherokee county, and to define the boundaries thereof;
Education.
By Mr. Harrell—
H. 930. To authorize the sale of liquor at Walker's store, in beat 8, in the county of Butler;
Temperance.
By Mr. Howle—
H. 931. To equalize the disbursement of the school fund ; Education.
By Mr. Lane—
H. 932. To regulate and define the fees and compensation

of judges of probate in certain cases and for certain services; Judiciary.
By Mr. Townsend of Limestone—
H. 933. To amend section 3931 of the code;
Local legislation.
By Mr. Sayre—
H. 934. To authorize the recording and filing of certain deeds of conveyance therein named in the office of the probate court of the state ;
Revision of laws;
Also, (by request),
H. 935. To authorize the governor to purchase and pay for certain volumes of Alabama Reports, as reprinted by T. R. Parks, of Atlanta, Georgia, and provide for the custody thereof;
By Mr. Judge—
H. 936. To provide for the collection of a license on transient persons doing business as merchants in the county of Greene, and defining who are transient merchants within the meaning of this act;
Judiciary.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

The following bills were reported favorably from the com-mittees, read the second time severally, and placed upon the calendar:
H. 670. To remove the disabilities of non-age of John S. Pollard, a minor ;
H. 672. To amend section 7 of an act entitled an "act to regulate the mode of selecting, drawing and impanneling grand and petit jurors for the county of Mobile," approved February 20, 1883 ;
H. 905. To change the name of Thomas H. Perry to Thomas H. Hall;
H. 794. To amend sections ten and seven of an act entitled an act to Constitute the city of Montgomery a separate school district;
H. 802. To incorporate the Montgomery Manufacturers' Aid and Improvement Company ;
H. 861. To amend paragraph one of section 968 of the code of Alabama;
H. 879. To declare certain lands in Greene county, in this

state, now belonging to T. W. Cobb, Mary Cobb, Mary E. Walker and Armenia J. Upchurch, a district in which stock shall be prevented from running at large, and to provide that the provisions of an act entitled an act to authorize the commissioners court of Greene county to establish districts in which stock may be prevented from running at large, ap- proved February 17, 1885, shall be applicable to said dis- trict;

H. 837. To make the fees of bonded constables in the county of Choctaw the same as the sheriffs fees, when they perform the same or similar service ;

H. 175. To reduce and fix the salaries of circuit solicitors and for the county solicitor of Montgomery in this state;

H. 860. For the relief of Wm. B. Morgan, of Jefferson county ;

H. 633. To regulate the convict system of Alabama;

H. 676. To prevent the selling, giving away, or procuring for another, or aiding another person in procuring, within the town of Marion, Perry county, or within five miles thereof, any vinous, spirituous or malt liquors, or intoxica- ting drinks, bitters or beverages, or fruit preserved in alco- hol or alcoholic liquors, except for sacramental purposes, or by persons at their private residences using the same in their families;

H. 622. To amend sections 4068 and 4069 of the code of Alabama;

H. 654. To authorize the mayor and councilmen of Brew ton to issue bonds of said city for an amount not exceeding twenty-five thousand dollars, for the purpose of putting in a system of water works, and making other permanent im-provements in said city ;

H. 148. To amend an act to establish the city court of Anniston, approved February 25, 1889, by amending certain sections thereof;

H. 873. To require the money paid by all persons for state and county licenses to retail liquor in the year 1889, to be refunded to such persons, or their legal representatives, when the use of such licenses were prevented by the pro- hibitory acts of the legislature ;

H. 210. To receive and appropriate the money granted to the State of Alabama by the act of Congress, approved August 30, 1890, entitled an act, to apply a portion of the proceeds of the public lands to the more complete endow-

7, and 232, to corporations ;

s. 341, and 247, to local legislation;

ment and support of the colleges for the benefit of agricul- ture and the mechanic arts, and for other purposes, (with substitute);
H. 846. To provide for the disposition of certain swamp and overflowed lands and swamp and overflowed indemnity lands belonging to the state, and to provide for the appro- priation of the moneys arising therefrom;
H. 504. To regulate the apportionment of the school funds in this state by the superintendent of education;
H. 561. To amend section 2512 of the code of Alabama.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker:
The senate has originated and passed the following bills:
B. 287. To ratify and confirm the charter of the Lady Ens- ley Goal, Iron and Railroad Company;
s. 341. To relieve Helen E. Lewis of Hale county of the disabilities of non-age;
s. 173. To repeal section 3463 and 3464 of the code of Alabama of 1886;
s. 247. To incorporate the Cotton States Telephone and Telegraph Company;
8. 204. To regulate trials by juries in the county courts of Clarke and Tuskaloosa counties ;
8. 232. To authorize the intendant and councilmen of the town of Highlands in the county of Jefferson to issue bonds of said town for an amount not exceeding seventy-five thou- sand ($75,000) dollars, for the purpose of building and con-structing sewers, and making other permanent improvements in said town, and paying off floating debt of said town ;
And has adopted a joint resolution herewith sent relative to requesting the return by the governor of senate bill 46.

W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The senate bills just received the titles of which are set out in the foregoing senate message were severally read one time and referred to appropriate committees as follows:
s. 287, and 232, to corporations ;
s. 341, and 247, to local legislation;

7, and 232, to corporations ;
s. 341, and 247, to local legislation;

s. 173, to revision of laws;
s. 204, to judiciary.
On motion the senate joint resolution in reference to
s. 46. was concurred in.

REPORT FROM COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Speaker:
The committe on enrolled bills report the following bill and joint resolution correctly enrolled:
H. 72. To prevent the tying or staking out of any stock in or along side of any public road ;
Joint resolution : That the thanks of the General Assem- bly of Alabama, be, and they are hereby tendered to the General Assembly of Illinois for its refusal to table or refer the joint resolution, on yesterday, expressing condemnation of the so-called “Force or Elections Bill” now pending in our national congress.

C. C. RATHER,
Chairman.

SIGNING OF BILLS.

The speaker of the house, in the presence of the house, immediately after their titles had been publicly read by the clerk, signed the bill and joint resolution the titles of which are set out in the foregoing report of committee on enrolled bills.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

By his private secretary, Mr. Jackson.

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR,
MONTGOMERY, Jan.29, 1891.

To the House of Representatives:
In compliance with joint resolution, certified to me this day, I herewith return to the house, senate bill 24.

THOS. G. JONES,
Governor.

Mr. Lewis moved that the vote by which
Senate bill 24 passed the house be reconsidered, and pending consideration
The house at 1 p. m. adjourned till 3 p. m, to-day.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.
A quorum was present.
The house proceeded to consider

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

H. 685. To refund license money to J. C. Baugham of Tal-lapoosa county;
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 55, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Gilchrist, Harrell, Harris, Howle, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Leslie, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rousseau, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.
H. 324. To incorporate the Fayette Alliance Union at Fayette, Fayette county, Alabama,
Was taken up,
Mr. Davis of Fayette, offered an amendment which was adopted,
And the bill was read a third time and passed—yeas 54, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Bain, Bass, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lang- ley, Leslie, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Northington, Parks, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Quarles, Bamsay, Rather, Rousseau, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Rus- sell, Steele, Townsend of Limestone, Watters, Webb, What- ley, Wood, Wilson, Young.
H. 664. To legalize the purchase of a ferry across the Chattahoochee river by the town of Columbia in Henry
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county, Alabama, and to authorize said town to run or ope- rate the same,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 52, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Appleton, Armistead, Bain, Bar- nett, Bass, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Clanton, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle,Jones,Kelly,Keinp,Lang1ey,Leslie,Longshore,Love-less, Meador, Moor& of Baldwin, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Pow- ell, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Screws, Simmons, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Thrasher, Townsend of Lime tone, Wade, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.
H. 534. For the relief of Susie Rudder, a teacher of the public school in township 2, range 8, in Jackson county,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 53, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Bain, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Screws, Smith of Russell, Spark- man, Steele, Thrasher, Webb, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wil- son, Young.
.H. 279. To create a board of education for the city of Bessemer, and to prescribe the powers and duties of the same,
Was read the third time at length and passed—Yeas 54, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Bain, Bass, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Cooper, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Howle, John- son, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Leslie, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Thrash- er, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.
H. 275. To repeal an act entitled an act relating to the

working of male convicts sentenced to hard labor for the county of Jefferson upon the public roads of said county,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 54, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Bain, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Northington, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.
H. 758. To amend section 2 of an act entitled an act to create a separate school district in Marion and Lamar counties and to define the boundaries thereof, approved February 27, 1889,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 53, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Bain, Brewer, Buck, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Northington, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Ramsay, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Wade, "Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.
H. 490. To prohibit the selling, bartering, exchanging, or giving away spirituous, vinous, malt liquors, intoxicating bitters or beverages in Mitchell's beat, number one, Lauderdale county, Alabama,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 53, nays 0.
Nays—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Bain, Bass, Brewer, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Howle, Johnson, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Long, Loveless, Mead-or, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Peacock, Pettus,

Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rather, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 366. To provide for a system of water works for the city of Sheffield, Colbert county, Alabama,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 53, nays 9.

Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Bain, Bass, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Howle, Langley, Lewis, Long, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Parks, Peacock, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Lime- stone, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

Nays—Messrs. Brewer, Gilchrist, Johnson, Longshore, Northington, Powell, Smith of Dallas, Watters, Whatley.

s. 116. To regulate the trial of misdemeanors in Lawrence county,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 53, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Amason of Sum- ter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Bain, Bass. Brown, Buck, Clanton, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Gordon, Guth- rie, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Parks, Peacock, Rather, Rous- seau, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Wat- ters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.

H. 644. To incorporate the town of Leighton, in the coun- ties of Lawrence, Alabama,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 55, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Amason of Sum- ter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Bain, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Gordon, Guthrie, Harris, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Leslie, Lewis, Longshore, Meador, Northing-

Ton, Parks, Peacock, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

s. 20. To change the time of electing the commissioners of Lee county,

Was taken up.

ON motion of Mr. Bass the bill was amended,

And was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 58, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Bain, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis, of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harris, Howle, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Leslie, Lewis, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

By his private secretary Mr. Jackson:

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR,
MONTGOMERY, January 29, 1891.

To the House of Representatives:

In compliance with joint resolution certified to me this day, I herewith return to the house, senate bill 46.

THOS. G. JONES,
Governor.

At 5 p. m. the house adjourned till 9 a. m, to-morrow.

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THIRTY-FIFTH DAY.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
FRIDAY, Jan. 30, 1891.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Cumming of the city.

A quorum was present.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

Was granted to Messrs. Forman, Alexander, Parker, Lee of Conecuh, and Foster, indefinitely ;
To Mr. Moore of Baldwin till Monday next;
To Mr. Hufham for two days ;
To Messrs. Webb and Coleman for one day.

SPECIAL ORDERS.

The house proceeded to consider as special order,
H. 577. To provide for the payment of the salaries of the judges of probate in this state, and to provide for the payment of the fees and perquisites of their respective offices, into the county treasury of the respective counties, to be applied to the payment of their respective salaries, for such clerical aid, or payments for recording in their respective offices which shall be absolutely necessary for the successful management of their respective offices, and to apply the remainder of the fees and perquisites of said office to the public school fund of the state.
Mr. Kelly moved to amend the bill by exempting Mobile, Russell, Greene, Perry, Bullock, Colbert, Choctaw, Montgom- ery, Lowndes, Marion, Marengo, Franklin, Lamar, Hale, Randolph, Dallas, Jefferson, Lauderdale, Jackson, Autauga, Cleburne and Walker countiesfrom its provisions.
Mr. Smaw moved to lay the bill and amendment on the table;
Lost;
Yeas 30, nays 48.
Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Avery, Ayres, Brown, Buck, Bur— ford, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Gil- christ, Henry, Hill, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Lewis, Poole, Powell, Rather, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Tucker of Lauderdale, Whatley, Wood, Young.
Nays—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Edwards, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Howle, Jackson, Kemp, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Madison, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Watters, White, Wilson.

Mr. Brewer moved to re-commit the bill to the committee on fees and salaries;
Carried.

Second.

H. 576. To pay probate judges in this state salaries instead of fees and perquisites for their service;
Which, on motion, was re-committed to the committee on fees and salaries.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker:
The senate has amended, as therein shown, and as amended has passed the bills:
H. 657. To establish a district in Limestone county in which it shall be unlawful for hogs, sheep and goats to run at large;
H. 225. To protect and regulate the time and manner of catching and taking fish from and in the waters of the state of Alabama in the counties of Mobile and Baldwin ;
H. 87. To amend section 2 and paragraphs 5, 7, 9, 10 and 13,and section 4 and sections 9 and 10 of an act entitled "An act to provide for a charter for the city of Jasper in Walker county, Alabama," approved February 5th, 1889 ;
H. 207. To change and fix the rule of descents and distri- bution in this state as to persons dying intestate, who leave no widow or children, or their descendants, but who leave parents surviving them;
And has passed the bills;
H. 91. To levy a state and county tax on peddlers of clocks;
H. 300. To repeal an aci entitled an act to establish an in- ferior court for Cullman county, approved March 1, 1881;
H. 230. To amend sub-division 11 of section 453 of the code;
H. 335. To amend an act to prohibit the sale, giving away or disposing of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors for gain in beat one, Lee county, Alabama, and to provide for an election therein, approved February 28th, 1887;
H. 374. To amend section 4 of an act entitled an act to more effectually secure competent and well qualified jurors in

the several counties of this state, with the exception that the provisions of this act sha,l not apply to the counties of Henry, Mobile, Dallas, Talladega, Clay, Marengo, Cherokee, Etowah, St. Clair, Coffee, Dale, Geneva, Marshall and Montgomery, ap-proved February 28th, 1887, so far as the same relates to the county of Marion;
H.37. To prevent, the cutting of timber, rolling logs or throw-ing bushes into any of the running streams in Jackson and Fayette counties;
H. 373½. To repeal an act entitled an act to repeal section 4031 of the revised code of 1867, so far as the same relates to the county of Geneva;
H. 251. To amend an act entitled an act for the protection of plantations and crops within certain limits in Lauderdale county;
H. 331. To reduce the fees of probate judges in certain cases in the county of Lamar;
H. 164. To establish a separate school district to be known as China Grove school district in Hale county;
H. 314. To establish the Cleveland school district in Blount county;
H. 358. To incorporate Brewton Collegiate Institute;
H. 104. To authorize the court of county commissioners of Fayette county to issue the bonds of said county for an amount not exceeding twenty thousand dollars for the purpose of building a court house and jail in said county;
A. 320. To amend and revise the charter of the town of Piedmont.

W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The house concurred in the senate amendments to the fol-lowing bills:
H. 657. To establish a district in Limestone county in which it shall he unlawful for hogs, sheep and goats to run at large;
Yeas 64, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford. Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of

Fayette, Edwards, Finch, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Lewis Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Parks, Peacock, Powell Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rousseau, Screws, Smaw, Sul- livan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Watters, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

Also,

H. 87. To amend section 2 and paragraphs 5, 7, 9, 10 and 13, and section 4 and sections 9 and 10 of an act entitled an act to provide for a charter for the city of Jasper, in Walker county, Alabama, approved February 6th, 1889 ;

Yeas 56, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayers, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Brown, Burford, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Gilchrist, Harris, Hill, Howle, Johnson, Jones, Lane, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Screws, Smith of Russell, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauder- dale, Webb, Whatley, Wood Wilson, Young.

Also,

H. 207. To change and fix the rule of descents, and distribu-tions in this state as to persons dying intestate who leave no widow or children or their descendants but who have par- ents surviving them;

Yeas 61, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Bar-nett, Bass, Bishop, Brewer, Burford, Clayton, Cooper, Cor- nelius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Finch, Gilchrist, Gordon, Henry, Hill, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rousseau, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauder- dale, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

Also, in the second senate amendment to

H. 225. To protect and regulate the time and manner of

catching and taking fish from and in the waters of the state of Alabama in the counties of Mobile and Baldwin;
Yeas 54, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Buck, Clayton, Cooper, Crews, David- son of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Gordon, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Northington; Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Sim-mons, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Watters, Wilson, Young.
And non-concurred in the first and third senate amendments to H. B. 225.

BILLS ON FIRST READING.

Bills were introduced, severally read one time and referred to the appropriate committees as follows:
By Mr. Screws—
H. 937. For the relief of the Ladies' Memorial Association of Montgomery;
Public buildings and institutions.
By Mr. Simmons, (by request, with petition)—
H. 938. To prevent horses, mules, asses, cows, hogs, sheep and goats from running uncontrolled in beat No. 9, Macon county, and to prescribe a rule of damages and rules of pro-tection in the trial of cases under this act;
Agriculture.
By Mr. Brewer—
H. 939. To amend sub-division 28 of section 629 of the code of Alabama;
Revision of laws. By Mr. Avery—
H. 940. To provide for the payment of costs of appeal in criminal cases;
Penitentiary and criminal administration.
By Mr. Rather—
H. 941. To establish a new charter for the city of Sheffield, in the county of Colbert, state of Alabama;
Corporations.
By Mr. Henry—
H. 942. To provide for the disbursement of the poll-tax;
Ways and means.

Also,
H. 943. To authorize the city of Birmingham and the county of Jefferson to provide an armory for the military companies of said city;
Military.
Also,
H. 944. To prescribe and regulate the purchase of supplies for the several county offices, court house, jail, almshouse, and convict camp of Jefferson county ;
Judiciary.
By Mr. Tucker of Lauderdale—
H. 945. To amend sections 7, 10 and 20 of an act entitled an act to create a new charter for the city of Florence, Alabama, approved February 28th, 1889 ;
Corporations.
By Mr. Lewis, (with notice and proof)—
H. 946. For the relief of James H. Simms;
Revision of laws.
By Mr. Whatley, (with petition)—
H. 947. To amend an act entitled an act to prevent stock from running at large in heats 7, 1, 2 and 13, in Chambers county, approved February 27th, 1889, be amended so as to include beat 4 in said county;
Agriculture.
By Mr. Purifoy—
H. 948. To amend section 2640 of the code;
Revision of laws.
By Mr. Parks—
H. 949. To authorize and empower the board of trustees of the Scottsboro college and Normal school to sell and convey the property and franchises of said institution ;
Education.
By Mr. Buck—
H. 950. To establish the local weights of agricultural property in this state;
Agriculture.
By Mr. Townsend of Pike (by request)—
H. 951. To provide for the payment of a clerk of the state board of health;
Public health.
By Mr. Watters—
H. 952. To amend section 510 of the code, so far as the same relates to Choctaw county ;
Revision of laws.

By Mr. Gilchrist—
H. 953. For the relief of Gay, Hardie and Co.;
Ways and means.
By Mr. Sayre—
H. 954. To change the time of holding the July term of the city court of Montgomery ;
Revision of laws.
By Mr. Sullivan, (by request)—
H. 955. To amend section. 2543 of the code of Alabama;
Revision of laws.
By Mr. Clanton—
H. 956. To provide for the change of railway stations and station bouses, and for suitable and comfortable passenger train service on the adjudgment of the railroad commissioners;
Commerce and common carriers.
By Mr. Cooper, (by request)
H. 957. To repeal subdivision 6, of section 627 of the code of 1886;
Ways and means.
By Mr. Brown—
H. 958. To incorporate the East Lake Water and Electric Company, and to confer upon said company certain corporate powers;
Also,
H. 959. To incorporate the town of Eastlake, in the county of Jefferson, and to define the powers of such corporation;
Corporations.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

The following bills were reported favorably by the various committees, and severally read a second time :
H. 814. To repeal an act entitled an act to amend section 5049, of the code of 1876, so far as the same relates to Clay county;
H. 582. To prevent camp meeting in Blount county, Ala- bama;
H. 842. To prevent stock from running at large in the sev- eral beats or parts of beats, in Cherokee county, to authorize the elections thereon, and to provide for the building and maintaining fences and gates;
H. 656. To prohibit the driving of live animals into, or the placing of dead bodies of animals in any ditch, or canal, oper-

ated for the purpose of floating logs, or timber within the limits of the county of Escambia (with amendment);
H. 711. To establish the Sylvan Agricultural district, to authorize the erection of an outside fence, and to dispense with inside fences, and to levy taxes to erect said fences, and to defray all the currant expenses of said district;
H. 823. To amend sections 4 and 6 of an act entitled an act to prevent stock from running at large in the several beats of Randolph and Calhoun counties, and to authorize election therein;
H. 844. To amend an act entitled an act to prevent stock from running at large in the several beats in Tallapoosa and Coosacounties, and to authorize an election therein, approved February 26, 1887;
H. 714. To provide for a re-registration of all claims against the fine and forfeiture fund of Franklin county ;
H. 751. To amend section one of an act entitled an act for the preservation of game in Limestone, Cullman and Madison counties, approved February 26, 1887 ;
H. 689. To fix the compensation of county commissioners of Calhoun county, Alabama;
H. 767. To amend an act to authorize the commissioners court of Perry, to establish or abolish districts in said county in which stock may be prevented from running at large, ap- proved February 15th, 1889;
g. 242. To amend section 37 of an act entitled an act to establish a new charter for the city of Huntsville, approved December 12th, 1888 ;
s. 270. To amend section one of an act entitled an act for the preservation of game animals and birds in the counties of Mobile, Monroe, Marengo, Baldwin, Dallas, Lowndes, Hale, Montgomery, Clarke, Greene, Wilcox, Pike, Talladega, Pickens, Bibb, Autauga, Chilton, Clay and Jefferson, approved Febru- ary 13,1879, so far as the same relates to Autauga county;
s. 267. To authorize the mayor and city council of Jack-sonville, to issue bonds of said city for an amount not exceed-ing fifty thousand dollars for the purpose of making and im-proving streets, the public square, and grounds about the pub- lic spring, and in paying whatever outstanding, floating (not bonded) indebtedness said city may have at the passage of this act;
s. 245. To amend an act tntitled an act to incorporate the city of Fort Payne, DeKalb county, Alabama, approved Feb-ruary28, 1889;

H. 887. To authorize the construction of tramways, pole- roads, canals and ditches by corporations, associations, partner-ships and individuals in Conecuh, Butler, Crenshaw and Cov-ington counties;
s. 103. For the relief of the Columbus Insurance and Banking Company of the state of Mississippi;
H. 874. To incorporate the Corning Land, Industrial and Trust Company;
H. 886. To constitute a separate school district to be known as the Flint school district, in the county of Morgan and state of Alabama, and for the appointment of a board of trustees therefor and a levy of special tax;
H. 740. To authorize the town of Columbia in Henry county, Alabama, to assess and collect a license tax from persons, companies or corporations doing business in said town;
H. 697. To incorporte the town of Hayneville;
H. 738. To amend an act, approved February 24th, 1887, entitled an act to amend section 3 of an act entitled an act, approved January 28, 1870, to incorporate the town of Colum- bia, Henry county;
H. 883. To repeal an act approved February 25,1889, enti- tled an act to amend the act to incorporate the city of Tusca- loosa, approved March 12, 1873, by amending section one of said act so as to extend the boundary lines of said city;
H. 783. To incorporate the Brotherhood of Dependent Neighbors;
H. 888. To make the office of commissioner of agriculture an elective office, and to provide for the filling of such office after the term of the present incumbent in said office shall have expired, and until his successor can be chosen at the next general election for state officers;
H. 829. To amend an act entitled an act to define and pre- scribe a lawful fence in certain portions of Madison county, approved February 28, 1889, (with substitute);
H. 816. To incorporate the Alabama Christian Missionary Convention;
H. 810. To amend section 2 of an act to incorporate the An-niston Land and Trust Company of Anniston, Alabama, ap-pr'oved February 28,1889, (with substitute);
H. 838. To amend an act to authorize the commissioners court of Calhoun county to levy a tax for working public roads of said county, and to let out said roads by contract, ap-proved February 28,1889;

H. 916. To provide for the establishment and working of the public roads in this state;
s. 246. To authorize the mayor and aldermen of the city of Huntsville to issue certian negotiable bonds to an amount not exceeding twenty thousand dollars;
s. 211. To amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the town of Northport, approved February 12, 1879, by adding the following additional sections to said act incorporating said town;
s. 248. To establish and define the corporate limits of the city of Gadsden;
H. 768. To amend section 4492 of the code;
H. 780. To amend section 4421 of the code;
H. 843. To provide for the election of county officers to fill the vacancies occurring in said offices;
H. 609. To amend an act entitled an act to expedite the trial of capital cases in Jefferson county;
H. 81. To regulate appeals in criminal cases from the county court of Pike county, and from justices of the peace and notaries public, and in proceedings to keep the peace, to the criminal court of Pike county, (with substitute);
H. 884. To incorporate the Eufaula Investment and Security Company;
H. 936. To provide for the collection of a license on transient persons doing business as merchants in the county of Greene, and defining who are transient merchants within the meaning of this act;
H. 904. To provide for the appointment of three trustees by the county superintendent of Perry;
H. 820. To establish a separate school district to be known as Madison district in Madison county ;
H. 603. To amend section 13 of an act approved February 28th, 1887, entitled an act to amend an act to organize and regulate a system of public instruction for the state of Alabama, approved February 7th, 1879, and the amendments thereto;
s. 242. To amend section twenty-seven of an act entitled an act to establish a new charter for the city of Huntsville, approved December 12, 1888;
s. 270. To amend section one of an act entitled an act for the preservation of game animals and birds in the counties of Mobile, Monroe, Marengo, Baldwin, Dallas, Lowndes, Hale, Montgomery, Clarke, Greene, Wilcox, Pike, Talladega, Pick-

ens, Bibb, Autauga, Chilton, Clay and Jefferson, approved February 13th, 1879, so far as the same relates to Autauga county;

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker:
The senate has originated and passed the bills :
s. 260. To prohibit the sale, giving away, bartering, ex-changing or otherwise disposing of alcoholic, vinous or malt liquors, or intoxicating bitters, beverages or fruits preserved in alcoholic liquors, within three miles of Union Grove Bap- tist church, in beat two, and McKarrie's school house, in beat thirteen, nor within five (5) miles of Pierce Chapel Methodist church, in beat seven, in Lee county, Alabama;
s. 119. To amend 2132 (2508) of the code ;
s. 75. To prohibit, in this state, the keeping of any “bucket shop,” or place where the pretended buying and selling of stocks, or produce, or provisions, cotton, cotton ties, cotton bagging, made in whole or in part of jute and other articles without any intention of receiving or delivering the property sold, is carried on;
s. 149. To authorize courts of law in certain cases in pend- ing suits, to appoint administrators ad litem;
s. 87. To allow husband or wife to testify for or against each other in certain cases. (Amendment pending);
s. 127. To provide for the dissolution of private corpora- tions;
s. 263. To provide for the refunding of taxes improperly paid;
s. 262. To extend the corporate limits of the city of Mont-gomery, in the state of Alabama, and to provide for dividing said limits into wards;
s. 288. To provide for a vote of the people on the subject of a permanent location of the county site of Franklin county; s. 240. To establish a charter for the town of Gurleys in Madison county;
s. 284. To legalize the marriage of James H. Hafley and Sarah A. Hafley, citizens of the county of Limestone, state of Alabama;
And has originated and passed and ordered forthwith to the house without engrossment.

The bills,
s. 264. To amend section 4631 of the code;
s. 165. To amend section 4591 of the code;
s. 218. To amend an act to provide for the payment of costs on convictions of felony, when the defendant is sentenced to imprisonment in the penitentiary, approved Fecruary 25th, 1889;

W. L. CLAY,
Sect'y.

SENATE MESSAGE,

The senate bills just received were severally read one time and referred to appropriate committees as follows :
s. 260, to temperance;
s. 119, 75, 127, 149, 87, 274 and 964, to judiciary;
8. 263, to ways and means ;
s. 262 and 240, to corporations ;
8. 288, to counties and county boundaries ;
s. 265 and 218, to penitentiary and criminal administration;

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Speaker:
The committee on enrolled bills, report the following bills correctly enolled :
H. 230. To amend subdivision 11 of section 453 of the code;
H. 91. To levy a state and county taxon peddlers of clocks; H. 207. To change and fix the rule of descents and distri- bution in this state as to persons dying intestate, who leave no husband or widow or children, or their descendants, but who leave parents surviving them;
H. 374. To amend section 4 of an act entitled an act to more effectually secure competent and well qualified jurors in the several counties in this state, with the exception that the provisions of this act shall not apply to the counties of Henry, Mobile, Dallas, Talladega, Clay, Marengo, Cherokee, Etowah, St. Clair, Coffee, Dale, Geneva, Marshall and Montgomery, approved February 28th, 1887, so far the same relates to the county of Marion;
H. 37. To prevent the cutting of timber, rolling logs or 33 h

throwing bushes into any of the running streams in Jackson and Fayette counties;
H. 273½. To repeal an act entitled an act to repeal section 4031 of the revised code of 1876, so far as the same relates to the county of Geneva;
H. 251. To amend an act entitled an act for the protection of plantations and crops within certain limits in Lauderdale county, Alabama;
H. 331. To reduce the fees of probate judges in certain csses in the county of Lamar;
H. 300. To repeal an act entitled an act to establish an in- ferior court for Cullman county, approved Mrrch 1, 1881;
H. 335. To amend an act to prohibit the sale, giving away or disposing of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors for gain in beat one, Lee county; Alabama, and to provide for an election therein, approved February 28th, 1887 ;
H. 445. To constitute the town of Attalla a separate school district, and to provide for the management of the public schools of said district;
H. 657. To establish a district in Limestone county in which it shall be unlawful for hogs, sheep and goats to run at large; H. 338. To provide for the payment for the publication of the laws of a general and public character passed at the second sitting of the session of 1888-'9 of the general assembly of Alabama;
C. C. RATHER,
Chairman.

SIGNING OF BILLS

The speaker of the house, in the presence of the house, im-mediately after their titles had been publicly read by the clerk, signed the bills the titles of which are set out in the forego- ing report of the committee on enrolled bills.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker:
The senate insists upon its amendment to house bill 225, in which the house non-concurred; and requests a committee of conference thereon. Committee on part of the senate, Messrs. Smith of Mobile, Williams and Cowan.
W. L. CLAY,
Sec'ty.

SENATE MESSAGE.

On motion the house acceded to the request of the senate for a committee of conference on house bill 225, and the speaker appointed as said conference committee, Messrs. Lewis, Moore of Baldwin and Buck.
On motion s. 34 was made a special order for 11 a. m. February 2nd.
On motion H. 550 was made a special order for to-morrow, immediately after reading the journal.
On motion n. 916 was made a special order, after reading the journal February 3rd.
At 1 p. m. the house adjourned till 3 p. m. to-day.

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AFTERNOON SESSION.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.
A quorum was present.

RECONSIDERATION.

By unanimous consent the vote by which
s. 46. To provide for the pay of mileage to constables and bailiffs for their attendance upon the different courts of the state,
Was passed was reconsidered,
The vote ordering the bill to a third reading was reconsid- ered and the bill was amended by adding to caption of the bill the words, “In the county of Perry,”
And the bill was read the third time at length and passed— yeas 57, Hays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Bain, Bass, Bishop, Black-well, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Edwards, Finch, Gil-christ, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Jackson, Johnson, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Wade, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

H. 719. To authorize an election in Bibb county to ascer- tain whether a bridge across the Cahaba river in said county shall continue a toll-bridge or be a free bridge,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 55, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Ayres, Bain, Blackwell, Brewer, Buck, Cooper, Cornelis, Crews, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Lee of Barbour, Lewis, Long:, Loveless, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

s. 271. To fix the times and places of holding the chan- cery courts in the south-western chancery division of the state of Alabama,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 57, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Ayers, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lewis, Long, Meador, Moore of Madi-son, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Whatley, White, "Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 6B9. To incorporate the Auburn Baptist Church, of Auburn, Lee county, Alabama,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 55, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Alexander, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Ayres, Bass, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Gilchrist, Gordon, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Meador, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rather,

Rousseau, Scott, Screws, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 498. To declare the true intent and meaning of an act approved February 19th, 1889, and entitled an act to amend an act entitled an act to release the Tennessee and Coosa Rail-road Company from its indebtedness to the state of Alabama, Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 60, nays 13.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Almon, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clayton, Crews, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Gilchrist, Harrell, Harris, Howle, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Madison, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles. Ramsay, Rather, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Whatley, White, Wood.

Nays—Messrs. Adams, Amason of Tallapoosa, Bain, Bass, Clanton, Cooper, Cornelius, Davidson, Gordon, Henry, Hill, Parks, Wilson.

Mr Pettus moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and to table that motion, and the latter motion was

Carried.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker:

The senate has originated and passed the bills :

s. 170. To establish a new charter for the city of Decatur; s. 283. To establisha a new charter for the town of Carrollton;

s. 239. To incorporate Blount College in Blount county, Alabama;

s. 236. To amend an act incorporating the trustees of the Judson Female Institute, approved January 9th, 1841;

s. 81. To fix the legal rate of interest in this state ;

s. 340. To provide for the times of holding the circuit courts in the sixth judicial circuit of this state.

And ordered the last named bill forthwith to the house without engrossment.

WM L. CLAY,

Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The senate bills just received, whose titles are set forth in the above and foregoing message, were severally read once and referred to the committees as follows:

s. 170 and 283, to corporations ;

s. 239 and 236, to education;

s. 81 and 340, to judiciary.

On motion of Mr. Kemp H. 514 was recommitted to the com-niittee on temperance.

On motion of Mr. Longshore H. 832 was made a special order for February 4th, after reading the journal.

At 5 p. m. the house adjourned till 9 a. m. to-morrow.

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THIRTY-SIXTH DAY.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

SATURDAY, January 31, 1891.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.

A quorum was present.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Brown, of the city.

The journal of yesterday was read and approved.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Was granted to Messrs. Almon, and Guthrie for two days, and to Messrs. Adams, Bain, Foster, Webb, Northington, Loveless, Edwards, and White, for one day.

On motion of Mr. Smith of Russell—

H. 579 was made a special order for Monday, February 2, at 11 a. m.

On motion of Mr. Quarles—

H. 648 was made a special order for 12 o'clock, February 3.

SPECIAL ORDERS.

H. 550. To improve the penitentiary and convict system of Alabama.
On motion of Mr. Brewer, the bill was postponed, and made a special order for Wednesday next at 12 o'clock.
On motion of Mr. Lewis—
H. 611 was made a special order for Thursday after reading the journal.
On motion of Mr. Watters—
H. 846 was made a special order for 11:30 a. m., February 2.

SPECIAL ORDER.

First.
H. 352. To regulate mode and manner of taxing property under mortgage in the State of Alabama.
On motion of Mr. Lane, the bill was recommitted to the committee on ways and means.

Second.
H. 152. To incorporate the "Alabama Northern Railway Company," and to further the construction of the same.
The bill was amended,
And was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 50, nays 3.
Yeas—Messrs. Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Crews, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Kelly, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Meador, Parks, Powell, Purifoy, Ramsay, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Walters, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young. Nays—Messrs. Amason of Tallapoosa, Lane, Smith of Russell.

RESOLUTIONS

Were offered as follows :
By Mr. Simmons—
Resolved, That on and after Monday the 2d of February,

this house shall hold night sessions, beginning at 7:30 o'clock, and adjourn at pleasure.
By Mr. Clayton—
Resolved, That beginning with Tuesday night next, this house hold a night session from 7:30 o'clock to 10 o'clock, to consider general legislation.
By Mr. Long—
Resolved, That this house, on and after Monday, February 2d, shall hold an afternoon session from 3 p. m., until 6 p. m. The above resolutions were referred to the committee on rules.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Long gave notice that on to-morrow he would move to reconsider the vote by which the house concurred in the senate amendment to H. 87.

BILLS ON FIRST READING.

Bills were introduced, severally read one time, and referred to appropriate committees, as follows :
By Mr. Cornelius—
H. 960. To authorize the commissioners court of Cherokee county to settle or compromise with the sureties of Ellis Hale, late treasurer of said county ;
Local legislation.
By Mr. Howle—
H. 961. To authorize Joseph S. Moore to peddle in Clay county without license ;
Ways and means ;
Also,
H. 962. For the relief of Mrs. E. M. Clarida, of Clay county;
Judiciary.
By Mr. Johnson—
H. 963. To repeal an act entitled an act to provide for the regulation of railroad companies and persons operating railroads in this state, approved February 26, 1881;
Revision of laws.
By Mr. Davis of Fayette—
H. 964. To establish at Fayette, in Fayette county, "The West Alabama Normal and Industrial College," for the pro-

fessional training of white male and female teachers of Ala- bama;
Education;
Also,
H. 965. To encourage the study of the geography and history of Alabama;
Education.
By Mr. Coleman, (by request)—
H. 966. To protect the people from rabid, or mad dogs ; Public health.
By Mr. Brown—
H. 967. To repeal an act entitled an act to amend section 3210 of the code, approved February 28, 1889 ;
Revision of laws;
Also,
H. 968. To extend the police jurisdiction of the town of Avondale, in the county of Jefferson ;
Corporations;
Also,
H. 969. To prohibit the discharge of a gun or other fire- arm in, within, or inside of a passenger car in which or upon which there is a human being;
Judiciary;
Also. (by request),
H. 970. To amend section 2820 of the code of Alabama; Revision of laws.
By Mr. Tucker of Lauderdale—
H. 971. Concerning the organization and perpetuity of a voluntary association, to be known as the Order of Columbia, a secret society having a secret ritual, and providing laws for governing the same;
Corporations.
By Mr. Brown, (with notice and proof)—
H. 972. To incorporate “The Iron City Gaslight and Fuel Co.”
Corporations.
By Mr. Clayton—
H. 973. To fix the times and places for holding the courts in the third judicial circuit of the State of Alabama;
Judiciary.
By Mr. Parker, (by request)—
H. 974. To authorize the county of Elmore and the city of Wetumpka to erect or buy a bridge across the Coosa river

at or near Wetumpka, and to issue bonds therefor, and to levy and collect taxes for the payment of said bonds ;
Local legislation.
Also,
H. 975. To amend an act approved February 17, 1885, entitled an act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act to define the corporate limits of the city of Wetumpka, approved Feb- ruary 23, 1883;
Local legislation;
Also,
H. 976. To empower the mayor and aldermen of the city of Wetumpka to assess, levy and collect a tax on retail dealers in spirituous, vinous or malt liquors ;
Temperance;
Also,
H. 977. To repeal an act to amend section 1544 of the code of Alabama, so far as the same relates to the counties of Blount, Cullman, Cleburne, Washington, Coosa, Autauga, St. Clair, Elmore, Marshall, Dale and Chilton, approved on the 1st, of March, 1881, so far the same relates to the city of Wetumpka, Elmore county, Alabama,
Revision of laws.
By Mr. Lewis—
H. 978. To amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the Birmingham, Mobile and Navy Cove Harbor Railway Company, approved February 28, 1887 ;
Revision of laws.
By Mr. Sullivan—
H. 979, To amend the preamble and section one of an act to prescribe the civil jurisdiction and regulate practice in civil cases in the city court of Mobile, approved December 12,1888;
Revision of laws.
By Mr. Ayres—
H. 980. To divide the county of Randolph into four com-missioners districts and to prescribe the term of office of members of said court;
Judiciary.
By Mr. Barnett—
H. 981. To authorize the mayor and councilmen of Troy to erect and maintain a system of electric lights, and to is- sue bonds in payment thereof in an amount not exceeding $20,000 (twenty thousand dollars);
Ways and means;

Also,
H. 982. To authorize the mayor and councilmen of Troy to issue bonds of said city for an amount not exceeding twenty-five thousand dollars for the purpose of erecting and improving school and other public buildings;
Ways and means;
Also,
H. 983. To transfer A. H. Owens, W. H. Parks, J. T. Barr and W. D. Siler from township ten, range twenty-one, to the separate school district of the city of Troy, Alabama ; Education.
By Mr. Longshore, (by request, with petition)—
H. 984. To submit to the vote of the people of Shelby county the question of the removal of the court house and other public buildings from Columbiana to Calera, and in case the people decide in favor of such removal, to authorize and provide for the building of a court house and jail at Ca- lera, and authorize the change and removal of the seat of justice of said county unpon certain conditions therein men-tioned;
Special committee consisting of Messrs. Longshore, Adams, Wilson, Screws, and Northington.
By Mr. Wilson—
H. 985. To amend section three of an act entitled an act to provide for the more efficient working of the public roads in the county of Talladega, approved December 9, 1886, and section four of an act entitled an act to amend sections 20, 21, 22 and 26 of an act to provide for the more efficient workings of the public roads in Talladega county, approved February 13, 1889;
Public roads and highways.
By Mr. Webb—
H. 986. To establish a new charter for the city of Talla- dega;
Local legislation.
By Mr. Cornelius—
H. 987. To amend section 3878 of the code so far as the same relates to Cherokee and Etowah counties ;
Revision of laws;
By Mr. Kemp—
H. 988. To authorize and empower the court of county commissioners of the county of Monroe to levy and collect a tax on all dogs owned or kept in said county ;
Ways and means.

By Mr. Smaw—
A petition of citizens of Knoxville beat, Greene county, asking for a repeal of the stock law in said beat; Local legislation.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

The following bills were reported favorably by the com-mittees, and severally read a second time and placed on the calendar :
H. 579. To amend section 1696 of the code of 1886 ;
s. 90. For the relief of C. D. Martin and others ;
H. 862. To amend section nine hundred and ninety-one (991) of the code of 1886;
H. 857. To amend section 2 of an act to amend an act entitled an act to create a separate school district in Jackson county, to be known as Pleasant Grove, out of a part of township 5, range 6, east, approved February 15,1889 ;
H. 931. To equalize the disbursement of the school fund; H. 760. To establish a charter for the town of Albertville in Marshall county, Alabama, (with amendment) ;
H. 915. For the relief of Felicia B. Adkins, of Shelby county, Alabama;
H. 789. To incorporate the Commercial Savings Bank of Birmingham, Alabama;
H. 913. To regulate the trial of misdemeanors in Shelby county, Alabama;
H. 927. To constitute the city of Dothan, in Henry county, a separate school district, and to provide for the management of the public schools in said district;
H. 744. To confirm and amend the Iron State Building and Loan Company;
H. 796. To amend the charter of Avondale ;
H. 590. To amend section 1149 of the code of Alabama ; H. 804. To incorporate Sheffield Savings and Trust Com- pany;
s. 220. To amend the charter of the town of Evergreen, in the county of Conecuh, and to confer upon the mayor and council additional power and authority to levy and collect taxes and licenses in said town to that conferred in the act to establish a new charter for the town of Evergreen, in Conecuh county, approved February 5, 1881;
s. 287. To ratify and confirm the charter of the Lady Ensley Coal, Iron and Railroad Co.;

s. 232. Tt authorize the intendant and councilmen of the town of Highlands, in the county of Jefferson, to issue bonds of said town for an amount not exceeding seventy-five thou- sand ($75,000) dollars, for the purpose of building and con-structing sewers and making other permanent improvements in said town, and paying off the floating debt of said town ; H. 514. To permit the sale of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors at Shelby Springs, a summer resort or watering place in Shelby county, Alabama, (with substitute) ;
H. 923. To amend section one of an act approved January 16, 1879, and entitled an act to amend an act entitled an act to amend section twelve of an act to establish a new charter for the town of Union Springs, Alabama, ap- proved February 1st, 1876 ;
H. 879. To further enlarge the powers, rights, franchises, and privileges of the East Birmingham Land and Railroad Company, a corporation having its principal place of busi- ness in the city of Birmingham, in this state;
H. 882. To prevent hogs from running at large in Spring Valley beat, of Colbert county, and to authorize election thereon ;
H. 921. To protect and regulate the manner of catching and taking fish in any of the creeks in Hale county within a certain distance from where said creeks empty in the War- rior river;
H. 674. To amend section eleven (11) of an act entitled an act to prevent horses, mules, asses, cows, hogs, sheep and goats from running uncontrolled on crops in the county of Montgomery, and to prescribe rule of damages and the rules of practice in the trial of cases under this act, approved Feb- ruary 24, 1887 ;
H. 895. For the relief of Jack R. Wilson, ex-probate judge of Clarke county, Alabama ;
s. 341. To relieve Helen E. Lewis, of Hale county, from the disabilities of non-age ;
s. 247. To incorporate the Cotton States Telephone and Telegraph Company.
On motion of Mr. Brewer—
H. 752. To protect the public property at Hayneville,
Was taken from adverse report and read a second time.

BILLS ON THID READING.

H. 59. To exempt all mortgages on real estate in this state from taxation.

On motion of Mr. Clayton the bill was re-committed to the committee on ways and means.

H. 270. To authorize the purchasers of a street railroad at a judicial sale, or other sale by authority of law, to organ- ize as a corporation,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 53, nays 5.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tal-lapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bishop, Black- well, Brewer, Brown, Clanton, Coleman, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Gilchrist, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Parker, Parks, Quarles, Ramsay, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Thrasher, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Whatley, Wilson, Young.

Nays—Messrs. Bain, Clayton, Moore of Madison, and Rather.

s. 42. To amend section 2403 of the code,

On motion the bill was amended by substituting “3403” in lieu of “2403”"

And the bill

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 61, nays 1.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tal-lapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Cole- man, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Finch, Gass, Gilchrist, Harris, Hill, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Long-shore, Meador, Moore of Madison, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Sayre, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Watters, Whatley, Wilson, Young.

Nay—Mr. Brewer.

s. 53. In relation to the admission of insane criminals, Alabama Insane Hospital,

Was taken up.

The bill was amended and read the third time at length and passed—yeas 59, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery,

Ayres, Bain. Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Canton, Clayton, Coleman, Cornelius, Crews, Davis of Fayette, Finch, Gass, Gilchrist, Harris, Henry, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Longshore, Meador, Moore of Madison, Parks, Peacock, Pettus. Powell. Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Scott, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sullivan, Thrasher, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Whatley, Wilson, Young.

s. 47. To prevent trespass on state lands,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 61, nays 1.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Ayers, Bain, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Gass, Gilchrist, Harris, Henry, Hill, Jackson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Mead- or, Moore of Madison, Parks, Pettus, Powell, Quarles, Ram-say, Rather, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tuck- er of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Whatley, Wilson, Young.

Nay—Mr. Parker.

H. 128. To amend section 4301 of the code.

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 59, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Ayers, Bain, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell. Brewer, Buck, Burford, Clayton, Colemen, Cornelius, Crews, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Gass, Gilchrist, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Lee of Barbour, Lewis, Long,. Longshore, Meador, Moore of Madison, Parker, Parks, Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Sayre, Scott, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tuck- er of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Whatley, Wilson. Young.

s. 40. To authorize and allow execution to be issued on any judgment which has been, or may hereafter be prop-erly registered in the office of the judge ef probate.

The amendment offered by the committee was adopted, and The bill was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 54, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armis- tead, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Buck, Burford, Coleman, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Gass, Gordon, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelley, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Meador, Moore of Madison, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Scott, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Town- send of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauder- dale, Wade, Whatley, Wilson, Young.

s. 25. To require railroad companies to provide suitable water closets on passenger cars or coaches,

The bill was amended and was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 51, nays 1.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Buck, Burford, Clayton, Coleman, Cornelius, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Gass, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Conecuh, Leslie, Long, Meador, Moore of Madison, Parker, Parks, Quarles, Ramsay, Scott, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Whatley, Wood, Wil- son, Young.

Nay—Mr. Steele.

H. 158. To amend section 497 of the code,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 56, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clayton, Coleman, Corne- lius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis, of Fayette, Finch, Gass, Harris, Henry, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Longshore, Moore of Madison, Parker, Parks, Pettus, Powell, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Sayre, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Whatley, Wilson, Young.

H. 261. To require all person or persons “who sell or ex- pect to sell liquors, to make publication in the county news- papers for thirty days previous to the time he or they ex-

pect to present his or their petition to the people for proper signatures to the same,
On motion the bill was recommitted to temperance com- mittee.
s. 52. To regulate the admission of patients into the Ala- bama Insane Hospital,
Was read the third time at length and passed— yeas 60, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clayton, Coleman, Corne- lius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Gass, Gilchrist, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Meador, Moore of Madison, Parker, Parks, Pettus, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather Sayre, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Watters, Wilson, Young.
H. 304. To provide for the adoption of a uniform series of text-books by the counties of this state for use in the public schools,
Was taken up.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr Speaker :
The senate has passed the bills:
H. 652. To provide for the payment of the members and expenses of the joint committee which held its sitting during the recent recess to inquire into the necessity for increasing the judicial circuits and chancery divisions of this state ;
H. 605. To reimburse the sheriff of Hale county for the extradition of Tom Walker ;
H. 315. To incorporate Union Springs Male and Female Institute ;
H. 348. To repeal an act entitled an act to prohibit the sale, giving away, or otherwise disposing of alcoholic, vinous or malt liquors, or other intoxicating drinks, or fruits pre- served in alcoholic liquors, within the corporate limits of the town of Moulton, m Lawrence county, or within five miles thereof, and other places therein named, approved February 34 h

28, 1889, so far as the same relates to the corporate limits of Moulton, Lawrence county, or within five miles thereof;
H. 145. To amend an act to incorporate the Central City Insurance Company, approved November 28, 1863.
And has amended as therein shown, and as amended has passed, the bill
H. 467. To prohibit the selling, giving away, or dispos- ing of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, or of alcoholic bit- ters, cordials, or beverages of any kind in Sumter county.
And has originated and passed, and ordered forthwith to the house without engrossment, the bill:
s. 344. To incorporate the Mobile Transportation Com- pany, and to define the powers of said company.
And has originated aud passed the following bills :
s. 325. To incorporate Pratt Mines Savings Bank of Pratt Mines, Jefferson county, Alabama ;
s. 306. For the protection of widows and minor child- ren ;
s. 273. To incorporate the Birmingham Trust and Secur- ity Company;
s. 249. To provide for an election to settle the question of a change of name of the town of Jacksonville, from Jack-sonville to Tredegar;
s. 337. To provide for tho election of the superintendent of education of Randolph county by the vote of the people of the county, as other county officers are ; and to provide the length of the term of office of the superintendent of edu- cation in said county, to be appointed in October 1891 ;
s. 309. To authorize and empower the city of Mobile to create, open and establish streets and highways within its corporate limits;
s. 324. To amend section 3431 of the code of Alabama; s. 281. To amend section 2359 of the code of Alabama;
s. 299. To incorporate the Autauga Volunteer Hook and Ladder Company No. 1, of the town of Prattville ;
s. 228. To amend section 3781 of the code ;
s. 297. To grant certain rights-of-way to the Montgom- ery and Sylacauga Railroad Company;
s. 339. To prevent stock from running at large in beat four, in Lee county ;
8. 399. To regulate and define the fees and compensation of judges of probate in this state in certain cases and for cer- tain services;

s. 308. To amend section 488 of the code of Alabama as far as the same applies to the county of Mobile ;
s. 321. To amend section 715 of the code of Alabama, relating to the times and places of holding court in the 7th and 16th districts of the Northwestern Chancery division of Alabama ;
s. 324. To amend sections 1617,subdivision 11 section 21 and section 29 of the act entitled an act to establish a new charter for the city of Birmingham, approved the 12th day of December, 1890;
s. 229. To punish the intimidation of voters at any election held in this state ;
s. 322. To confirm and amend the charter of the Iron State Building and Loan Company;
s. 286. To incorporate the Jasper Water Works Company;
s. 152. To provide for the sale under execution, attachment, decree of a court of record, or other judicial process, of the right of redemption of real estate sold under execution, decree, mortgage, or deed of trust.
W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The senate bills just received the titles of which are set out in the foregoing senate message were severally read one time and referred to appropriate committees as follows:
s. 344, 309, 324½, 281, and 321 to revision of laws ;
s. 325, 273, 297, 324, 322, and 286 to corponitions ;
s. 306, 228, and 152 to judiciary ;
8. 249, 337, and 229 to privileges and elections;
S. 299 to local legislation
S. 339 to agriculture ;
S. 399 to fees and salaries ;
s. 308 to ways and means.
The house concurred in the first senate amendment to
H. 467. To prohibit the selling, giving away, or disposing of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, or of alcoholic bitters, cordials or beverages of any kind in Sumter connty,
Yeas 52, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Bishop, Blackwell, Clan-

ton, Clayton, Coleman, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Fay- ette, Davis of Lamar, Gass, Harris, Howle, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lewis, Long, Meador, Moore of Madison, Parks, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Sayre, Scott, Simmons, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Town- send of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

And non-concurred in the second senate amendment to bill,

Yeas 0, nays 52.

Nays—Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Bishop, Black-well, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Gass, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Meador, Moore of Madison, Parks, Powell, Quarles, Sayre, Scott, Simmons, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Town-send of Limestone, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Whatley, Pike. Wood, Wilson, Young.

On motion, special orders were set as follows :

S. 34, 11 a. m., February 4lh ;

H. 504, 11 a. m., February 2d ; and,

H. 626, 12 m., February 3d.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

By his private secretary, Mr. Jackson,

Which, on motion, was referred to the committee on ways and means.

CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICE,

MONTGOMERY, ALABAMA, January 31st, 1891.

Gentlemen of the General Assembly:

I transmit herewith the application of the South and North Alabama Railroad Company, made to me as ex-officio debt-commissioner, for the issue of 36 “class B.,” bonds authorized under what is known as the “debt settlement, act,” approved Feb-ruary 23rd, 1876, in settlement of certain bonds of the state issued under the act approved April 21st, 1873, commonly known as the four thousand dollar per mile law.

The substance of the transaction referred to is this:

The South and North Alabama -Railroad Company, at the time of the endorsements hereinafter referred to, was 183 miles in length and received the endorsements of the state on its bonds, on that basis, to the extent of sixteen thousand dol- lars per mile, under the provisions of the act, approved Feb- ruary 21st, 1870, "to furnish the aid and credit of the state for the purpose of expediting the construction of railroads within the state." It also received an endorsement at the rate of six thousand dollars per mile, under the "act to give additional aid to the South and North Alabama Railroad Company," approved March 3rd, 1870.

Under authority of these two acts its bonds were endorsed to the amount of $4,026,000.00. Subsequently, on the 21st April, 1873, the general assembly passed an act to provide for the substitution of state bonds to the amount of four thousand dollars per mile, in lieu of state endorsement of bonds of the various railroad companies of this state.

This act, in substance, provided that to the extent of sixteen thousand dollars per mile, the state would give one of its bonds for four of state endorsed bonds; but excluded from the benefits of its provisions any endorsements in excess. of sixteen thousand dollars per mile.

It appears from the public records that the South and North Alabama Railroad Company accepted the terms of this act, and under its provisions would have been entitled to $732,000 of what are known as the four thousand dollar per mile bonds; but it seems that it did not surrender at that time all of its state endorsed bonds, $391,000 of which it was unable to re- turn, and while it appears that $732,000, of bonds (the total amount of the issue of the bonds to which it would be enti- tled under the four thousand dollar per mile act,) were de- livered to it, it also appears that $391,000 of these bonds were required to be deposited with the state treasurer, to be held as indemnity against the outstanding state endorsed bonds.

The railroad company now presents its state endorsed bonds, and asks for the issue of "class B," bonds to close up the trans-action, claiming 36 "class B" bonds in full settlement.

The debt commissioners books and report show that 36 of these bonds are due them. There is, however an entry in the record book in the governor's office that 72 of these bonds were illegally issued by Gov. Lewis and were cancelled and destroyed. Hon. L. W. Lawler, the only living member of the

debt commission, is of opinion that this entry was made and action taken, because under the provistons of the act of April 31st, 1873, the railroad company was not entitled to receive all the bonds at the rate of four for one, under the act of April 31st, 1873, until it bad surrendered all its state endorsed bonds; and as it had not returned $391,000 state endorsed bonds, the 72 of what is known as the four thousand dollar per mile bonds were held to be improperly issued to the company, and not entitling it to class “B” bonds, until all its endorsed bonds were surrendered.

A statement of the transaction between the state and the South and North Alabama rail-road company may be found on pages 14 to 16 of the report made by the debt commissioners to Gov. Houston on the 24th January, 1875—the basis of the settlement then made of the matter—which was confirmed under the act approved February 23rd, 1876, ratifying and confirming the settlement of the State's indebtedness as pro- posed in the report of said commissioners.

It appears from the various laws cited and the calculation of indorsements according to the number of miles, and the ratio upon which new bonds were to be surrendered, that the company is entitled to the 36 bonds, the delivery of which it now asks.

The deposit with the state treasurer of the 391 four thousand dollar per mile bonds seems to have been an outside security held by the state against its endorsed bonds to like amount. The debt commissioners in exchanging bonds with the railroad company seen to have considered that the 36 “B” bonds which were held back, would be ample security when taken in con-nection with the value of the railroad, against any detriment which might come from the enforcement of the mortgage securing the state endorsed bonds, which had not then been delivered up and cancelled; and they accordingly delivered to the company 330 class “B” bonds on account.

Upon the facts stated, the right of the South & North Ala- bama railroad company to the 36 bonds in full settlement seems clear, if they should surrender to the governor the $391,000 of four thousand per mile bonds which have been cancelled by the state, together with 391 outstanding state endorsed bonds which have been tendered to me.

The power of the governor, as debt commissioner, under section 6, however, is only to issue class “B” bonds in substi- tution of and on the surrender of the bonds issued under the

act of April 21st, 1873, calied for convenience the four thou- sand dollar per mile act, and these have already been sur- rendered to the state and destroyed.

I am unwilling to act in the matter without the advice and direction of the legislature.

THOS. G. JONES,
Governor.

MONTGOMERY, Jan. 30, 1891.

To his excellency, Thomas G. Jones, Governor of the State of Alabama :

The South and North Alabama Railroad Company respect- fully presents the following facts, and application based thereon:

By an act of the legislature of the state of Alabama, entitled "an act to furnish aid and credit of the state of Alabama for the purpose of expediting the construction of railroads within the state," approved February 21st, 1870, it was provided among other things, that upon the terms and conditions speci- fied in the act, the governor of the state was required to endorse, on l.lie part of the state, the first mortgage bonds of the several railroad companies in the state to the extent of six- teen thousand dollars ($16,000) per mile of completed road, and to continue such indorsements of bonds to the same extent per mile, upon the completion of each section of five (5) miles of road until the whole of the railroad shall be completed.

By an act of said legislature, entitled "an act to give addi- tional aid to the South and North Alabama Railroad Company," approved March 3rd, 1870, the governor of the state was re-quired to endorse the bonds of the South and North Alabama Railroad Company to the extent of six thousand dollars ($6,000) per mile of road, in addition to the sixteen thonsand dollars ($16,000) per mile previously authorized to be endorsed by the said act, approved February 21st, 1870. The length of said company's railroad was one hundred and eighty-three (183) miles, and at the rate of twenty-two thousand dollars ($22,000) per mile ($16,000 plus $6,000) it had the right to execute and have endorsed by the governor 4026 bonds of $1,000 each and it did execute them and the governor endorsed them on behalf of the state in pursuance of said act, and hence the governor endorsed the bonds of said railroad company to the amount of four millions and twenty-six thousand dollars ($4,026,000).

And the legislature of the state passed another act, entitled "An act to provide for the substitution of state bonds to the amount of four thousand dollars ($4,000) per mile in lieu of said endorsement of bonds of the various railroad companies of this state," approved April 21st, 1873, and commonly known as the four thousand dollars ($4,000) per mile act.

This company Complied in all respects with the terms and provisions of this last named act, and returned to the state all of its first mortgage eight (8) per cent. bonds, endorsed on be- half of the state by the governor, excepting 391 bonds, then not in its possession nor under its control. And under this last act the company would have been entitled to bonds at the rate of four thousand dollars ($4,000) per mile on one hundred and eighty-three miles of railroad, that is to say, entitled to 732 bonds of $1,000 each, had it returned to the state the whole of the 4,026 endorsed bonds; but having failed to return the 391 state endorsed bonds as aforesaid, the state delivered to the com- pany only three hundred and forty-one (341) of the bonds pro-vided for by the said act of April 21st, 1873, retaining the other 391 bonds to be delivered to the company upon its return to the state, the said 391 state endorsed bonds.

The legislature also passed an act, entitled "An act to ratify and confirm the settlement of the existing indebtedness of this state, as proposed in the report of the commissioners appointed under the act approved 17th December, 1874, and which was communicated to the general assembly by message of the gov-ernor of 24th January, 1876, and to carry said settlement into effect by the issuance of new bonds of this state, at a reduced rate of interest, in adjustment of a portion of said indebted- ness, and the surrender of certain sureties held by the state in discharge of another portion of said indebtedness," approved February 23d, 1876, among the railroad companies called the $2,000 per mile act.

By the seventh section of this act the commissioners were authorized to use and apply so many of the bonds authorized by the sixth section of the act of February the 23d, 1876, as might be necessary for that purpose, in exchange for and sub-stitution of the bonds of the state theretofore issued under authority of the act approved April the 21st, 1873 (the $4,000 per mile act), but in such manner that one bond of the issue authorized by the act of February 23d, 1876, should be sub-stituted and exchanged for two bonds of the issue authorized by said act of April 21st, 1873 (the $4,000 per mile act), no allowance to be made for interest on the last named bonds.

This company returned to the state the three hundred and forty-one bonds which had been delivered to it under the act of April 21st, 1873, and the state retained and cancelled the other 391 bonds to which the company was entitled under said act of April 21st, 1873, in all 732. And for the return and cancellation of those 732 bonds to the state, the company was entitled under the act of February 23d, 1876, to 366 bonds when it should have delivered the 391 state endorsed bonds to the state. Of the issue under the act of February 23d, 1876, the state has delivered to the company only 330 bonds, and held the other 36 bonds until the payment, cancellation and return to the state of the 391 eight (8) per cent. bonds.

The company has since discharged and cancelled, and is ready to produce to the state the 391 eight (8) per cent. state endorsed bonds, and is now entitled to the 36 bonds to be issued under the sixth and seventh sections of the act of February 23d, 1876, with all proper interest. And it respectfully asks that they be issued to it accordingly.

By order of the Board of Directors.

SOUTH & NORTH ALABAMA RAILROAD COMPANY.

BY H. F. DEBARDELEBEN,

President.

At 1 p. m. the house adjourned till 3 p. m. to-day.

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AFTERNOON SESSION.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.

A quorum was present.

The house proceeded to the consideration of

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

s. 245. To amend an act, entitled an act to incorporate the city of Fort Payne, DeKalb county, Alabama, approved February 28,1889,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 55, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Ayres, Bain, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson,

Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Gass, Harris, Henry, Howle. Jackson, Johnson, Judge, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Long- shore, Meador, Moore of Madison, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sullivan, Thrasher, Town- send of Limestone, Wade, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 276. To confirm the charter of the Birmingham Build- ing and Loan Association, to define and declare the powers, to provide for the increase of the capital stock, and to ex- tend the time within which said association shall continue to exist as a corporation,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 52, nays 2.

Yeas—Messrs. Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armis- tead, Avery, Ayres. Bain. Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Gass, Harris, Henry, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley. Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Meador, Moore of Madison, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Wade, Whatley, Wood, Wilson. Young.

Nays—Messrs. Speaker and Brewer.

H. 519. To incorporate the town of Fort Deposit in Lowndes county,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 54, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Gass, Harris, Henry, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Meador, Moore of Madison, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Wade, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 698. To provide for the election of four commissioners to be known as the commissioners court of Macon county, at the general election in August, 1892,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 55, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton,

Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius. Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Finch, Gass, Henry, Howle, Johnson. Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Meador, Moore of Madison, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rousseau, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Rus- sell, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Wade, What- ley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 148. To amend the act to establish the city court of Anniston, approved February 25, 1889, by amending certain sections thereof,

Was taken up,

And the pending substitute was adopted;

And»on motion, the bill was amended,

And was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 57, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Gass, Henry, Hill, Howle, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Meador, Moore of Madison, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Smith of Russell, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Wade, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 491. To prevent hogs from running at large in a part of Madison county as therein described,

Was taken up,

And Mr. Bishop offered a substitute, which was adopted; And the bill was read the third time at length and passed —yeas 52, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette. Finch, Gass, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Meador, Moore of Madison, Parks, Poole. Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Scott, Simmons, Smith of Russell, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Wade, Watters, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

s. 246. To authorize the mayor and aldermen of the city

of Huntsville to issue certain negotiable bonds to an amount not exceeding twenty thousand dollars,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 55, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Coleman, Cornelius. Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Gilchrist, Harris, Henry, Hill, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Meador, Moore of Madison, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Quarles, 'Ramsay, Rather, Sayre, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Lauderdale, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.
H. 829. To amend an act entitled an act to define and prescribe a lawful fence in certain portions of the county of Madison, approved February 28, 1889,
Was taken up, and the pending substitute was adopted. The bill was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 55, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Da-vidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Hill, Howle, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Meador, Moore of Madison, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Simmons. Smaw, Smith of Russell, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Lime^-tone, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.
H. 429. To change the name of Annie Rebecca Hamilton of Marengo county, to that of Annie Rebecca Watts,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 53, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Tal1apoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Gass, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Meador, Moore of Madison, Parks, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Steele, Townsend of Limestone, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 755. To refund to L. G. Cooper the sum of twenty dollars, being purchase money for certain land heretofore erroneously sold him by the state,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeaa 54, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armis- tead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Gass, Harris, Hill, Howle, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Meador, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Steele, Thrasher, Town- send of Limestone, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 615. To repeal an act entitled an act to authoriz the tax collector of Marion county to collect the unpaid taxes for the years 1880, 1881, 1882, 1883, and to pay the same to J. R. Hughes, late tax collector of said county, for the purpose of reimbursing the said J. R. Hushes for money paid the state and county on account of said taxes, approved Februa- ry 28, 1887,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 52, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Gass, Harris, Hill, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Long- shore, Meador, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Purifoy Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Steele, Thrasher, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 701. To cure irregularities in the issuance of claims against the fine and forfeiture fund of Marshall county and to further regulate said fund,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 54, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Ayres, Bain, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crew?, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Gass, Harris, Henry, Hill,

Howle, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Meador, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Sayre, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Steele, Thrasher, Town- send of Limestone, Tucker of Lauderdale. Wade, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 571. For the relief of the estate of James Hunter, de- ceased,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 56, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 488. To provide for a resurvey of the county line be- tween the counties of Monroe and Conecuh, and for a more efficient assessment and collection of taxes therein,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 58, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Gass, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Meador, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

s. 57. To create a board for the equalization of tax as- sessments on property within the city of Montgomery.

Was taken up;

Mr. Sayre offered an amendment, which was adopted,

And the bill was read the third time at length and passed —yeas 54, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Bur-

ford, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Gass, Henry, Hill, Howle, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Speaker:
The committe on enrolled bills report the following bills correctly enrolled:
H. 164. To establish a separate school district to be known as China Grove school district in Hale county;
H. 314. To establish the Cleveland school district in Blount county;
H. 320. To amend and revise the charter of the town of Piedmont;
H. 348. To repeal an act entitled an act to prohibit the sale, giving away or otherwise disposing of alcoholic, vinous or malt liquors or other intoxicating drinks, or fruits preserved in alcoholic liquors within the corporate limits of the town of Moulton. in Lawrence county, or within five miles thereof, and other places therein named, approved February 28, 1889, so far as the same relates to the corporate limits of Moulton, Lawrence county, or within five miles there of.
C. C. RATHER,
Chairman.

SIGNING OF BILLS.

The speaker of the house in the presence of the house, im-mediately after their titles had been publicly read by the clerk, signed the bills, the titles of which are set out in the foregoing report of the committee on enrolled bills.
At 5 p. m. the house adjourned till 9 a. m. Monday.

THIRTY-SEVENTH DAY.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

MONDAY, February 2, 1891.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Thompson of the city.

A quorum was present.

The journal of Saturday wae read and approved.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Was granted to Messrs. Harris, Sullivan, Burford, Pettus, and Johnson for one day, and to Messrs. Gilchrist and Lee of Conecuh indefinitely.

RECONSIDERATION.

By unanimous consent the vote by which the house concurred in the senate amendment to

H. 87. To amend section 2 and paragraphs 5, 7, 9, 10 and 13, and section 4 and sections 9 and 10 of an act entitled an act to provide for a charter for the city of Jasper in Walker county, Alabama, approved February 6, 1889,

Was reconsidered, and on motion of Mr. Long, the house non-concurred in the senate amendment to said bill.

RESOLUTION

Was offered. as follows:

By Mr. Coleman—

Resolved by the House of Representatitves, the senate con-curring, That the governor is hereby requested to return house bill No. 273½,

And the rules were suspended and the resolution was adopted.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The house proceeded to consider special orders.

First.

H. 478. To establish a technological and industrial school

for the education and training of girls and young women in the practical industries of life, and to provide means for its maintenance,
Was read the third time at length and lost—yeas 16, nays 50.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Sumter, Brown, Buck, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Gass, Henry, Langley, Long, Quarles, Screws, Smaw, Sparkman, Steele, Tucker of Lauderdale.
Nays—Messrs. Adams, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Foster, Harrell, Howle, Jackson, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Madison, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Smith of Russell, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

Second.

H. 304. To provide for the adoption of a uniform series of text books by the counties of this state for use in the public schools,
Was taken up.
Mr. Davis, of Fayette, offered a substitute, which was adopted.
On motion, the bill was amended by exempting from the operations of the bill the following counties:
Bibb, Autauga, Wilcox, Lawrence, Blount, Tuskaloosa, Covington, Monroe, Butler, Choctaw, Clarke, Escambia, Hale, Chambers, Lee, Clay, Randolph, Coffee, Lauderdale, Lowndes, Montgomery and Bullock.
On motion, the bill was recommitted to the committee on education.

Third.

H. 859. To provide liens for mechanics and material men, Was taken up,
And the pending substitute was adopted.
Mr. Foster offered the following amendment:
Add to the end of section 1 the following: “Provided, 35 h

That the lien of employes of the contractor and persons fur-nishing materials to him shall extend only to the amount of any unpaid balance due the contractor by the owner or pro-prietor; and such employes or material men shall also have a lien on such unpaid balance,"
Which was adopted.
The bill was read the third time at length and passed— yeas 55, nays 1.
Yeas—Messrs. Amason of Sumter, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar. Finch, Foster, Gass, Har- rell, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Judge, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Loveless, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Town- send of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Walters, Webb, Whatley, Wilson, Young.
Nay—Mr. Speaker.

Fourth.

H. 504. To regulate the apportionment of the school fund in this state by the superintendent of education,
Was taken up,
And the pending substitute was adopted,
And the bill was read the third time at length and passed —yeas 66, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Appleton, Armistead, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Foster, Gass, Harrell, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufman, Jackson, Jude, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Long-shore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Madison, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Spark man, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

Fifth.

H. 846. To provide for the disposition of certain swamp

and overflowed lands, and swamp and overflowed indemnity lands, belonging to the stale, and to provide for the appro- priation of the moneys arising therefrom,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 57, nays 1.

Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Amason of Sumter, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Black- well, Buck, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Foster, Gass, Harrell, Henry, Hill, Howle, Jackson, Kelly, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Madison, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

Nays—Mr. Long.

BILLS ON FIRST READING.

Bills were introduced, read one time severally and refer- red to appropriate committees, as follows :

By Mr. Kelly—

H. 989. To confirm the incorporation and organization of the Hunter, Benn & Co. Company, and to define and de- clare the powers of said company;

Corporations.

By Mr. Tucker of Lauderdale—

H. 990. To divorce H. E. Briggs, of Center Star, Lauder- dale county, Alabama, and Dora Briggs, of Black Jack, Hop- kins county, Texas;

Judiciary.

Also,

H. 991. To create a separate school district of the city of Florence, Alabama ; to define the boundaries thereof, and provide for the maintenance of schools therein ;

Education;

Also,

H. 992. To amend an act entitled an act to amend sec- tion 499 of the code of Alabama, approved February 18th, 1887;

Revision of laws

By Mr. Davis of Lamar—

H. 993. To reduce the fees of solicitors in certain cases; Fees and salaries.

By Mr. Henry—
H. 994. To provide for the crossing or intersection of lines of railroads, street railroads, dummy lines, and electric lines by railroads, street railroads, dummy lines and electric lines, whether owned or operated by corporations or individ- uals;
Corporations.
By Mr. Longshore—
H. 995. To repeal section 4203 of the code so far as the same relates to Shelby county ;
Local legislation.
By Mr. Smaw, (by request)—
n. 996. To relieve Minnie May Jolly and Sallie Mat Jolly, of Greene county, minors under eighteen years of age, from the disabilities of non-age;
Revision of laws.
By Mr. Webb—
H. 997. To ratify and confirm the charter and incorpora- tion of the Talladega Gaslight and Water Company, and the acts done there under;
Corporations.
By Mr. Cooper—
H. 998. To incorporate the State Savings Association, and define its powers and authority;
Corporations.
By Mr. Parks—
H. 999. To establish a charter for the city of Bridgeport; Corporations.
By Mr. Quarles—
H. 1000. To authorize either judge of the supreme court of Alabama to issue a rule nisi on application for a manda mus during the recess, or vacation of said court;
Judiciary.
By Mr. Clayton—
H. 1001. To establish a new charter for the town of Clay- ton, in Barbour county;
Judiciary.
By Mr. Henry—
H. 1002. For the relief of H. L. Lilins and T. M. Staple- ton, co-partners as Lilins and Stapleton ;
Ways and means.
By Mr. Lewis—
H. 1003. To incorporate the Saint Paul's Grand Council

of the State of Alabam a of the Ancient Grand United Order of the Daughters and Sons of St. Luke ;
Revision of laws.
By Mr. Amason of Sumter--
H. 1004. To amend sections one and two of an act en
titled an act for the preservation of game animals and birds
in the counties of Sumter and Chilton, so far as the same re
lates to Sumter county ;
Local legislation.
By Mr. Brown-
H. 1005. To authorize the court of county commissioners of Jefferson county to purchase claims against the fine and forfeiture fund of said county ;
Local legislation ;
Also,
H. 1006. To provide for increasing the capital stock of
building and loan associations ;
Judiciary.
Also,
H. 1007. To amend section 715 of the code of Alabama ; Judiciary.
By Mr. Davis of Fayette-
H. 1008. To amend section 1 of an act to establish a nor mal school for the education of white male and female teach ers at Troy, in Pike county, Alabama ;
Education ;
Also,
H. 1009. To authorize the state superintenden t of educa
tion to hold state conven tions of county superintendents of educ:ition ;
Education.
Also,
Joint resolution in regard to favorable report of the survey of the Sipsey river by Major A. N. Damrell, of the U. S. corps of engineers ;
Federal relations. Mr. Ooleman-
Joint resol ution ; Adopted.

BILLS ON THIRD READING
H. 265. To amend section 248 of tlrn code,
Was taken up.

On motion of Mr. Clayton, section 2 of the bill was stricken out.
On motion, the consideration of the bill was postponed. H. 382. To define what constitutes an assault with intent to murder,
Was taken up,
And, on motion of Mr. Clayton, it was indefinitely post- poned.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker :
The senate has passed the following bills :
H. 460. To prohibit the sale of vinous, malt or spirituous liquors, or other intoxicating drinks, within six miles of Mount Moriah Freewill Baptist church, Pickens county, Alabama;
H. 543. To amend section (10) ten of an act entitled an act to provide a new charter for the city of Tuscumbia, Ala- bama, approved February 28, 1887;
H. 285. To expedite the printing of the acts and joint resolutions of the general assembly,
H. 454. To prevent the manufacture, sale, giving away, bartering, exchanging, or otherwise disposing of alcoholic, vinous or malt liquors, or intoxicating bitters or beverages, in Holly Springs, precinct No. 31, in Jackson county;
H. 173. To amend section 1, 7, 15, 16, 29, 21, 23 and 24 of an act entitled an act to establish a criminal court for the county of Pike, with criminal jurisdiction in misdemeanor cases, and to repeal certain sections therein.
And has amended as therein shown, and as amended has passed, the following house bills :
H. 381. To incorporate the city of Ozark, in the county of Dale;
H. 612. To amend section 4641 of the code.
H. 340. To amend section 4592 of the code ;
And recedes from its second amendment to the bill
H. 467. To prohibit the selling, giving away, or dispos- ing of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, or alcoholic bitters, cordials, or beverages of any kind, in Sumter county.

W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The house concurred in the senate amendment to
H. 381. To incorporate the city of Ozark, in the county of Dale,
Yeas 51, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Amason of Tallapoosa, Ap-pleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Clayton., Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar. Finch, Foster, Gass, Harrell, Henry, Hill, Howle, Jackson, Judge, Kemp, Lane. Langley, Lee of Bar-bour, Leigh, Lewis, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Parks, Pea-cock, Powell, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.
The senate amendment to
H. 612. To amend section 4641 of the code,
Was concurred in,
Yeas 52, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Foster, Harrell, Hill, Howle, Jackson, Judge, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Bar- bour, Leigh. Leslie, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Parks , Peacock , Powell , Quarles , Ramsay , Rather , Rousseau, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.
The senate amendment to
H. 340. To amend section 4592 of the code,
Was concurred in,
Yeas 53. nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Amason of Sumter, Am- ason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Bass, Bishop. Blackwell. Brown, Buck, Cooper, Cor- nelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of La- mar, Foster, Gass, Harrell, Howle, Jackson, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Long- shore, Loveless, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Smaw, Smith of Russell,

Sparkman, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wil- son, Young.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker :
The senate has originated and passed the following bills: s. 154. To amend section 3216 of the code ;
s. 157. To limit the time within which minors may re- pudiate their deeds and contracts after reaching their majority;
s. 233. To confirm, amend and enlarge the charter of the Birmingham Railway and Electric Company ;
s. 250. To prevent stock from running at large in cer- tain parts of Roanoke beat No. 10, in Randolph county ;
s. 269. To make an appropriation for the benefit of the State Agricultural Society for the year 1891 ;
s. 282. To amend section 2908 of the code of 1886 ;
s. 298. To amend sections 1, 3 and 9 of an act entitled an act to incorporate the Montgomery and Sylacauga Rail- road Company, approved February 11, 1889 ;
s. 310. To provide for heating, ventilating, lighting, re- pairing and furnishing the capitol and improving the capitol grounds ;
s. 331. To provide for the election of the school district trustees in Mobile county, outside of the city of Mobile, and filling vacancies therein ;
s. 175. To render the certificates of attendance of state witnesses in cases where the defendant is convicted void when sold or transferred.

W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The senate bills just received, whose titles are set forth in the above and foregoing message, were severally read once and referred to the committees as follows:
s. 154,157 and 175 to judiciary ;
s. 233 and 298 to corporations ;
s. 250 to local legislation ;

s. 269 and 310 to appropriations ;
s. 282 to revision of laws;
s. 331 to education.

REPORT FROM COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Speaker :
The committee on enrolled bills report the following bills correctly enrolled:
H. 652 To provide for the payment of the members and expenses of the joint committee which held its sitting during the recent recess to inquire into the necessity for increasing the Judicial circuits and chancery divisions of this state;
H. 605. To reimburse the sheriff of Hale county for the extradition of Tom Walker ;
H. 315. To incorporate Union Springs Male and Female Institute;
H. 104. To authorize the court of county commissioners of Fayette county to issue the bonds of said county for an amount not exceeding twenty thousand dollars for the pur- pose of building a court house and jail in said county;
H. 358. To incorporate Brewton Collegiate Institute ;
H. 145. To amend an act to incorporate the Central City Insurance Company, approved November 28, 1863;
H. 285. To expedite the printing of acts and joint resolu- tions of the general assembly ;
H. 454. To prevent the manufacture, sale, giving away, bartering, exchanging, or otherwise disposing of alcoholic, vinous or malt liquors, or intoxicating bitters or beverages in HollySprings precinct No. 31, in Jackson county ;
H. 460. To prohibit the sale of vinous, malt or spirituous “liquors or other intoxicating drinks, within six miles of the Mount Moriah Freewill Baptist church, Pickens county, Ala-bama;
H. 543. To amend section (10) ten of an act entitled an act to provide a new charter for the city of Tuscumbia, Ala-bama, approved February 28, 1887 ;
H. 173. To amend sections 1, 7, 15, 16, 19, 21, 23 and 24 of an act entitled an act to establish a criminal court for the county of Pike, with criminal jurisdiction in misdemeanor cases, and to repeal certain sections therein.

C. C. RATHER.
Chairman.

SIGNING OF BILLS.

The speaker of the house, in the presence of the house, immediately after their titles had been publicly read by the clerk, signed the bills, the titles of which are set out in the foregoing report of the committee on enrolled bills.

SPECIAL ORDERS.

Were made as follows
H. 553, 12 m., February 4th;
s. 168, after reading of journal, February 7th.
At 1 o'clock p. m. the house adjourned till 3 p. m. to-day.

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AFTERNOON SESSION.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.
A quorum was present.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Was granted to Messrs. White, and Brewer, for one day, and to Mr. Tucker of Crenshaw, indefinitely.
The house proceeded to the consideration of

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

H. 61. To regulate the election of municipal officers in the city of Montgomery,
Was taken up.
Mr. Screws moved to lay the amendment to the bill on the table,
Carried.
The bill was read the third time at length and passed— yeas 56,nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Amason of Tallapoosa, Ap-pleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Black- well, Brown,Buck,01ayton,Oooper,Cornelius,Crews, David- son, Davis of Fayette, Edwards, Foster, Gass, Henry, Howle,

Hufham, Jackson, Jones, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Loveless, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Smith of Russell, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

Mr. Screws moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill passed, and then moved to lay that motion the table, and the latter motion prevailed.

H. 706. To locate permanently the seat of justice of the county of Morgan,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 54, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Foster, Gass, Harrell, Henry, Hill, Jackson, Jones, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Loveless, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Spark-man, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Whatley, Wilson, Young.

H. 596. To legalize the marriage of William A. Bottom, and Mary C. Bottom, the widow of John Bottom, deceased,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 51, nays 2.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Blackwell, Buck, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews. Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Gass, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Jones, Judge, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie. Lewis, Loveless, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Screws-Sparkman, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Town, send of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

Nays—Messrs. Foster and Kemp.

H. 538. To appropriate the sum of twenty thousand dollars to be expended in maintenance and improvement of the Medical College of Alabama, under the direction of the board of trustees thereof,

Was taken up.

Mr. Whatley moved to amend the bill by striking out "ten thousand dollars" where it occurs in the body of the bill and to insert in lieu thereof "seven thousand five hun- dred dollars," and to strike out "twenty thousand dollars" where it occurs in the bill and insert "fifteen thousand dol- lars;"
Carried.
The hill was read the third time at length and passed— yeas 36, nays 17.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker. Amason of Sumter, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Brown, Buck, Coleman, Cooper, Crews, Davis of Fayette, Edwards, Foster, Gass, Harrell, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Jones, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Loveless, Meador, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Screws, Sim- mons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Whatley.
Nays—Messrs. Adams, Amason of Tallapoosa, Bass, Black-well, Cornelius, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Longshore, Parks, Poole, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Wood, Wilson, Young.
Mr. Brown moved to reconsider the vole by which the bill passed, and then moved to lay that motion on the table, and the latter motion was carried.
H. 766. To incorporate the Southern Literary Society,
Was read the third lime at length and passed—yeas 52, nays 1.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa. Appleton, Armistead, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Foster, Gass, Harrell, Henry, Hill, Howle, Jackson, Jones, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Parks, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Thrasher, Town- send of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Wilson, Young.
Nay—Mr. Leigh.
H. 559. To ratify and confirm the agreement of consolida- tion made by, and between the Jefferson Iron Company, and the Irondale Company, of Jefferson county, on the 18th day of April, 1890,
Was taken up.
The pending substitute was adopted.

The bill was read the third time at length and passed— yeas 56, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Coleman, Cornelius, Crews, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Foster, Gass, Harrell, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Jones, Judge, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Long, Long-shore, Loveless, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Screws, Smith of Russell, Steele. Thrasher, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lau-derdale, Whatley, Wilson, Young.

s. 2-47. To incorporate "The Cotton States Telephone and Telegraph Company,"

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 57, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Blackwell, Brown, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Gass, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Jones, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Long-shore, Loveless, Meador, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Wilson, Young.

H. 461. To prohibit the sale, or giving away, or otherwise disposing of vinous, spirituous, or malt liquors, or other intoxicating drinks within three miles of the Methodist church or school house, at Olney, Pickens county, Alabama,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 57, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Ayres, Barnett, Bass, Blackwell, Brown, Coleman. Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Foster, Gass, Harrell, Henry, Hufham, Jackson, Jones, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Long-shore, Loveless, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Lime-stone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 433. To regulate the fine and forfeiture fund of Pike county,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 55, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bass, Blackwell, Brown, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Corne- lius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of La- mar, Edwards, Poster, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Jack- son, Jones, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leslie, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Parker, Parks, Pea- cock, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Steele, Townsend of Lime- stone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Wood, Wilson, Young.
H. 256. To amend section one of act to prohibit the sale or giving away af spirituous or vinous liquors, in one mile of Spring Hill church, in Pike county, Alabama, ap- proved February 25, 1875,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 55, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armstead, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Gass, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Jones, Judge, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leslie, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Town- send of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Youug.
H. 823. To amend sections 4 and 6 of an act entitled an act to prevent stock from running at large in the several beats of Randolph and Calhoun counties, and to authorize elections therein,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 56, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Black-well, Brown, Buck, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Foster, Gass, Harrell, Henry, Hill, Hufham, Jackson, Jones, Kemp,

Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leslie, Lewis, Longshore, Love- less, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Quarles, Ram- say, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Whatley, Wood, Wil- son, Young.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker :
The senate has originated and passed and ordered forth- with to the house without engrossment, the bill
s. 354. To better provide for the establishing and work- ing the public roads in this state.
And insists on its amendments to house bill 87, and asks a committee of conference thereon;
Committee on the part of the senate—
Messrs. Milner, Skeggs, and Haralson.

W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE.

On motion, house acceded to the request of the senate for a committee of conference on H. 87,
And the speaker appointed the following committee—
Messrs. Long, Smith of Russell, and Foster.
She senate bill just received, whose title is set forth in the above and foregoing message, was read once and referred to the committee as follows :
s. 354 to public roads and highways.
At 5 p. m. the house adjourned till 9 a. m. to-morrow.

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THIRTY-EIGHTH DAY.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

TUESDAY, February 3, 1891.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.
Prayer by the Rev. Mr. Thompson of the city.

A quorum was present.
The journal of yesterday was read and approved.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

Was granted to Messrs. Clanton and Burford for one day, to Mr. Adams for two days, and to Messrs. Guthrie and Kelly indefinitely.

SPECIAL ORDER.

H. 533. To regulate the convict system of Alabama,
Was taken up.
The amendments offered by the committee were adopted.
Mr. Brewer offered the following amendment:
Amend by striking out in section 5 the words, "'shall be dis-posed of as follows: twenty thousand dollars of each year's earnings shall be reserved as a fund for improving and adding to the penitentiary property of the state, and the remainder,"
Mr. Brown offered the following substitute:
Strike out "twenty" in line 6, section 5, and insert in lieu the word "ten;" insert after the word "earnings," in line 7, section 5, the following : "for this and the next fiscal year."
Mr. Brewer moved to table the substitute.
Lost.
Mr. Brewer moved to recommit the bill and amendments to the committee on penitentiary and criminal administra- tion.
Mr. Avery moved to table Mr. Brewer's motion.
Carried.
Yeas 47, nays 26.
Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Sumter, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Bass, Blackwell, Brown, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Foster, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Lane, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Parker, Parks, Pettus, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, white, Wood, Young.
Nays—Messrs. Speaker, Barnett, Brewer, Buck, Clayton, Crews, Cox, Harris, Henry, Kemp, Langley, Leslie, Longshore, Meador, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Peacock, Powell, Ramsay, Scott, Simmons, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Sullivan, Townsend of Pike, Wilson.

Mr. Brown's substitute was adopted, and the amendment, as amended, was adopted.
Mr. Smith offered the following amendment:
Amend section 4 by inserting aft.er the word “guard” these words : “unless required by the commissioners court to do so.” Adopted.
Mr. Northington moved to strike out section 1 of the bill.
Lost.
Mr. Brown offered the following amendment:
Insert after the words “hard labor,” in line 2 of section 2, the following: “except such as may be sentenced to the peni-tentiary under the provisions of section one of this act.”
Adopted.
The bill,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 71, nays 9.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Foster, Gass, Henry, Hill, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Pu-rifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, white, Wood, Young.
Nays—Messrs. Brewer, Crews, Harris, Northington, Powell, Ramsay, Townsend of Pike, Waters, Wilson.
Mr. Brown moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill passed, and to table the first motion;
And the latter motion was carried.
On motion of Mr. Pettus,
s. 33. To incorporate the Alabama Methodist Orphanage, Was taken up, and
Was read a third time at length and passed—yeas 61, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tal-lapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Clayton, Coleman, Crews, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Gass, Gor-don, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, John- 36 h

son, Jones, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Long-shore, Loveless, Meador, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Sayre, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Spark-man, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Watters.

SPECIAL ORDER SECOND.

H. 648. To regulate the practice of medicine and surgery in the state of Alabama,
Was taken up. Mr. Quarles offered amendments.

BILLS ON FIRST READING.

By unanimous consent, bills were introduced:
Read one time severally and referred to appropriate com-mittees as follows:
By Mr. Wood—
Memorial and petition of the people of Autauga county, in reference to establishing stock law for said county;
Agriculture.
By Mr. Cooper—
H. 1010. For the payment of five coupons of class "A" bonds destroyed by fire;
Ways and means.
By Mr. Northington (with petition)—
H. 1011. To prohibit the sale, giving away or otherwise dis-posing of vinous, spirituous or malt liquors, intoxicating bitters or cordials or fruits preserved in alcoholic liquors, within five miles of Mount Zion Baptist church in beat one, Chilton county;
Temperance.
By Mr. Crews—
H. 1012. To prevent the bringing and spreading of infect- ious and contagious diseases, in this state by the bringing and selling or otherwise disposing of cast off or second hand cloth- ing or garments for human apparel in this state;
Public health.
By Mr. Almon, (by request)—

H. 1013. To provide for the better support and maintenance of the public schools of Cullman county, Alabama.
Education.
By Mr. Edwards—
H. 1014. To amend an act entitled an act to authorize the commissioners court of Henry, Pickens and Dale counties to establish or abolish districts in which live stock may be pre-vented from running at large, in so far as the same relate to Dale county, approved Dec. 9, 1886 ;
Temperance.
By Mr. Wade—
H. 1015. To incorporate Walnut Grove College, at Walnut Grove, Etowah county, Alabama;
Corporations.
By Mr. Henry—
H. 1016. To establish and govern a reformatory and refuge for white children under fourteen years of age;
Education.
By Mr. Moore of Madison—
n. 1017. To confirm and amend the incorporation of the Alabama Military Academy, Huntsville, Alabama;
Military.
By Mr. Bain—
H. 1018. To prohibit the sale, giving away or otherwise disposing of vinous, malt, spirituous or intoxicating liquors, or beverages within one mile of the Methodist Episcopal church south, near Henryville, Marshall county, Alabama;
Temperance.
By Mr. Lewis—
H. 1019. To authorize a person not a party to the writ to claim personal property levied on under a writ of garnishment by service thereof on the garnishee, and give bond for the forthcoming of said property, and the proceedings thereon ;
Revision of laws.
By Mr. Sullivan, (by request)—
H. 1020. To establish and provide for the maintenance of a quarantine by improved methods, against the introduction of yellow fever and other infectious and contagious diseases in the state of Alabama;
Public health.
By Mr. Scott—
Petitions relative to the prohibiting the sale of whiskey in beat No. 2, Russell county, Alabama;
Temperance.

By Mr. Wilson, (with petition)—
H. 1021. To authorize the mayor and councilmen of the town of Childersburg to submit to the qualified voters of said town a change of the corporate name of the same;
Corporations,
By Mr. Amason of Tallapoosa—
H. 1022. To repeal certain parts of an act so far as it re- lates to the town of Daviston, in Tallapoosa county, re-entitled an act to prohibit the sale, giving away, bartering, exchang- ing or otherwise disposing of alcoholic, vinous or malt liquors, or intoxicating bitters, beverages or spirits preserved in alco- holic liquors within one and a half miles of Pleasant Hill Bap- tist church in Cox's beat and Bethany Baptist church in Little Wills Valley, Etowah county, and other places therein named, and known as the omnibus prohibition act;
Temperance.
By Mr. Long;—
H. 1023. To provide tor an election to be held in any beat in precinct in Walker county, whenever twenty-five or more householders and freeholders residing in said beat or precinct, shall petition the probate judge of said Walker county, for said election, to determine whether it shall Le lawful or not, to sell, give away or otherwise dispose of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors within the beat or precinct wherein said elec- tionis held;
Local legislation.
By Mr. Hill—
H. 1024. To cede the United States jurisdiction over the lands of Mount Vernon barracks and Fort Morgan ;
Federal relations,
By Mr. Pettus—
H. 1025. To provide for the making of the annual report of the railroad commissioners;
Judiciary.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

By unanimous consent the following bills were reported favorably by the various committees, severally read a second time and placed upon the calendar:
H. 890. To ratify and confirm the subscriptions to, and or-ganization and incorporation of the Gulf Coke and Coal Com-pany, and to enlarge the powers of said company;

H. 978. To amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the Birmingham and Navy Cove Harbor Railway Company, approved February 28th, 1887 ;
H. 946. For the relief of James H. Simmons ;
H. 900. To amend section 1586 of the code ;
H. 934. To authrize the recording and filing of certain deeds of conveyance therein named in the office of the probate court of the state ;
H. 939. To amend subdivision 28 of section 629 of the code of Alabama;
H. 901. To amend section 3874 of the code of Alabama ;
H. 917. To establish the district court of Colbert and Lauderdale counties;
H. 987. To amend section 3878 of the code, so far as the same relates to Cherokee and Etowah counties;
H. 979. To amend the preamble and section one of an act to prescribe the civil jurisdiction and regulate the practice in civil cases in the city court of Mobile, approved December 12th, 1888;
H. 967. To repeal an act entitled an act to amend section 3216 of the code, approved February 28th, 1889 ;
H. 952. To amend section 510 of the code, so far as the same relates to Cherokee county;
H. 954. To change the time of holding the jury term of the city court of Montgomery;
H. 948. To amend section 2640 of the code;
s. 309. To authorize and empower the city of Mobile to create, open and establish streets and highways within its corporate limits;
s. 321. To amend section 715 of the code of Alabama relating to the time and places of holding court in the 7th and 16th districts of the northwestern chancery division of Alabama;
H. 870. To prevent and provide for the incorporation of separate school districts in the county of Tuskaloosa;
s. 337. To provide for the election of the superintendent of education of Randolph county by the vote of the people of the county as other county officers are, and to provide the length of the term of office of the superintendent of education in said county to be appointed in October, 1891;
H. 1001. To establish a new charter for the town of Clayton, in Barbour county ;
H. 868. To divest the title, interest and estate of the state

of Alabama out of certain land in Talladega county, and invest the same in Drucilla Lawler;
H. 336. To authorize registers in chancery to administer oaths and affidavits and to solemnize marriage;
H. 806. To make valid trials and verdicts of juries in crim- inal cases where the defendant flees or escapes after the jury retire to consider their verdict (with substitute);
H. 899. To authorize the county of Clarke to borrow money and issue bonds for the purpose of building a court house for the use of said county at Grove Hill, or other place, at which it may be determined to build said court house ;
H. 973. To fix the time and places for holding the courts in third judicial circuit of the state of Alabama;
H. 918. To amend section 3017 of the code ;
H. 919. To carry into effect the provisions of sections 21 and 22 of article 14 of the constitution of the state of Alabama and to correct abuses and prevent unjust discrimination, and extortion in the rates of freight on the railroads of the state, (with amendment);
H. 848. To fix the time of holding the circuit courts in the counties of Rando1ph and Bibb in the fifth judicial circuit of the state of Alabama ;
H. 715. To authorize the refiling of claims against estates of deceased persons in Franklin county ;
H. 640. To authorize W. D. Caddill to make title deeds to certain lands in Bibb county ;
s. 340. To provide for the times of holding the circuit cl'urts in the sixth judicial circuit of this state ;
H. 593. To prevent county solicitors appointed by circuit solicitors from defending any party charged with an offense less than a felony in the county in which he is acting as county solicitor;
H. 227. To amend section 1 of an act entitled an act to more effectually secure competent and well qualified jurors in the several counties of this state, approved February 28th, 1887;
H. 966. To protect the people from rabid or mad dogs ;
s. 87. To allow husband or wife to testify for or against each other in all cases;
H. 989. To confirm the incorporation and organization of the Hunter, Benn & Co. Company and to define and declare the powers of said company;
H. 845. To incorporate National Banking, Investment and Trust Company;

H. 892. To incorporate the Montgomery Loan and Trust Company;
H. 786. To amend section 4 of an act to amend and ratify the charter of the Selma and Cahaba Valley Railway Com- pany, approved February 21st, 1887;
H. 891. To incorporate the Alabama, Florida and Chatta- nooga Railway Company;
H. 949. To authorize and empower the board of trustees of the Scottsboro and Normal School to sell and convey the prop-erty and franchise of said institution;
H. 743. To confirm the incorporation of the Shakespeare Club of Birmingham, Alabama, and change of the name of said club to the "Alabama Club," and to enlarge the powers and capacities of said club, (with amendment);
H. 574. To confirm, amend and enlarge the charter of the Birmingham Railway and Electric Company ;
H. 749. To increase, enlarge, extend, confirm, establish and ratify the charter and corporate powers of Crew's Normal College of Lamar County, Alabama;
H. 763. To amend sections 1 and 2 of an act. entitled an act to preserve order at the Asberry Camp Ground, in the county of Monroe, and at Spring Hill Camp Ground, in But- ler county, and at Pottersville Camp and Ramage Springs Camp Grounds in Pike county, and at Tabernacle and An- drew's Chapel Camp Grounds in the county of Pickens;
H. 871. To prohibit the sale, giving away or otherwise dis-posing of any vinous, spirituous or malt liquors or any intoxi-cating substance of any kind within five miles of Arbor Springs Baptist church in Tuskaloosa county;
H. 865. To prohibit the sale, giving away or otherwise dis-posing of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors or intoxicating bitters or cordials or fruits preserved in alcholic liquors within the corporate limits of the town of Hartselle, in Morgan county, Alabama;
H. 821. To repeal section 1 of an act entitled an act to prohibit the sale, giving away or otherwise disposing of vinous, spirituous or malt liquors, intoxicating bitters or cordials or fruits preserved in [a]lcholic liquors within five miles of Village Springs Academy, Blount county, and other places therein named, and known as the Omnibus bill;
H. 325. To regulate the trials of misdemeanors in Greene county;
s. 298. To amend sections 1, 3 and 9 of an act entitled an

act to incorporate' the Montgomery and Sylacauga Railroad Company, approved February 11, 1889 ;
s. 107. For the relief of John W. Miller, a citizen of Bibb county;
s. 263. To provide for the refunding of taxes improperly paid;
H. 988. To authorize and empower the court of county commissioners of the county of Monroe to levy and collect a tax on all dogs owned or kept in said county;
H. 907. For the relief of C. J. Ross, sheriff of Pike county;
H. 790. To authorize and direct the auditor to correct an error in the assessment for taxation for the year 1890 of the rolling stock of the Nashville, Florence and Sheffield Railroad Company;

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker:
The senate has originated and passed the following bills :
s. 293. To amend section 550 of the code of Alabama ;
s. 296. To amend section two of an act entitled an act to authorize the Macon and Birmingham Railroad Company, a corporation under the laws of Georgia to construct, maintain and operate its railroad within the state of Alabama, and do all other things needful for that purpose;
s. 364. To fix the time for holding the chancery courts in Randolph, Chambers, Lee, Tallapoosa and Coosa counties in the N. E. chancery division of the state of Alabama;
s. 357. To amend section 3217 of the code of Alabama, so far as the same relates to Jefferson county ;
s. 355. To authorize and require the commissioners court of Jefferson county, Alabama, to pay to the judge of the tenth judicial circuit of Alabama $75.00 per week for every week court is held by him in the said circuit in excess of thirty-two weeks in any one year;
s. 365. To amend sections three and six and repeal sections four and five of an act entitled an act to regulate the state witnesses fees in Hale county, Alabama, and to provide for the payment of the same;
s. 179. To provide for the distribution of the money re- ceived by the state of Alabama each year in pursuance of the

act of Congress, approved March 2., 1887, and known as the Hatch act, which is entitled an act to establish agricultural experiment stations in connection with the colleges established in the several states under the provisions of an act approved July 2d, 1862, and of the acts supplementary thereto;

And has adopted the accompanying joint resolution request- ing the return by the governor of house bill 173.

And has amended as therein shown and. as amended has passed the bill;

H. 273. To amend section 1 of an act protecting game and animals and birds in the counties of Hale and Cullman and Greene, so far as the same applies to Hale county, approved February 27, 1889.

And has concurred in the report of the conference com- mittee on the bill,

H. 87. To amend section 2 and paragraphs 5, 7, 9, 10 and 13, and section 4 and sections 9 and 10 of an act entitled "An act to provide for a charter for the city of Jasper in Walker county, Alabama," approved February 6th, 1889;

And has amended as therein shown and as amended has passed the bill;

H. 369. To provide for elections in Jasper beat, Horse Creek beat, Day's Gap beat and Carbon Hill town in Walker county, Alabama, to determine whether or not the sale, giving away, or otherwise disposing of vinous, malt or spirituous liquors in the incorporated towns now in said beats shall be prohibited;

And has passed without amendment,

The bills,

H. 508. To amend sections 1, 5, 8 and 13 of an act to regu- late the practice and proceedings in civil cases in the circuit court of Jefferson county, in this state and in supreme court on appeal from judgments rendered in said cases, approved February 28th, 1889;

H. 372. To amend the caption and sections one (1) and eight (8) of an act entitled an act to prevent horses, mules, asses, cows, hogs, sheep and goats from running uncontrolled on crops in beat No. five and in beat No. eight in Barbour county, and to prescribe a rule of damages and rules of protection in the trial of cases under the act, approved February 18th, 1889.

W. L. CLAY,
Sec'ty.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The senate bills just received were severally read one time and referred to appropriate committees as follows:
s. 293, to ways and means;
s. 296, to corporations;
s. 364, and s. 355, to judiciary;
s. 357, to revision of laws ;
s. 365, to local legislation;
s. 189, to education;
The joint resolution requesting the return by the governor of house bill 173, was concurred in.
The senate amendment to H. 273, title set out in above mes-sage was concurred in—yeas 62, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Talla-poosa, Appleton, Avery, Bain, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clayton, Coleman, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Wade, Watters, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.
The senate amendment to H. 369, title of which is set out in above message, was concurred in—yeas 62, nays 0.
Yeas-*-Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Ayres, Bain, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Foster, Gass, Harrell, Harris, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Jones, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Long-shore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Madison, Parks, Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Sim- mons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.

CONFERENCE REPORT.

Mr. Speaker:
Your committee of conference on the disagreement of the

two houses on H. 87, a bill to be entitled an act to amend sec- tion 3 and paragraphs 5, 7, 9, 10 and 13 and section 4 and sec- tion 9 and 10 of an act entitled an act, to provide for a char- ter for the city of Jasper, in Walker county, Alabama, ap- proved February 6, 1889,

Have had the same under consideration and beg to report as follows: And your committee suggest the following as a substitute for the senate amendments.

Amend by striking out in section 3 the words, "3 months," and inserting the words "30 days," amend section 4 (26 line on 3rd page of bill) by striking out the words "3 months" and inserting the words "30 days," amend section 4 by inserting the words "by any person" after the word "identified" (in the 20th line of the third page, of engrossed bill), also amend by adding to the latter part of section 2 the following, "and should the office of mayor become vacant by death, resignation, or from any other cause then it shall he the duly of the board of aldermen, to elect a properly qualified citizen of the city of Jasper, who may hold the office of mayor with full powers thereto, until the next annual election," and amend the title or caption of the bill by striking out the word "thirteen." Your committee recommend the adoption of said substitute, all of which is respectfully submitted.

JOHN T. MILNER,
WM. E. SKEGGS,
W. W. HARALSON,
Committee on part of the senate.
J. V. SMITH,
T. L. LONG,
J. M. FOSTER,
Committee on part of the house.

The above conference report was concurred in—yeas 56, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tal-lapoosa, Appleton, Bain, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Buck, Clay-ton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch. Gass, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Parker, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Ramsay, Rous-seau, Screws, Smith of Russell, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

RESOLUTION.

Was offered as follows:
By Mr. Smith of Russell.
Resolved, That at the evening session, whenever discussions on any local bill exceeds ten minutes, said bill shall be placed back on the calendar, and the next county called.
Which was referred to the committee on rules.

SPECIAL ORDERS.

Were set as follows :
s. 232, February 4th, at 4 p. m.; s. 340, continuing special order February 5th, 12 m.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker:
The senate concurs in the house joint resolution requesting the return from the governor of house bill 273½;
And has adopted the joint resolution herewith sent relative to the issuance by the governor of certain bonds to the South and North Alabama Railroad Company ;
And has amended as therein shown and as amended has passed the bills:
H. 173, To amend sections 1, 7, 15, 16, 19, 21, 23 and 24 of an act entitled an act to establish a criminal court for the county of Pike with criminal jurisdiction in misdemeanor cases and to repeal certain sections therein ;
H. 109. To establish a new charter for the town of Pratt Mines in Jefferson county;
H. 372. To amend the caption and sections one (1) and eight (8) of an act entitled an act to prevent horses, mules, asses, cows, hogs, sheep and goats from running uncontrolled on crops in beat No. five and in beat No. eight in Butler county, and to prescribe a rule of damages and rules of pro- tection in the trial of cases under the act, approved February 18th,1889.

W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The senate joint resolution relative to issuance by the gov- ernor of certain bonds was referred to the committee on ways and means :

The house concurred in the senate amendments to the fol-lowing bills:

H. 173. Title set out in above senate message;

Yeas 53, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Ap-pleton, Armistead, Ayres, Bain, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Huf-hani, Jones, Judge, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lewis, Long- shore, Loveless, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Pettus, Poole, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rather, Sayre, Simmons, Smaw, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Cren-shaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

Also,

H. 109. Title set out in above senate message;

Yeas 54, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Ap-pleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayers, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Cooper, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Gass, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Jones, Lane, Lang- ley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Loveless, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Pettus, Poole, Rather, Sayre, Simmons, Smaw, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Cren-shaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood Wilson, Young.

Also,

H. 372. Title set out in above senate message;

Yeas 54, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Ap-pleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Burford, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Gass, Harrell, Harris, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Lang- ley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Loveless, Nolen, Northing-ton, Parks, Pettus, Powell, Rather, Rousseau, Screws, Spark- man, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of

Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker:
The president of the senate having signed the following bills, your signature thereto is requested :
s. 246. To authorize the mayer and aldermen of the city of Huntsville to issue certain negotiable bonds to an amount not exceeding twenty thousand dollars ;
s. 47. To prevent trespass on state lands ;
s. 245. To amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the city of Fort Payne, DeKalb county, Alabama, approved February 28th, 1889;
s. 208. To fix the number of representatives in the house of representatives of the general assembly of this state and to apportion them among the several counties of the state ;
s. 271. To fix the times and places of holding the chancery courts in the south-western chancery division of the state of Alabama;
s. 209. To provide for senatorial representation in the general assembly of Alabama;
s. 52. To regulate the admission of patients in the Alabama Insane Hospital.

W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

REPORT FROM COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Speaker:
The committee on enrolled bills report the following bills correctly enrolled :
H. 340. To amend section 4592 of the code;
H. 612. To amend section 4641 of the code;
H. 467. To prohibit the selling, giving away or disposing of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors or of alcoholic beverages of any kind in Sumter county;
H. 381. To incorporate the city of Ozark in the county of Dale.

C. C. RATHER,
Chairman.

SIGNING OF BILLS.

The speaker of the house, in the presence of the house, im-mediately after their titles had been publicly read by the clerk, signed the bills, the titles of which are set out in the foregoing report of the committee on enrolled bills, and in the foregoing senate message.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker:
The senate requests the return to the senate of the follow- ing bills:
H. 372. To amend the caption and sections one (1) and eight (8) of an act entitled an act to prevent horses, mules, asses, cows, hogs, sheep and goats from running uncontrolled on crops in beat No. five and in beat No. eight in Butler county, and to prescribe a rule of damages and rules of pro- tection in the trial of cases under the act, approved February 18th, 1889;
s. 179. To provide for the distribution of the money re- ceived by the state of Alabama each year, in pursuance of the act of congress, approved March 2nd, 1887, and known as the Hatch act, which is entitled an act to establish agricultural experiment stations in connection with the colleges estab- lished in the several states under the provisions of an act ap-proved July 2nd, 1862, and of the acts supplementary thereto.

W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE.

On motion the request of the senate for the return of H. 372 and s. 179 was complied with.
On motion H. 919 was recommitted to the the judiciary committee and H. 967 was recommitted to revision of laws;
And the house resumed consideration of H. 648 and pend- ing consideration,
At 1 p. m. the house adjourned till 3 p. m. to-day.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.
A quorum was present.
The house resumed consideration of

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

s. 174. To create a new charter for the town of Jackson- ville, Alabama,
Was taken up.
Mr. Cooper offered an amendment which was adopted.
The bill was read a third time at length and passed—yeas 57, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tal-lapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Harrell, Harris, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Longshore, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Ram- say, Rather, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, Wilson, Young.
s. 341. To relieve Helen E. Lewis of Hale county of the disabilities of non-age,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 59, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Sumter, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Gass, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Judge, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Powell, Purifoy, Ramsay, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.
H. 210. To receive and appropriate the money granted to the state of Alabama by the act of congress approved August 30, 1890, entitled an act to apply a portion of the proceeds of

the public lands to the more complete endowment and support of the colleges for the benefit of agriculture and mechanic arts, &c., and for other purposes.

The substitute was adopted.

The bill was read the third time at length and passed— yeas 55, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tal-lapoosa, Appleton, Ayres, Bishop, Blackwell, Buck, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Gass, Harrell, Harris, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Moore •of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Parker, Parks, Powell, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Screws, Smith of Dallas, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Cren-shaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 913. To regulate the trial of misdemeanors in Shelby county, Alabama,

Was taken up.

On motion of Mr. Longshore, the county of Winston was added to and included in the provisions of the bill; and the bill,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 64, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tal-lapoosa, Appleton, Armstead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Gass, Harrell, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Jones, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis,Long-shore, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Sparkman, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Cren-shaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 290. For the relief of Newton Eddings of Shelby county, Was read the third time at length and lost—yeas 11, nays 61.

Yeas—Messrs. Ayres, Bain, Bass, Cooper, Harrell, Leslie, Longshore, Peacock, Poole, Wade, White.

Nays—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Ama- 37 h

son of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Bishop, Blackwell, Buck, Burford, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Foster, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kemp, Lane, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Loveless, Moore of Bald-win, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parer, Parks, Pet- tus, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Thrasher, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 649. To refund to Wm. Mastin of Elmore county thirty and 75-100 dollars, wrongfully paid by him as taxes to the state,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 68, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Ama- son of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Foster, Gass, Harrell, Harris, Howle, Jack- son, Jonhson, Jones, Lane, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Long-shore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, North-ington, Parks, Pettus, Powell, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rous-seau, Scott, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend, of Limestone, Town- send of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, white. Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 628. To authorize the mayor and aldermen of the city of Girard to establish a system of public schools in said city,

Was read the third time at length and passed—Yeas 53, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Apple-ton, Armistead, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davis of Fay-ette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Foster, Harrell, Harris, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kemp, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Screws, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Town-send of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 312. To amend au act entitled an act to incorporate the town of Gordon, in Henry county, Alabama, approved Febru- ary 1st, 1872,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 58, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs, Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Apple-ton, Armistead, Avery, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Buck, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of F., Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Foster, Harrell, Harris, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kemp, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Lovless, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Smith of Dallas, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, thrasher, Town- send of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 660. To prohibit the sale, giving away or otherwise dis-posing of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors within three miles of Adoniran Church, in beat 5, Henry county, Alabama,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 63, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Buck, Burford, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Foster, Gass, Harrell, Harris, Howle, Hufham, Jackson. Johnson, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Screws, Simmons, Spark-man, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 359. To amend section 5, an act entitled an act to reg- ulate the holding of the circuit court of Henry county, ap- proved February 17th, 1885,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 55, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Ayres, Bain, Bass, Bishop, Black- well, Brown, Cooper. Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Foster, Harrell, Harris, Hill, Howle,

Hufham, Jones, Kemp, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madi-son, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Smaw, Steele, Thrasher, Town- send of Pike, Tucker of Crenshow, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 707. To incorporate the town of Springville with the boundaries hereinafter designated, and to establish a new charter for said town,

Was amended and read the third time at length and passed—yeas 55, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Ama- son of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Burford, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Foster, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hill, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kemp, Lane, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Powell, Ramsay, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

s. 224. To require the commissioners court of Sumter county to appropriate money from the general fund of the county from which to pay the claims against the fine and for-feiture fund of said county, and to provide the manner of such payment,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 60, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tal-apoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Burford, Coleman, Cooper, Cor-nelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Foster, Harrell, Harris, Hill, Howle, Huf- ham, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kemp, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, North-ington, Parker, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Screws, Smaw, Steele, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

s. 303. To incorporate the Black Warrior Railroad Com- pany and to further the construction of a railroad,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 58, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon', Amason of Sumter, Ama- son of Tallapoosa, Avery, Bain, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Edwards, Foster, Harrell, Harris, Hill, Howle, Huf- ham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Longshore, Love-less, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Nolen., Parker, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Whatley, White, Wood, Young.

H. 860. For the relief of Wm. B. Morgan of Jefferson county,

Was taken up.

The bill was amended by adding “Glenn Scoggins” in the title and body of the bill after “Wm. B. Morgan,” where it occurs, and the bill

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 56, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Ama- son of Tallapoosa, Avery, Bain, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Foster, Gass, Harrell, Harris, Hill, Johnson, Jones, Kemp, Langley, Lee or Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Smaw, Sparkman, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Webb, White, Wilson, Young.

H. 531. To ratify and confirm the organization of the Bir-mingham and Atlantic Railroad Company, and to confirm and amend the charter thereof,

Was taken up.

The amendment offered by the committee was adopted, and the bill

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 56, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Bar- nett, Bass, Bishop, Brown, Burford, Coleman, Cooper, Cor-nelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayettee, Edwards, Foster, Gass, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Johnson, Jones, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Love-less, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rousseau, Scott,

Simmons, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Town-send of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauder- dale, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.

s. 163. To authorize and empower the governor of Ala- bama to issue a patent to the heirs of John Henderson, de-ceased, to the N. W. ¼ of the N. E, ¼ and N. E. ¼ of N. W. ¼ of section sixteen, township eighteen of range 5, east of Talla-dega county,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 53, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery. Ayres, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Burford, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayettee, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Foster, Harrell, Harris, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Jones, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leslie. Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Pettus, Poole, Purifoy, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauder- dale, Wade, Watters, Webb, white, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 470. To amend an act entitled an act for the preserva- tion of game animals and birds in the counties of Tuskaloosa and Calhoun, approved February 28th, 1889, so far as the same applies to Tuskaloosa county,

Was taken up.

The amendment offered by the committee to add Crenshaw, Lee and Calhoun counties to the caption and body of the bill was adopted, and the bill

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 57, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Ap-pleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Burford, Crews, Cox. Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Foster, Gass, Harris, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Jones, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Leslie, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Lime- stone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Watters, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 686. To amend an act entitled an act to prohibit the sale, giving away or otherwise disposing of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors within one-half mile of the City Mission

Church, and the Corinthian Baptist Church in Mobile county, and other places named therein, and known as the Omnibus liquor bill, approved December 10, 1890,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 53, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Avery, Barnett, Bevis, Blackwell, Brown, Cole-man, Cooper, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Foster, Gass, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, .Nolen, Parker, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Ramsay, Scott, Simmons, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Whatley, while, Wood, Wilson, Young.
H. 773. To authorize and empower the board of mayor and aldermen of the city of Tuskaloosa to issue bonds of said city, not to exceed thirty-three thousand dollars, for the pur- pose of taking up and refunding all outstanding bonds of said city, upon which eight per cent, per annum is being paid as interest at the present time.
Was taken up.
Mr. Clements (Mr. Watters in the chair) offered an amend-ment, which was adopted, and the bill
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 55, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Ap-pleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Coleman, Cooper, Crews, Cox, David-son, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Foster, Har- rell, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Parker, Peacock, Poole, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rather, Screws, Sparkman, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Town-send of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.
H. 226; To amend an act in relation to the trial of mis-demeanors in Tuskaloosa and other counties therein named, in so far as the same relates to Tuskaloosa county,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 54, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Armi-stead, Ayres, Barnett, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Burford, Coop-

er, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Foster, Gass, Har-rell, Howle, Hufham, Jones, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Bar-bour, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood.

H. 630. To declare the Black Warrior river a navigable stream within the limits of Walker county and to prohibit the obstruction of the same,

Was taken up.

Mr. Long offered an amendment, which was adopted and the bill

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 57, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton. Ayres, Barnett, Bishop, Blacwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Cooper, Crews, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Gass, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Long- shore, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rather, Sayre, Scott, Simmons, Steele, thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Webb, Whatley, white, Wood, Wilson, Young.

s. 187. To define a lawful wire fence in Wilcox and Sum- ter counties,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 56, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa,Apple- ton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Burford, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Foster, Harrell, Harris, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Long-shore, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Sparkman, Steele. thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

s. 78. To provide for bells at public ferries in Wilcox county,

Was read the third time at length and passed—Yeas 60, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Ap- pleton, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Foster, Gass, Harris, Henry, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Parker, Parks, Pettus, Poole, Purifoy, Ram-say, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Simmons, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Cren-shaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 712. To prohibit the sale, giving away or otherwise dis-posing of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors or intoxicating beverages except for medical or church purposes in beat No. 5 in Winston county, Alabama,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 58, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Ap-pleton, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Foster, Gass, Harrell, Harris, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Jones, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Pettus, Poole, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Smaw, Sparkman, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Lime-stone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 802. To incorporate the Montgomery Manufacturers Aid and Improvement Company,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 56, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Armi-stead, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Bur- ford, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Foster, Gass, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Parker, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Purifoy, Rather, Sayre, Scott, Sim- mons, Sparkman, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Town- send of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, White, Wilson, Young.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker:
The senate returns herewith senate bill 179, recalled from the house, the said bill being returned unchanged as passed originally by the senate.

W. L. CLAY,
Sect'y.

SENATE MESSAGE.

s. 179 was referred to committee on education.
At 6:20 p. m. the house adjourned till 9 a. m. to-morrow.

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THIRTY-NINTH DAY.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
WEDNESDAY, Feb. 4, 1891.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.
Prayer by Rev. Mr. Thompson of the city.
A quorum was present.
The journal of yesterday was read and approved.

SPECIAL ORDER

H. 832. To amend section 1120 of the code,
Was taken up.
Mr. Smith of Russell, moved to recommit the bill to the committee on privileges and elections.
Lost.
On motion of Mr. Pettus, the bill and amendments were recommitted to the judiciary committee, with instructions to report the bill back to the house on or before Saturday next at 10 a. m.

SPECIAL ORDER.

First.

H. 626. To protect manufacturers, bottlers and dealers in ale, porter, lager beer, soda, mineral waters, and other bev- erages, from the loss of their casks, barrels, kegs, bottles and boxes,
Was taken up.
Mr. Quarles offered a substitute with the following title: To protect the owners of bottles, boxes, syphons, foun- tains and kegs used in the sale cf sodn. water, mineral or aerated waters, porter, ale, cider, ginger ale, milk, cream, small beer, lager beer, weiss beer, white beer, or other beverage,
Which was adopted.
The bill was read the third time at length and passed— yeas 52, nays 5.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Blackwell, Brown, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Davis of Lamar, Ed- wards, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Jackson, John- son, Jones, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Thrasher, Town- send of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauder- dale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, Wilson, Young.
Nays—Messrs. Clayton, Cox, Meador, White, Wood.

Second.

s. 34. To extend the geological and agricultural survey of the State of Alabama.
Mr. Clements offered the following amendment:
Add at the end of section 1 the following :
“And it shall be the duty of the state geologist and his as-sistants, when they discover any deposit of iron ore, coal phosphates or other substances of value, to notify immedi- ately the owners of the land upon which such deposits oc- cur.”
Adopted.
Mr. Brewer offered the following amendment :

Amend by striking out “seven thousand five hundred” where those words occur in the bill and insert the words “five thousand” in lieu thereof.
Lost.
Yeas 25, nays 60.
Yeas—Messrs. Armistead, Avery, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Brewer, Coleman, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Harrell, Hufham, Kemp, Lee of Conecuh, Longshore, Love- less, Northington, Poole, Scott, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.
Nays—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Aamason of Sumter, Am-ason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Ayres, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clayton, Cooper, Crews, Davis of “Fayette, Edwards, Finch, Foster, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Henry, Hill, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Lane, Lang- ley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Meador, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rousseau, Sayre, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Watters, Webb, Wood.
The bill was read the third time at length and passed— yeas 70, nays 8.
Veas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Ama- son of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Bain, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clayton,Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Foster, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Les- lie, Long, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rous- seau, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Young.
Nays—Messrs. Barnett, Brewer, Harrell, Longshore, Northington, Poole, Townsed of Pike, and Wilson.
Mr. Pettus moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed, and to lay that motion on the table, and the lat- ter motion was
Carried.

RECONSIDERATION.

On motion of Mr. Long, the house reconsidered the vote by which it concurred in the senate amendment to H. 369. To provide for elections in Jasper beat, Horse Creek beat, Day's Gap beat, and Carbon Hill beat, in Walker county, Alabama, to determine whether or not the sale, giving away, or otherwise disposing of vinous, malt or spirituous liquors in the incorporated towns now in said beats, shall be prohibited,
And, on motion, the house non-concurred in the senate amendment to said bill.

RESOLUTION.

By Mr. Long—
Resolved, That on and after Thursday, 5th of February, the call of counties be continued, and each county having only one representative be entitled to call up two local bills; Provided, that this shall apply to the new call of counties as commenced this day, February 4th, 1891.
Which was referred to the committee on rules.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

H. 473. To require all corporations hereafter chartered under the general laws or under special laws, to pay for the certificate for the charter,
Was taken up.
The substitute was adopted.
Mr. Avery offered the Following amendment :
Strike out “one hundred” in section 2 of the bill, and insert “fifty;”
Lost.
Mr. Moore of Madison, moved to substitute “five dollars” for “twenty-five,” where it occurs.
Adopted.
On motion of Mr. Lee of Barbour, the bill was made a special order for Saturday, February 7 at 10 o’clock.

BILLS ON FIRST READING.

Bills were introduced, read severally the first time, and re-ferred to appropriate committees, as follows:

By Mr. Harrell—

H. 1026. To authorize the judge of probate of Butler county to order an election to determine whether spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, or intoxicating beverages, shall be sold, given away, or otherwise disposed of in the town of Georgiana and precinct 14 of said county ;

Temperance.

By Mr. Edwards—

H. 1027. To appropriate ten thousand dollars for the transfer and removal of prisoners by sheriffs of Alabama from other states for the years 1891 and 1892;

Appropriations.

By Mr. Clayton, (by request)—

H. 1028. To pay for articles purchased for the use of the senate and house of representatives and for repairing and furnishing the rooms of the engrossing and enrolling clerks of the house of representatives ;

Appropriations.

By Mr. Hufham—

H. 1029. To incorporate the Salem Camp Ground Asso- ciation of Bullock county ;

Temperance.

By Mr. Guthrie, (with petition)—

H. 1030. To establish a separate school district to be known as the Good Hope School District in Cullman county, Alabama, and to provide for the election of a board of trus- tees for said school district with certain duties and powers; Education.

By Mr. Davis of Fayette—

H. 1031. To prohibit the sale, giving away, bartering, ex-changing, or otherwise disposing of alcoholic, vinous or malt liquors, or intoxicating bitters, beverages, or fruits preserved in alcoholic liquors, within six miles of Mount Vernon, Mo- bile county, Alabama;

Temperance.

By Mr. Sullivan, (by request)—

H. 1032. To provide for the appointment of game and fish wardens for the counties of Mobile and Baldwin, and to prescribe their powers and duties ;

Revision of laws.

By Mr. Foster—

H. 1033. To amend section 2 of an act approved February 10th, 1887, entitled an act to provide for the election of a

superintendent of education for the county of Tuskaloosa, and to define his duties;
Privileges and elections.
By Mr. Steele, (by request)—
H. 1034. To amend an act to amend an act to prohibit the sale or giving away of any vinous, spirituous or malt liquors in the town of Dayton, or within six miles of said town, approved December 12, 1882;
Temperance.
By Mr. Armistead—
H. 1035. To regulate charges by sleeping car companies in this state ;
Judiciary.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

The following bills were reported favorably from the com-mittees, read the second time severally, and placed upon the calendar:
H. 748. To incorporate the Southern Steel Company;
H. 696. To amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the town of Brewton, in Escambia county, approved February 13, 1885;
s. 120. To incorporate the city of Ashville, in St. Clair county, Alabama;
s. 299. To grant certain rights-of-way to the Montgom- ery and Sylacauga Railway Company;
H. 304. To provide for the adoption of a uniform series of text books by the counties of this state for use in the pub- lic schools;
H. 1009. To authorize the state superintendent of educa- tion to hold state conventions of county superintendents of education, (with substitute) ;
H. 869. For the relief of needy Confederate soldiers and sailors, residents of Alabama, who from wounds or other causes, are now unable to earn a livelihood; and for the widows of such as were killed or died in said war and have not since re-married, (with amendment) ;
H. 784. To declare null and void certain sales of lands made by the tax collector of Conecuh county in the year 1889 for the year 1888;
H. 982. To authorize the mayor and councilmen of Troy to issue bonds of said city for an amount not exceeding

twenty-five thousand dollars for the purpose of erecting and improving school and other public buildings;
H. 981. To authorize the mayor and councilmen of Troy to erect and maintain a system of electric lights, and to issue bonds in payment thereof in an amount not exceeding $20,000 (twenty thousand dollars);
H. 803. To amend an act entitled an act to amend sections 463 and 529 of the code, approved February 28, 1889, (with substitute);
H. 737. For the relief of E. R. Freeman, clerk of the circuit court of Franklin county, Alabama, (with amendment); H. 309. To fix the compensation of the sheriff of Calhoun county for ex-officio services (with substitute);
H. 1010. For the payment of five coupons of Class A bonds destoyed by fire, (with amendment);
H. 1024. To cede the United States jurisdiction over the lands of Mount Vernon barracks and Fort Morgan;
H. 929. To establish a separate school district in Cherokee county, and to define the boundaries thereof;
H. 965. To encourage the study of the geography and history of Alabama;
s. 261. To amend sections 2 and seven of an act entitled an act to constitute the city of Montgomery a separate school district;
H. 940. To provide for the payment of costs of appeal in criminal cases, (with amendment);
H. 944. To prescribe and regulate the purchase of supplies for the several county offices, court house, jail, almshouse and convict camp of Jefferson county;
H, 757. To create a new county of portions of Clarke, Marengo and Wilcox counties, said county to be called the county of Herndon;
s. 288. To provide for a vote of the people on the subject of a permanent location of the county site of Franklin- county;
s. 296. To amend section 2 of an act entitled an act to auhorize the Macon and Birmingham Railroad Company, a corporation under the laws of Georgia, to construct, maintain and operate its railroad within the State of Alabama, and do all other things needful for that purpose;
s. 344. To incorporate the Mobile Transportation Company, and to define the powers of said company.
The committees on ways and means reported favorably on

the senate joint resolution authorizing the governor to issue certain bonds to the South and North Alabama R. R. Co.,
And it was adopted.
The committee on federal relations reported favorably on the following resolution, which was offered by Mr. Davis of Fayette.
And it was adopted.

JOINT RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Major A. N. Damrell, of the United States corps of engineers has made a favorable report on his survey of the Sipsey river, from Vienna, on the Tombigbee river, which is at the mouth of the Sipsey river to the Kansas City Railway in Fayette county, a distance of one hundred and forty-five miles reciting that With an improved river there would be a saving in freight on cotton and plantation sup- plies of not less than fifteen thousand dollars ($15,000.00) per year and there would soon be a large coal trade developed,"
Be it therefore resolved by the General Assembly of Ala- bama, That oar Senators and Representatives in Congress are hereby requested to use their earnest endeavor to secure such appropriation for the improvement of the Sipsey river as will open up uninterrpted water transportation from the great Warrior coal field to Mobile, the seaport of our state, thus accomplishing a work of incalculable value to the State of Alabama, and also to the commere of the United States. Mr. Clayton, from the committee on rules, submitted the following report, as an additional rule :
Rule —. When the discussion on any local bill consumes more than ten minutes it shall go back on the calendar and the next county shall be called,
Which was adopted.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker:
The senate has amended as therein shown and as amended has passed the bills:
H. 217. To authorize the laying off the county of Pike into commissioners districts, and providing for the election of commissioners by the qualified voters of the county;

H. 82. To preserve order at the Corn House camp-ground in the county of Randolph, Alabama, and Payne Chapel camp ground, Lamar county, Alabama;
And has passed without amendment the bills :
H. 692. For the relief of Burwell Y. Burns of Choctaw CKunty, Alabama;
H. 219. To authorize the commissioners court of Russell and Shelby counties to lay off said counties into four com-missioners districts and to provide the manner of electing the county commissioners;
H. 137. To provide for the teaching in the public schools of physiology and hygiene with reference to the effects of alcoholic drinks stimulants and narcotics upon the human system ;
H. 370. To authorize the mayor and city council of Annis- ton to issue bonds of said city for an amount not exceeding fifty thousand dollars for the purpose of purchasing land and erecting and equipping school buildings thereon;
H 642. To prescribe the time when taxes shall become delinquent in the county of Chambers;
H. 258 For the relief of M. A. Jennings of Shelby county.

W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE.

Vhe house concurred in the senate amendments to the bills:
H. 217. The title of which is set out in the above senate message.
Yeas 57. nays 1.
Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tal- lapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Burford, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Guthrie, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Jones, Lane, Langley, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Madi- son, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rousseau, Sayre, Smaw, Smith of Pallas, Smith of Russell, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Wade, Watters, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.
Nay—Lee of Barbour.

Also,
H. 82. The title of which is set out in the foregoing sen- ate message,
Yeas 58, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tal-lapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Burford, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davis of Lamar, Guthrie, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Kemp, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Madison, No- len, Northington. Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rather, Sayre, Screws, Sro.aw, Smith of Rus- sell, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

By Mr. Jackson, his private secretary.

CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICE,
MONTGOMERY, ALA.,
February 4, 1891.

To the General Assembly :
I commend to your consideration the following subjects, upon which legislation is recommended:

SECTION 9, ARTICLE 5 OF THE CONSTITUTION.

The power given the governor by section 9, article 5 of the constitution to call upon the officers therein named for information is often absolutely essential to the proper discharge of his duty "to take care that the laws be faithfully executed." This provision is not self executing, and there is no penalty for refusing to give the information when required by the governor. I recommend the passage of an act punishing the failure or refusal of any officer properly called on to give the information required by the governor under this section of the constitution. There have been instances in this state where the governor's authority, under this section has been denied.

SECTION 23, ARTICLE 14 OF THE CONSTITUTION.

The general assembly owes it to itself to pass proper legis-lation to make effective section 23 of article 14 of the con-stitution. So long as the constitution remains in force we are all bound by it, and cannot excuse our failure to execute it by discussions as to its wisdom.

The failure to enact proper legislation heretofore, though several times attempted, has not been, I take it, from indis-position to enforce the constitution ; but resulted from the fact that many members of past general assemblies did not concur in the strict construction given this section of the con-stitution by the framers of the bills intended to put it in force. The purpose of the constitution undoubtedly was to prevent the giving of passes to those who would not receive them but for their official position, and who would be put under obligations thereby. There is also force in the sug- gestion urged by those who have opposed bills on this sub- ject in the past, that the constitution did not require an officer of a railroad who received a pass as part of his pay, or a person who held a pass in satisfaction of damages for right of way, or an editor who had received one for advertis- ing, and the like, to restrain from using his property because the people had elected him a member of the general assem- bly or to a state office—that the use of passes, under such circumstances, although it might be in the letter, did not come within the mischief intended to be remedied by the constitution, and was not, therefore, in the spirit of the pro-hibition. Differences of opinion on these points have here- tofore prevented all legislation to make effective this useful provision of the constitution. Your wisdom will teach what exceptions, if any. should be made as to the use of passes by members of the general assembly and stale officers. There should be no hesitation in passing proper laws on the sub- ject. A broken law is a reproach to any people. The con- stitution itself says, “It is the duty of the general assembly to enact all laws to give effect to the provisions of this con-stitution,” and we are sworn to support it.

SECTION 48, ARTICLE 4 OF THE CONSTITUTION.

Section 48, article 4 of the constitution makes it the duty of the general assembly to regulate by law the cases in

which deductions shall be made from salaries of officers for neglect of duty in their official capacity. Further legislation on this subject would conduce to the efficiency of the public service.

SECTION 4, ARTICLE 5 OF THE CONSTITUTION.

Section 4, of article 5 of the constitution provides that contested elections for certain state offices shall be determined by both houses of the general assembly, "in such manner as may be prescribed by law." In one instance, at least, in the past history of the state, the absence of such regulations established by law, caused serious commotion, and was made the excuse for attempting to enjoin an officer, whose election had been duly declared by the general assembly in accordance with the constitution and laws, from performing his functions as governor.

SECTION 7, ABTICLE 12 OF THE CONSTITUTION.

Section 7 of Article 12 of the Constitution, requires the general assembly to provide for the safe keeping of the military records, banners and relics of the state. Adequate provision should be made tor obtaining and publishing the muster rolls of such of her gallant sons as have answered to the call of the state in times of war, and to collect and publish such material as may be accessible, as relates to their heroic deeds and services.

PUBLIC LANDS.

I invite your attention to the defective condition of the records of the lands in which the state is interested. The records in the possession of the state give comparatively little information on the subject, and there is no doubt that much valuable land has been lost to the state in the past, for lack of proper information on this point. It appears that there is a large amount of land in Louisiana certified to the State of Alabama, which, so far as our imperfect records show, has never been sold or disposed of. The lands in which the state is interested, are being depredated upon, and there seems to be no practical way to prevent it under existing laws. The provision should be made

by law, charging some officer with the care and protection of these lands, and for obtaining from Washington accurate tracts and plats of all the lands in whieh the state is inter- ested.

STATE TROOPS.

The state troops are efficient, and the organization is one of which the state may well be proud. Owing to lack of uniforms, pressure of business and other reasons, at least forty per cent of the total number borne on the rolls is inef-fective. Our citizen soldiery defray the greater part of main-taining the expense of the organization; the appropriation of the state being a comparatively small part of the total cost.

The money appropriated by the state, if regarded solely as a premium paid for insurance against lawlessness, is a wise and economical expenditure. The existence of this or-ganization strengthens that sense of security and stability which is so essential to a healthy and prosperous develop- ment of civilized communities; and if there were no other reason, this would amply justify the comparatively small appropriation which the state makes for their support.

The organization is a training school tor those who compose it, in man.ly virtues, obedience to law, respect for authority, and inspires devotion to the state and pride in her institutions; and the help which the state gives it is judicious on that, if no other ground.

The present appropriation for encampment expenses has never paid their actual cost; but has always left a large sum to be borne by officers and men out of their private means. As the troops give their time for nothing, provide their own uniforms and tents, and submit to the exactions of discipline for the purpose of becoming better instructed in their duties as citizen soldiery, it is not right that the state should tax them when they are ordered into camp.

There is no ground to hope that the state will have less need for their services in the future than it has had in the past. I trust the Legislature will appropriate the amount asked for in the bill to make appropriations for encampment ex- penses, which is now pending in one of your honorable bodies.

It would promote economy, and be of good to the service,

if an additional regiment were formed, so that the commands in each regiment might be better located with reference to its headquarters. Under the present system, some of the companies in order to reach their regimental encampments have to travel several hundred miles beyond a nearer regi- mental headquarters.

The officers, when charged with aiding the civil authori- ties in enforcing the law, have very delicate duties to per- form, and very much depends upon their discretion and judgment. Provision should be made by law for examining all officers before commissioning them. Rifle practice is very essential to the efficiency of the organization, and I recommend that the office of inspector of rifle practice be created with the rank of major, one to be attached to each regiment.

The state now has to account to the general government for any loss or deterioration in arms and equipment. The property of some of the batteries, which cost thousands of dollars, is exposed to the weather, and liable thereby to get out of order. Some provision should be made, other than now exists by law, to provide a place for the safe keeping of the pieces and equipment of the batteries.

COLOR-BLIND EXAMISERS AND EXAMINERS OF LOCOMOTIVE EN-GINEERS.

Under the provisions of the "act to require locomotive en-gineers in this state to be examined and licensed by a board to be appointed by the governor for that purpose," approved February 28, 1887, five examiners were appointed. The tenure of these examiners is practically for life, as the act fixes no term, and there is no power to remove them for neg- lect of duty or other good cause, nor are they included among the officers for whose impeachment present laws provide.

The same observations apply, with equal force, to the ex aminers appointed nuder an "act for the protection of the traveling public against accidents caused by color blindness and defective vision," approved February 28, 1887, except that provision is made for revoking their appointment upon recommendation of the state board of health. The state board of health, however, is composed of the State Medical Association of the State of Alabama. It has a large mem- bership, and meets once a year. It cannot lawfully delegate

authority to a committee to act for it in recommending a removal, and the provision for removal is therefore practically useless. The power which can be trusted to appoint these examiners can certainly be trusted to wisely exercise the power of removal, if in any case it becomes necessary. I recommend legislation accordingly.

CHICKEN OK COCK PITS.

I think I voice the wishes of our people in recommending as I do the passage of a law repealing the provisions of the revenue code which license chicken or cock pits.

THOS. G. JONES,
Governor.

Which, on motion of Mr. Pettus, was referred to the judiciary committee.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Speaker:
The committe on enrolled bills report the following bills correctly enrolled:
H. 273. To amend section 1 of an act protecting game and animals and birds in the counties of Hale and Cullman and Greene, so far as the same applies to Hale county approved February 27,1889,
H. 87. To amend section 2 and paragraphs 5, 7, 9. 10, and section 4 and sections 9 and 10 of an act entitled "an act to provide for a charter for the city of Jasper, in Walker county, Alabama," approved February 6, 1889;
H. 137. To provide for the teaching in the public schools of physiology and hygiene with special reference to the effects of alcoholic drinks, stimulants and narcotics upon the human system;
H. 219. To authorize the commissioners court of Russell and Shelby counties to lay off said counties into four commis-sioners districts and to the manner of electing the county commissioners ;
H. 508 To amend sections 1, 5, 8, and 13 of an act to regulate the practice and proceedings in civil cases in the circuit court of Jefferson county, in this state, and in supreme

court on appeal from judgments rendered in said cases, ap- proved February 28, 1889 ;
H. 642. To prescribe the time when taxes shall become delinquent in the county of Chambers ;
H. 372. To amend the caption and sections one (1) and eight (8) of an act entitled an act to prevent horses, mules, asses, cows, hogs, sheep and goats from running uncontrolled on crops in beat No. five and in beat No. eight in Butler county, and to prescribe a rule of damages and rules of pro- tection in the trial of cases under this act, approved Feb- ruary 18, 1889;
H. 692. For the relief of Burwell Y. Burns, of Choctaw county, Alabama;

C. C. RATHER,
Chairman.

SIGNING OF BILLS.

The speaker of the house in the presence of the house, im-mediately after their titles had been publicly read by the clerk, signed the bills, the titles of which are set out in the foregoing report of the committee on enrolled bills.
On motion, H. 622 was made a special order for 12 m. Feb-ruary 5th.
At 1 p. m. the house adjourned till 3 p. m. to-day.

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AFTERNOON SESSION.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.
A quorum was present.
The house proceeded to the consideration of

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

H. 884. To incorporate the Eufaula Investment and Secu- rity Company,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 57, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Ama- son of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Ayres, Barnett, Bass, Bishop,

Blackwell, Brown, Clayton, Colemen, Cornelius, Crews, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Foster, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parkor, Parks, Peacock. Pettus, Powell, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Smith of Russell, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson. Young.

s. 234. To provide for the election of county supeinten- dent of education of Autauga county,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 54, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Am- ason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Ayres, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Coleman, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Jackson, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 637. To regulate the fine and forfeiture fund of Bar- bour county, and the disposal of moneys arising from fines, forfeitures and convict labor,

Was taken up.

The amendments offered by Mr. Clayton were adopted, and the bill was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 57, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Ap-pleton, Armistead, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Blackwell, Clayton, Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Gass, Harris, Howle, Jackson, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Screws, Simmons, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Watters Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 1001. To establish a new charter for the town of Clay- ton, in Barbour county,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 60, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Ama- son of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bar- nett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Burford, Clayton, Cooper, Cor-nelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of La- mar, Gilchrist, Harrell, Howle, Huff ham, Johnson, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Madison, North-ington, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rousseau, Screws, Smaw, Sparkman, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

s. 243. To authorize the court of county commissioners of DeKalb county to issue bonds of said county to an amount not exceeding thirty thousand dollars, and to dispose of the same for the purpose of securing means for building a court house and providing the same with suitable furniture, and for building an addition to the county jail of said county,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 58, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Clayton, Cooper, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Gass, Gilchrist, Harrell, Harris, Howle, Jackson. Judge, Kemp, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rous- seau, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 362. To authorize the payment of an account of The Brown Printing Company,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 63, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Ap-pleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Burford, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Edwards, Gilchrist, Harrell, Hill, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Judge, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Loveless, Moore of Madi-son, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone,

Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 989. To confirm the incorporation and organization of Hunter, Benn & Co. Company, and to define and declare the powers of said company,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 68, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Burford, Clayton, Cornelius, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Foster, Gass, Guthrie, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Madison, No- len, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Powell Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Sayre, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

The bill was ordered to the senate without engrossment.

H. 868. To divest the title, interest and estate of the State of Alabama out of certain land in Talladega county, and invest the same in Drucilla Lawler,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 56, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Burford, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Gass, Harrell, Harris, Hen- ry, Hill, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless. Meador, Moore of Madi- son, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Townsend of Limestone, Wade, Webb, Young.

H. 551. To confer additional powers upon the Jasper Land Company, a corporation, whose charter was ratified and con-firmed by an act of the general assembly of Alabama, ap- proved February 27th, 1889, for the purpose of enabling the said Jasper Land Company to enhance the value of its prop- erly,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 55, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Ayers, Bain, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Burford, Colemen, Cooper, Cornelius, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Gass, Gordon, Guthrie, Harris, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Con-Conecuh, Leslie, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Parker, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Smith of Russell, Steele, Thrasher, Wade, Webb, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 546. To change the county line between the counties of Tallapoosa and Macon,

Was read the third time at length and lost-—yeas 21, nays 44.

Yeas—Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Hufham, Johnson, Jones, Meador, Parks, Pettus, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Lauderdale.

Nays—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Ayers, Barnett, Brown, Burford, Clanton, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Conecuh, Leigh, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Northing-ton, Powell, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Thrasher, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

s. 232. To authorize the intendant and councilmen of the town of Highlands in the county of Jefferson to issue bonds of said town for an amount not exceeding seventy-five thousand ($75,000) dollars for the purpose of building and con-structing sewers, and making other permanent improvements in said town and paying off the floating debt of said town,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 56, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Sumter, Armistead, Avery, Bain, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Huf- ham, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Northington,

Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell. Ramsay, Rather, Simmons, Sparkman, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

By his private Secretary, Mr. Jackson:

CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICE,
MONTGOMERY, February 4, 1891.

To the General Assembly:

I transmit herewith a memorial of Thomas W. Pitcher and associates, who claim to be the owners of a judgment rendered against the state of Alabama in the chancery court of Hamilton county, Tennessee for the sum of $300,000.

This Judgment, seems to have grown out of the seizure of the Alabama and Chattanooga Railroad Company by Gov- ernor Lindsay in July, 1871. The claim of the memorialists in reference thereto is fully set out in the memorial. They allege that this matter has never been presented to the com-mission appointed to adjust the state debt, and that the com- misiion had no authority to settle the matter.

They ask in view of the facts stated in their petition that the governor recommend a reference of the claim to some officer or commission of the state for investigation.

I recommend that the matter be referred to the attorney general and that a joint resolution be passed by your honor- able bodies instructing him to make a thorough investigation of the facts and report the same to the governor that they may be laid before the next general assembly.

THOS. G. JONES,
Governor,

To His Excellency, the Governor of Alabama :

Thos. W. Pitcher and associates are the owners of a judg- ment for $300,000 rendered by the chancery court of Hamil- ton county, Tenn., against the State of Alabama, of date December 3rd, 1875, on a bond made by the State of Ala- bama, as surety, for Jno. H. Gindrat, as receiver of the prop- erties of the Alabama & Chattanooga Railroad Company. A copy of this bond is hereto attached for your inspection and information.

That you may more readily understand how the State of Alabama became bound on that bond, we have collected the following facts:

On or about the 27th July, 1871, Gov. Lindsay seized the Alabama & Chattanooga Railroad, and operated it for the purpose of reimbursing the stale the interest paid by the state, on bonds of that company, which the company had failed to pay. He found nearly all the rolling stock of the company and all its machinery and materials for building and repairing engines and cars, in the hands of the clerk and master of the chancery court of Hamilton county, Tenn., who held the same as special receiver, under a lawful de- cree of said court made in a cause then pending in said court, wherein J. C. Stanton was complainant and the Ala- bama and Chattanooga Railroad Company and others were defendants.

In order to get possession of these engines, cars, machinery and property. Gov. Lindsay directed that a bill be filed in the name of the State of Alabama against said railroad com- pany, Jno. C. Stanton and others, and it was so filed in said court, on the 31st day of August 1871.

Immediately thereafter the State of Alabama moved the court to appoint Jno. H. Gindrat as the receiver of said court in said cause, and he was so appointed and on the 8th of September, Gindrat gave bond in the sum of $300,000, with the State of Alabama as the sole surety thereon; the state then moved for au order and decree directing and re- quiring that the clerk and roaster of said court turn and de- liver to said Gindrat as such receiver all the property in his hands as special receiver. This was done, and property valued at $234,582, was turned over to said Gindrat as such receiver who filed his receipts therefor in court, and after- wards he received large amounts of other property of said company, for which he receipted as receiver, and filed the receipts in court.

At and before the time of his said appointment as receiver, the said Gindrat was the private secretary of the governor of Alabama, and the other litigants in said court, who were claiming an interest in said property, strenuously opposed his appointment for that reason, but the court overruled them and appointed him receiver and approved his said bond.

Afterwards the case of the State of Alabama against said Alabama and Chattanooga Railroad Company was consoli-

dated with that of J. G. Stanton vs. said company, and afterwards on final hearing both bills were dismissed and both complainants appealed from the decree dismissing their bills, to the supreme court of Tennessee, where the decree dismissing the bill of the State of Alabama was affirmed and it was held that the stale of Alabama took nothing by its said bill, but the decree dismissing the bill of J. C. Stan- ton was reversed and the cause was remanded and pro- ceeded to final decree in favor of Stanton, and in the pro- ceedings thereafter had in said cause, said judgment was rendered on said bond as aforesaid, as it was shown that said Gindrat had wrongfully used and converted to his own use much of the property -which came to his hands, as such re- ceiver and had allowed large quantities thereof, of great value to be taken away from his custody and control and sold or otherwise disposed of, so that the whole of the prop- erty confided by the court to his care and keeping was lost or destroyed, and the complainant, who was adjudged and entitled to a lien thereon for the payment of his judgment against said railroad company for $348,000 was deprived of the only security he had for the payment of any part of his judgment.

This judgment, while rendered in the name of J. C. Stan- ton really belonged to others who had in good faith ad- vanced him money and credit, and afterwards "was trans- ferred to the present owners in part payment of what was justly due them. We are reliably informed that these owners had no knowledge of any of said Stanton's acts and doings in Alabama, nor of his transactions within the State of Ala- bama.

This judgment was never presented or considered by the commissioners appointed "to liquidate and adjust all claims against the State of Alabama, arising from bonds issued or endorsed in the name of this state." Acts 1874-5, p. 102, because they were not authorized by the terms of the act creating them, to adjust such a liability as this, as will clearly appear by reading the 2nd section of that act.

The commissioners themselves put this construction on that act, as shown by their report, page 11, where they en- umerate the indebtedness of the state but do not mention or refer to this judgment, and on page 16 they say :

"It is not our province to make any suggestion in regard to the claim of the South and North Railroad Company or the

amount alleged to be due the school fund. They are not connected in any way with the debt of the state, and do not come within the scope of our investigation and adjustment." P. 16.

And when the commissioners came to draw a formal con- tract between the state and the foreign bondholders, of all the bonds of the state issued in aid of the Alabama and Chattanooga Road, called "straight bonds" or of endorsed bonds, looking to a settlement of the liability of the state, they declare in the 2nd section of exhibit B, p. 32, which is a contract signed by the commissioners and T. W. Snagge, attorney for the bondholders, expressly what liability of the state is extinguished by the execution of that contract, and the liability of this judgment is nowhere mentioned.

We respectfully invite your attention to the equitable doctrine of estoppel, which exerted such influence on the commissioners when they were considering the liability of the state on the bonds issued to, or endorsed for the Ala- bama and Chattanooga Railroad Company, pp. 20-21, and to the legislative approval of the commissioners construction and action, p. 44.

We now ask if the state, by reason of the fact that it seized the railroad and its property, was estopped from denying its liability on the bonds, how does it lie in its mouth to deny its liability on a bond, which it gave a court, in order to get property out of that court and into its control ? And which it was bound to have in order to operate the road, and all of this is done in a cause brought by the state, not in a suit against the state.

The repeal by the state of the law allowing it to be sued, does not in any way affect this question.

The state now has the right to sue in any court of the land, and if it does sue and thereby incurs a liability which is ascertained by the judgment of the court, it would be in the same position legally and morally as it now is in refer- ence to this judgment of the chancery court of Hamilton county, Tenn., in either case the legislature would have to make an appropriation before the ascertained liability could be paid out of the treasury.

Railroad Company vs. Tennessee, 101 TT. S. 337.

Railroad Company vs. Alabama, 101 U. S. 832.

Also note at foot of the last case, p. 835.

In view of the foregoing facts and of the law, applicable to such cases we respectfully urge your excellency to re-commend that the settlement and adjustment of this lia- bilily be referred by an act of the legislature to some officer or commissioners of the state, so that a settlement may be had, which shall be acceptable and honorable alike to the claimants and the state.

WARD AND JOHN,
Attorneys for Thos. W. Pitcher and others.

STATE OF ALABAMA, Montgomery, 1871.

The undersigned, John H. Gindrat and the State of Ala- bama severally acknowledge themselves to owe and be in-debted to James A. Caldwell, clerk and master, and his suc-cessors in office for use and benefit of the parties hereinafter mentioned in the penal sum of three hundred thousand ($300,000) dollars for the payment of which on condition hereinafter stated the said Gindrat binds himself and his legal representatives, and the State of Alabama pledges her faith and credit.

But the condition of the above obligation is such, whereas, in a suit instituted by the State of Alabama in the chancery court of Hamilton county, Tennessee, against the Alabama and Chattanooga railroad company, and others, she has prayed for the appointment of a receiver as will more fully and at large appear from the bill filed in said cause. And, whereas, said court upon her motion and the voluntary tender of this bond, and by and with the consent of a ma- jority of the attaching creditors made parties defendants in said suit, the court has appointed the undersigned, John H. Gindrat, receiver, as prayed for as will more fully appear by the decree of his honor, the chancellor, in the premises which is referred to as explanatory of this bond, and ordered certain property in said decree mentioned delivered over to said Gindrat to be by him held as the receiver of this court, and used and applied as has or may be directed by said court.

Now, therefore, if the said Gindrat shall well and truly execute the decrees of said court in the premises, and dili-gently and faithfully execute the trusts reposed in him as receiver, and account for and pay over all money and prop- lerty in his possession as receiver of this court when required

to do so by a decree of said court, then and in that event the foregoing obligation shall be void as to him. And if the State of Alabama shall well and truly return or cause, or procure a return of all of the property which shall be de- livered by order of said court to said Gindrat as receiver, as aforesaid, when required by the court in like good order and condition, the same as when delivered to said Gindrat as re-ceiver, or in case of failure to so return the property, pay its value in case it should on the final adjudication of said suit, be required to do so by decree of said court, the forego- ing obligation shall be null and void to the State of Alabama. But on the failure of said several obligors to perform any or all of the stipulations herein contained, the same shall re- main in full force and effect. And they consent that a de- cree may be rendered to enforce the condition herein con- tained for the benefit of any person who now or may here- after become a party to said suit; for such damages as they or any one or more of them may be adjudged to have sus- tained by reason of any breech of any one or more of the conditions contained herein.

In witness whereof this obligation is signed, sealed and delivered by the said John H. Gindrat for himself and Robert D. Lindsay, Governor of Alabama, for and in behalf of the State of Alabama, verified by the seal of said state on this the eighth day of September, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one.

JOHN H. GINDRAT. (Seal.)

Robert B. Lindsay, Governor of the State of Alabama.

(Alabama great seal.) Copy.

By unanimous consent Mr. Brown offered the following resolution:

Resolved by the house of representatives, the senate con-curring : That the attorney general be and lie is hereby authorized and required to examine into the validity of a certain judgment for $300,000, of date December 3rd, 1875, rendered by the chancery court of Hamilton county, Ten- nessee, against the State of Alabama, and to report the re- sult of his examination to the governor of this state,

And the rules were suspended and the resolution was adopted.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker :

The senate has amended as therein shown and as amended has passed the bill.

H. 259. To amend section 141 of the code;

And non-concurs in the house amendment to the bill.

s. 25. To require railroad companies to provide suitable water closets on passenger cars or coaches ;

And insists on its amendments to the bill.

H. 369. To provide for election in Jasper beat, or beat No. 1, the town of Day's gap and Carbon Hill town in Walker county, Alabama, to determine whether or not the sale, giving away or otherwise disposing of vinous, malt or spirituous liquors in the incorporated towns now in said beats shall be prohibited ;

And asks a committee of conference thereon. Committee on part of the senate: Messrs, Milner, Skeggs and Haralson; And has originated and passed the bills ;

s. 369. To require the county treasurer of Winston county to register all claims against the county, which have not heretofore been registered as required by law ;

s. 349. To regulate and define the salaries of teachers in the public schools of the State of Alabama;

s. 312. To amend section 4057 of the code of Alabama;

s. 370. To provide for the trial of misdemeanors in Winston county;

s. 361. To require justices of the peace in Wilcox county, to dispose of violations of law within their jurisdiction ;

s. 315. To amend an act entitled an act to amend section 4038 of the code of Alabama;

s. 352. To provide for the holding of a term of the circuit court of the fifth judicial circuit at Alexander city, in the county of Tallapoosa, and to regulate the same; passed February 15th, 1889, so as to increase the jurisdiction thereof;

s. 352. To authorize justices of the peace, and notaries public with ex-officio powers as justices of the peace, in beats 16, 17 and 22, Jefferson county, to exercise exclusive jurisdiction in said beats ;

s. 350. To provide for the adoption of a uniform series of text books for use in the public schools of Morgan county, Alabama;

s. 244. To make additional provisions to the laws regulating the practice of medicine in this state;

s. 319. To establish a reformatory for boys under the age of 17 years;
And has originated and passed and ordered forthwith to the house without engrossment;
s. 132. To fix the time and place of holding circuit court in Geneva, Coffee and Dale counties;
s. 200. Te regulate planting and taking of oysters from the waters of Alabama.

W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGES.

The house concurred in the senate amendmend to
H. 259. To amend section 141 of the code.
Yeas 58, nays 1.
Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Bur- ford, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Simmons, Smith of Russell, Steele, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Wade, Watters, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.
Mr. Wood voted nay.
On motion, the house postponed the consideration of the disagreement of two houses on s. 25.
On motion the house acceded to the request of the senate for committee of conference on disagreement of the two houses on senate amendment to H. 369, and the speaker ap-pointed as conferees on the part of the house, Messrs. Long, Judge and Webb.
The senate bills just received, whose titles are set forth in the above and foregoing message, were severally read once and referred to the committees as follows:
s. 369 to local legislation ;
s. 349 to fees and salaries ;
s. 312, 370, 315, 244, and 200 to revision of laws ;
s. 361, 352, 252, and 132 to judiciary ;
s. 350 to education;
s. 319 to penitentiary and criminal admistration.
At 6 p. m. the house adjourned till 9 a. m. to-morrow.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
THURSDAY, February 5, 1891.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.
A quorum was present.
Prayer by Rev. Mr. Thompson, of the city.
The journal of yesterday was read and approved.

SPECIAL ORDERS.

H. 617. For the relief of parties whose lands have been sold for taxes,
Was taken up;
And, on motion of Mr. Brewer, the consideration of the bill was made a continuing special order for to-morrow after the reading of the journal.

Second.

H. 869. For the relief of needy Confederate soldiers and sailors, residents of Alabama, who from wounds or other causes, are now unable to earn a livelihood, and for the widows of such as were killed in said war, and have not since married,
Was taken up.
And the pending amendment was adopted; and the bill
Was read the third time at length and passed— yeas 55, nays 1.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Sumter, Appleton, Armistead, Ayres, Barnett, Brown, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Harrell, Hufham, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Leigh, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Madison, Northington, Parker, Parks, Pettus, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson.
Nay—Mr. Young.

Third.
s. 340. To provide for the times and places of holding the circuit courts in the sixth judicial circuit of this state,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 59, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Ap-pleton, Armistead, Barnett, Bishop, Brown, Burford, Clay-ton, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Lamar, Ed- wards, Finch, Foster, Gass, Harrell, Harris, Hufham, Jack-son, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kemp, Langley. Lee of Bar- bour, Lee of Conecuh, ,Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Pea- cock, Powell, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauder- dale, Webb, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.

RESOLUTIONS

Were offered as follows:
By Mr. Screws—
Whereas, There is no such title in free America as “His Excellency ;” therefore, be it
Resolved, That hereafter the doorkeeper in announcing messages from the governor, shall omit the un-democratic prefix of “His Excellency.”
Which was referred to the committee on judiciary.
By Mr. Pettus—
Resolved by the house, the senate concurring, That one more senator and one more member be added to the joint committee on redistricting the state into congressional dis- tricts.
Lost.
By Mr. Longshore—
Resolved, That for the next four days that this house de- vote the morning session to the passage of house bills of a general nature, and that the evening session be devoted to the passage of local house bills.
Which was referred to the committee on rules.

BILLS ON FIRST READING.

Bills were introduced, severally read one time and refer- red to appropriate committees, as follows:

By Mr. Clements, (Mr. Pettus in chair)—
H. 1037. To require tax assessors to assess the mineral and timber interests in the lands of the state;
Ways and means.
By Mr. Harrell—
H. 3038. To authorize the Governor of Alabama to ap- point, a justice of the peace and constable for beat 17, Butler county;
Local legislation.
By Mr. Gass—
H 1039. To regulate the bonded indebtedness of Pickens county;
Ways and means.
By Mr. Langley, (by request)—
H. 1040. To incorporate the town of Camp Hill, in the county of Tallapoosa;
Corporations;
By Mr. Finch—
H. 1041. To empower the auditor to extend the time of collection and absolutely release from payment of certain taxes charged against Wm. Rollins, tax collector of Franklin county, Alabama;
Local legislation.
By Mr. Screws—
H. 1042. To authorize railroad companies chartered un- der the laws of the State of Alabama, whose capital stock is owned by a railroad corporation chartered under the laws of another state, to sell to such corporation owning its stock all of its property, roadbed, rights and franchises;
Commerce and common carriers.
By Mr. Lee of Conecuh—
H. 1043. To exempt minors from public duty ;
Revision of laws;
Also,
H. 1044. To require the purchase and sale of cotton in bales to be made upon the basis of net weight;
Agriculture.
By Mr. Tucker of Crenshaw, (notice and proof)—
H. 1045. To allow M. A. Wyatt to sell, convey and make title to certain real estate belonging to the estate of Thomas J. Wyatt, deceased ;
Revision of laws.

By Mr. Appleton—
H. 1046. To constitute the cify of Fort Payne a separate school district;
Education.
By Mr. Edwards—
H. 1047. To prevent the selling, giving away, or other- wise disposing of any spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, within two miles of Goodwater church, in beat 5, in Dale county;
Temperance.
By Mr. Peacock—
H. 1048. To repeal section 4197 of the code so far as the same relates to Coffee county ;
Revision of laws.
By Mr. Coleman—
H. 1049. To amend “an act entitled au act to amend sec- tions three and four of an act to incorporate the town of Eu- nola, in Geneva county,” approved 21st February, 1887 ;
Corporations.
By Mr. Leslie—
H. 1050. To prohibit the selling. bartering or exchanging of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, or other intoxicating liquors or beverages, within two miles (2) of Cowart's Bap- tist church in section 26, township 3, and range 27, in all di-rections in Henry county;
Temperance.
Davis of Lamar—
H. 1051. To more effectually suppress the illicit traffic in spirituous liquors in the county of Lamar;
Temperance.
By Mr. Gilchrist—
H. 1052. To better enforce the assessment of taxes on solvent credits;
Ways and means;
By Mr. Sparkman, (by request)—
H. 1053. To regulate the trial of misdemeanors in St. Clair county;
Judiciary.
By Mr. Peacock—
H. 1054. For the relief of F. M. Harrison, T. D. Hendricks, E. F. Grimes, W. J. Fleming, William King, J. B. Lolly, Sarah Borborn, Lulu Farmer, S. Spurlock, P. G. Simmons, and J. W. Carroll, settlers on the public lands of the state in Coffee county;

Judiciary.
By Mr. Brown—
H. 1055. To authorize the governor to cause to be institu- ted, in the name of the state, proceedings for the acquire- ment by condemnation of any lands, right of-way or material needed for the use of the penitentiary or the maintenance or operation of the hard labor system of the state;
Penitentiary and criminal administration.
By Mr. Pettus—
H. 1056. To provide clerical assistance for the supreme court;
Judiciary.
By Mr. Davis of Fayette—
H. 1057. To permanently increase the public school fund of this state, and to authorize the levy and collection of a tax of one-fifth of one per cent. for that purpose ;
Ways and means.
By Mr. Foster—
H. 1058. To amend section 4 of an act approved February 17, 1885, entitled an act lo authorize the commissioners court of Greene county to establish districts in which stock may be prevented from running at large ;
Local legislation.
By Mr. Brewer—
H. 1059. To amend subdivision 17 of section 5 of an act to amend sections 4 and 11, and subdivisions 2, 5 and 6 of sections 6 and subdivisions 2. 3, 4, 5, 6, 9, 10, 17, 18, 20, 29, 31, 32, 33 and 34 of section 14, and to repeal subdivision 8 of section 6 of an act entitled an act to levy taxes for the use of the state and the counties thereof, approved December 12, 1884, and for other purposes, approved December 11, 1886 ; Ways and means.
By Mr. Ayres—
H. 1060. To amend section 3792 of the code ;
Judiciary.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

The following bills were reported favorably by the var- ious committees, and severally read a second time and placed upon the calendar :
H. 641. To validate the bonds issued by the corporate au-thorities of the city of Anniston bearing date June 1st, 1887 ;

H. 444. To define and regulate the jurisdiction of justices of the peace and notaries public who are ex-officio justices of the peace, in precinct number one, and in the wards of the city of Gadsden, Etowah county, Alabama, and to regulate their fees;
H. 1007. To amend section 715 of the code of Alabama ; H. 1025. To provide for the making of the annual report of the railroad commissioners;
s. 259. To relieve George T. Preer, of Lee county, of the disabilities of non age;
s. 228. To amend section 3781 of the code ;
s. 119. To amend section 2132 (2507) of the code of Alabama;
s. 306. For the protection of widows and minor children (with amendment);
s. 364. To fix the time of holding the chancery courts in Randolph, Chambers, Lee, Tallapoosa and Coosa counties, in Northeastern Chancery Division of the State of Alabama ;
s. 355. To authorize and require the commissioners court of Jefferson county, Alabama, to pay to the judge of the tenth judicial circuit of Alabama. $500.00 annually ;
s. 5. To require corporations in making deeds and con- veyances to real estate to recite in such deeds or conveyances, a copy of the written authority under which the same are made, and when so done, such deeds or conveyances shall be in the hands of the purchaser, or any one holding under him, prima facie evidence of authority on the part of the corporation making the same;
s. 100. To require chancellors to render final decrees in behalf of complainants in cases in which there are two or more defendants litigating with each other under section 3460 of the code, in regard to matters which do not affect the rights otomplainant in the cause ;
s. 110. To amend section 19 and 20 of the code of 1886 ; s. 178. To provide for the correction of certificates of commissioners appointed to take depositions of witnesses in certain cases;
s. 152. To provide for the sale under execution, attach- ment, decree of a court of record, or other judicial process, of the right of redemption of real estate sold under execution, decree, mortgage or deed of trust;
s. 274. To legalize the marriage of James H. Hafley and Sarah A. Hafley, citizens of the county of Limestone, State of Alabama;

s. 154. To amend section 3216 of the code ;
H. 693. To authorize the commissioners court of Coving- ton county to levy a special tax for the pay of grand and petit juries in said county, (with substitute);
H. 827. For the relief of R. S. Gray, of Clay county;
H. 1021. Authorizing the mayor and councilmen of the town of Childersburg to submit to the qualified voters of said town a change of the corporate name of the same;
H. 997. To ratify and confirm the charter and incorpora- tion of the Talladega Gas Light and Water Company, and the acts done there under;
H. 681. To incorporate the town of Seddon in St. Clair county, and to establish a charter for the government thereof;
H. 558. To confer certain powers, rights and privileges in the State of Alabama upon the Atlanta and Birmingham Railroad Company, a corporation chartered under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Georgia;
H. 953. For the relief of Gay, Hardie & Co,;
H. 994. To provide for the crossing or intersection of lines of railroads, street railroads, dummy lines, and electric lines by railroads, street railroads, dummy lines and electric lines, whether owned or operated by corporations or individ- uals;
H. 959. To incorporate the town of Eastlake, in the county of Jefferson, and to define the powers of such corpo-ration;
H. 985. To amend section three of an act entitled an act to provide for the moore efficient working of the public roads in the county of Talladega, approved December 9th, 1886, and section four of an act to amend sections 20, 21, 22 and 26 of an act to provide for the more efficient working of the public roads in Talladega county, approved February 13, 1889;
H. 753. To amend an act entitled an act to authorize Madison county to purchase and to build macadamized roads and to issue bonds of the county to aid in the purchase or construction thereof;
s. 354. To provide for the establishment and working of the public roads in this state ;
H. 999. To establish a charter for the city of Bridgeport; H. 847. To prohibit, within prohibition districts, the tak -ing or soliciting of orders for intoxicating liquors, to be ship- ped into such districts ;

s. 131. To amend section 1319 (1544) of the code ;
H. 1033. To amend section 2 of an act approved February 10th, 1887, entitled an act to provide for the election of a superintendent of education for the county of Tuskaloosa, and to define his duties ;
s. 200. To regulate the planting and taking of oysters in the waters of this state.
Mr. Clanton reported back H. 916.
On motion of Mr. Howle—
H. 962. For the relief of Mrs. E. M. Clarida, of Clay county,
Was taken from adverse report and read a second time.

SPECIAL ORDERS.

Were set as follows :
H. 622, continuing, February 6th, 11:30 a. m.
H. 393 and H. 394 February 9th, after reading the journal ; s. 109, February 7th, after reading the journal;
H. 265, February 10th, after reading the journal;
s. 354, continuing, after reading the journal, February 7th ; s. 131, continuing, February 11th, after reading the journal;
H. 757, 10 a. m. to-morrow ;
s. 118, 11:15 a. m. to-morrow ;
H. 601, 10:30 a. m. to-morrow.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker:
The senate insists on its amendment to the bill:
H. 259. To amend section 141 of the code,
And asks a committee of conference thereon.
Committee on the part of the senate : Messrs. Stallworth, Minge and Wiley.
And has passed the bills:
H. 537. To amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the town of Northport, approved February 12, 1879, by adding the following additional sections to said act incorporating said town.
H. 498. To declare the true intent and meaning of an act approved February 19, 1889, and entitled an act to amend

an act entitled an act to release the Tennessee and Coosa Railroad Company from its indebtedness to the State of Ala-bama;

And has concurred in the house amendments to the bills : s. 174. To create a new charter for the town of Jackson-ville, Alabama;

s. 42. To amend section 3403 of the code;

s. 53. In relation to the admission of insane criminals into the Alabama Insane Hospital;

s. 40. To authorize and allow execution to be issued on any judgment which has been or may hereafter be properly registered in the office of the judge of probate.

s. 57. To create a board for the equalization of tax assess- ments on property within the city of Montgomery;

And has orignated and passed and ordered forthwith to the house, the bills :

s. 393. To prevent stock from running at large in beat 5, Coosa county;

s. 389. To incorporate the Alabama Locomotive Company; s. 377. To incorporate Montgomery Investment Banking and Trust Company;

s. 378. To incorporate the Montgomery Loan and Trust Company;

s. 388. To establish a charter for Alabama City in Etowah county, Alabama;

s. 230. To amend section 1309 of the code ;

And has concurred in the report of the conference com- mittee on the bill:

H. 369. To provide for elections in Jasper beat, Horse Creek beat, Day's Gap beat, and Carbon Hill town in Walk-er county, Alabama, to determine whether or not the sale, giving away, or otherwise disposing of vinous, mall or spir- ituous liquors in the incorporated towns now in said beats shall be prohibited.

And has concurred in the house joint resolutions,

Authorizing the attorney general to inquire into the valid- ity of a certain judgment, rendered in the chancery court of Hamilton county, Tennessee;

And,

Relative to an appropriation for improving the Sipsy river;

And has concurred in house amendment to the bill:

s. 34. To extend the geological and agricultural survey of the State of Alabama.

W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SENATE MESSASES.

The senate bills just received, whose title is set forth in the above and foregoing message, were severally read once and referred to the committee as follows :
s. 377, 378, 388, 389, to corporations ;
s. 230, to judiciary ;
s. 373, to local legislation.
On motion the house acceded to the request of the senate for a conference committee on the disagreement of the two houses on H. 259,
And the speaker appointed the following committee:
Messrs. Lee of Conecuh, Brewer and Bass.

CONFERENCE REPORT.

Mr. Speaker :
Your committee of conference on the disagreement of the two houses on
H. 369. “To be entitled an act to provide for elections in Jasper beat, Horse Creek beat, Day's Gap beat, and Carbon Hill town, Walker county, Alabama, to determine whether or not the selling, giving away, or otherwise disposing of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors in the incorporated towns now in said beats shall be prohibited,”
Have had the same under consideration, and beg leave to report as follows, and offers the following as a substitute for all senate amendments,
1. Amend by striking out the entire caption of the bill, and inserting in lieu thereof the following:
A bill to be entitled an act to provide for elections being held in beat number one, and the towns of Day's Gap and Carbon Hill,in Walker county,Alabama, to determine wheth- er or not the sale, giving away or otherwise disposing of malt, vinous, or spirituous liquors shall be lawful within the incorporated limits of Jasper, Day's Gap and Carbon Hill.

2. Amend by striking out the first section of the bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following:
SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Alabama, That whenever twenty-five or more resident freeholders of Beat No. 1, or when ever ten or more resident freeholders of the towns of Day's Gap and Carbon Hill, in Walker county, Alabama, shall file with the judge of pro- bate of said county, their petition in writ.ing asking for an election to ascertain the wishes of the voters of the Beat No. 1, and of said towns of Days Gap and Carbon Hill, whether or not the sale, giving away or otherwise disposing of vinous, malt or spirituous liquors shall be lawful in the incorpora- ted towns of Jasper, Days' Gap and Carbon Hill, then it shall be the duty of the probate judge to order an election in said Beat No. 1, or in the towns of Days' Gap or Carbon Hill and fix the time of holding the same at the usual voting place in the said beat or towns, which shall not be more than sixty nor less than thirty days from the time of the filing of such petition.
3. Amend by striking out all of section two of the bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following:
SECTION 3. Be It further enacted, That the sheriff of said county shall give notice for thirty days of the time so fixed for holding such election or elections, and the purpose for which said elections are to be held by publication as is now required by law, and inspectors shall be appointed for said beat or town as required by law for the holding of general elections under the election laws of this state.
4. Amend by striking out all of section 3 of the bill and inserting in lieu thereof the following :
SECTION 3. Be it further enacted, That upon the day so appointed an election shall be held in said beat No. 1, or in the towns of Day's Gap or Carbon Hill, and all persons who are at the time qualified voters under the general election laws of the state shall be allowed to vote, and such election or elections shall be governed in all respects by the general election laws of the state, so far as they are applicable at the time.
5. Amend by striking out all of section five of the bill and inserting in lieu thereof the following :
SECTION 5. Be it further enacted, That afthr the expira- tion of the thirty days last above provided for, should such result be for prohibition it shall be unlawful for any person

to sell, give away or otherwise dispose of vinous, malt or spirituous liquors in either or any of the towns of Jasper, Days Gap or Carbon Hill, in which elections have been held under this act, and any person violating the provisions of this act shall on conviction be lined not more than two hun- dred dollars.

6. Amend by striking out all of section 6, of the bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

SECTION 6. Be it further enacted, That if the result of any election held under the provisions of this act shall be against prohibition then it shall be lawful to sell, give away, or oth- erwise dispose of vinous, malt or spirituous liquors in any of the town or towns in which an election has been held un- der the provisions of this act and which has voted against prohibition, subject to regulations of the municipal authori- ties of any of said town, or towns, under their respective charters.

7. Amend by striking out all of section seven of the bill and insert in lieu thereof the following :

SECTION 7. Be it further enacted, That the true intent and purpose of this act is to provide for an election or elections in the manner prescribed to determine the wishes of the vo- ters of said beat one, or of the town of Carbon Hill, or of the town of Days Gap, to determine separately and for itself whether or not the traffic in liquors shall be lawful within the limits of the incorporated town of Jasper in beat one or in the incorporated towns of Days Gap and Carbon Hill, and so much of any prohibition law or laws now in force as con- tact with the provisions of this act and no more are hereby repealed,

And your committee respectfully recommends its adop- tion.

JOHN T. MILNER,
WM. E. SKEGGS,
W. W. HARALSON,
Committee on part of the senate.
H. M. JUDGE,
T. L. Long,
J. M. FOSTER,
Committee on part of the house.

The above conference report was concurred in.

Yeas—58, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of 40 h

Tallapoosa, Avery, Bain, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, David- son, Edwards, Foster, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Howle, Hufham, Jones, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Bar- bour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Mead- or, Nolen, Pettus, Powell, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone. Townsend of Pike, Tuck- er of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

H. 900. To amend section 1586 of the code,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 56, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Ap-pleton, Armistead, Ayres, Barnett, Bishop, Brown, Burford, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Gass, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Loveless, Meador, Northington, Par-ker, Parks, Poole, Powell, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lau-derdale, Wade, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.
s. 11. To repeal an act to make an annual appropriation for the benefit of the State Agricultural Society, approved February 22, 1887,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 64, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon Amason of Tallapoosa, Ap-pleton, Armistead, Barnett, Bass, Blackwell, Brewer, Buck, dayton, Coleman, Cooper, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Gass, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Lewis, Long- shore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Powell, Ramsay, Rousseau, Screws, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.
s. 12. To repeal an act entitled an act to amend an act to

make an annual appropriation for the benefit of the State Agncultural Society, approved February 25,1889,
Was read the third tirne at length and passed—yeas 60, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Ama- son of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Ayres, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Brown, Burford, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Guthrie, Harris, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Powell, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Simmons, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Cren-shaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.
H. 20. To prevent the keeping of cock-pits, cock-fighting, and betting on cock fights,
Was, on motion of Mr. Smith of Russell, taken up,
And Mr. Quarles offered an amendment, by way of sub- stitute, with the following title :
H. 20. To prevent the keeping of cock-pits, and publicly fighting cocks in the State of Alabama,
Which was adopted,
And the bill was read the third time at length and passed —yeas 73, nays 7.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Ama- son of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead. Ayres, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Foster, Gass, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Longshore, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.
Nays—Messrs. Brewer, Gilchrist, Harrell, Hill, Jones and Judge.
H. 308. To finally dispose of lands which have been sold for its taxes, and bid in for the state,

Was taken up,
And the amendments offered by the committee were adopted,
And the bill was read the third time at length and passed —yeas 61, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Amason of Tallapoosa, Armistead, Ayres, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Buck, Burford, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Edwards, Foster, Grass, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Hem\y, Hill, Huf- ham, Jones, Judge, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ram- say, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Thrasher, Town- send of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale. Wade, Watters, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young,
H. 125. To authorize writs of garnishment against incor- porated cities, towns and villages,
Was taken up,
And on motion, was indefinitely postponed.
H. 212. To amend section 1810 (2166) of the code of Ala- bama,
Was taken up.
Mr. Foster offered the following amendment:
Strike out at the end of section 1 the words “until recorded,” and insert in lieu thereof the words “until filed for record,” Which was adopted.
Mr. Long moved to amend the bill by allowing only ten days in which to record both personal and real property, Lost.
The bill was read the third time at length and lost—yeas 23, nays 47.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Sumter, Ayres, Black-well, Brewer, Brown, Burford, Edwards, Foster, Gilchrist, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Purifoy, Quarles, Sayre, Screws, Smaw, Steele.
Nays—Messrs. Armistead, Bain, Bass, Bevis, Clayton, Coleman. Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Finch, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Johnson, Jones, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Nolen, North-ington, Parker, Powell, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Sim-

mons, Smith of Dallas, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 553. To more effectually provide for working the public roads of the state, and to provide for the appointment of a public road inspector for the several counties of the state, Was taken up.

Mr. Jones moved to amend the bill by providing that its provisions should not apply to the counties of Hale, Tallapoosa, Coosa, Autauga, Marion, Walker, Calhoun, Geneva, Covington, Dallas, Choctaw, Colbert, Cullman, Cherokee, Madison, Butler, Barbour, Franklin, Lauderdale, Chilton, Pickens, Dale.

Pending consideration at 1 p. m., the house adjourned till 3p. m. to-day.

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AFTERNOON SESSION.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.

A quorum was present.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Was granted to Mr. Avery for one day, and to Mr. Adams till Monday next, and to Mr. Poole indefinitely.

Mr. Longshore gave notice that on to morrow he would move to reconsider the vote by which H. 212 was lost,

The house resumed consideration of

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

H. 784. To declare null and void certain sales of lands made by the tax collector of Conecuh county in the year 1889, for taxes for the year 1888,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 61, nays1.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Ayres, Bain, Bar-

nett, Blackwell, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Forman, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Howle, Hufham, Jones, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Simmons, Smith of Dallas, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young. Nay—Mr. White.

H. 917. To establish the district court of Colbert and Lauderdale counties,

Was taken up.

Mr. Rather moved to amend the bill by providing that the salary of the solicitor should not exceed $2,500.00 per annum.

Carried.

The bill was read the third time at length and passed— yeas 56,nays 9.

Yeas—Messrs. Amason of Sumter, Appleton, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Clanton, Cooper, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster, Grass, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jones, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Lewis, Long, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Screws, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele. Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsed of Pike, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Young.

Nays—Messrs. Brewer, Crews, Gilchrist, Northington, Powell. Purifoy, Sayre, Scott, and White.

Mr. Brown moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill just passed was passed, and then moved to lay that mo- tion on the table, and the latter motion was

Carried.

Yeas 51, nays 14.

Yeas—Messrs. Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Ayres, Bain, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Cornelius, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Foster, Gasp, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Langley, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Moore of Mad- ison, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Rather, Rousseau,

Screws, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Watters, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Young.

Nays—Messrs. Barnett, Brewer, Coleman, Crews, Gilchrist, Kemp, Lee of Conecuh, Loveless, Northington, Powell, Purifoy, Sayre, Scott, and White.

s. 120. To incorporate the city of Ashville, in St. Clair county, Alabama,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 60, navs 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Coleman, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Johnson. Jones, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 870. To permit and provide for the incorporation of separate school districts in the county of Tuskaloosa,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 61, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clayton, Coleman, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Gass, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Johnson, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Screws, Simmons, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

s. 55. To repeal section 4193 of the code so far as the same relates to the county of Bullock, and county court, and provide for the transfer of the unfinished business in said court to the circuit court of said county,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 57, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Am- ason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Ayres, Barnett, Bass, Bishop. Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Coleman, Cornelius, Cox, David- son, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Foster, Gass, Guthrie, Har- rell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Kemp, Lang- ley, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Love- less, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele. Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Pike, Wade, Whatley, Wilson, Young.

H. 586. To amend section nine (9) of an act entitled an act to incorporate the Pensacola, Andalusia, Union Springs and Chattanooga Railroad Company, approved February 28th, 1889,

Was read the third time at length and passed--yeas 56, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tal-lapoosa, Appleton, Ayres, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Burford, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Forman, Foster, Guthrie, Harris, Hill, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Nolen, Peacock, Powell, Quarles, Ramsay, Rousseau, Scott, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 887. To authorize the construction of tram-ways, pole- roads, canals and ditches by corporations, associations, partnerships and individuals in Conecnh, Butler, Crenshaw and Covington counties,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 59, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Ama- son of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Barnett, Bass, Bish- op, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford. Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Gass, Finch, Guthrie, Harrell, Hill, Howle, Johnson, Lane, Lang- ley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rousseau, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsed of of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Watters, Webb, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 838. To amend an act to authorize the commissioners court of Calhoun county to levy a tax for working public roads of said county, and to let out said roads by contract, approved February 28, 1889,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 61, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Ayres, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell Brown; Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Crews, Cox. Davidson, Edwards, Foster, Gordon, Harrell, Harris, Hill, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leslie, Long, Long-shore, Loveless, Moore of-Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rousseau, Scott, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 609. To amend an act entitled an act to expedite the trial of capital cases in Jefferson county,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 57, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Blackwell, Brown, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cor-nelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards Foster, Gass, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Howle, Huf- ham, Jones, Judge, Langley, Lee of Barbour. Lee of Cone- cuh, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Loveless, Meador, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Quarles, Rousseau, Scott, Sullivan, Thrash- er, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

s. 296. To amend section 2 of an act entitled an act to authorize the Macon and Birmingham Railroad, a corporation under the laws of Georgia, to construct, maintain, and operate its railroad within the state of Alabama, and do all other things needful for that purpose,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 58, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Ama- son of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Ayres, Barnett, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Burford, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards,

Foster, Gass, Guthrie, Harris, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Long, Long- shore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Sim- mons, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Town- send of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Webb, Whatley, Wilson, Young.

H.871. To prohibit the sale, giving away, or otherwise disposing of any vinous, spirituous or malt liquors, or any intoxicating substances of any kind within live miles of Ar- bor Springs Baptist church, in Tuskaloosa county,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 55, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Ama- son of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Ayres, Bain, Bar 1nett, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Hill, Hufham, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Langley, Lee of Conecuh, Lewis, Long, Love- less, Meador, Nolen, Parker, Peacock, Pettus, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Town- send of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Webb, Wilson, Young.

H. 842. To prevent stock from running at large in the several beats or parts of beats in Cherokee county, to authorize elections thereon, and to provide for building and maintaining fences and gates,

Was taken up.

Mr. Cornelius moved to amend section 1 by striking out “twenty” and inserting in lieu thereof the word “ten.”

Carried.

The bill was read the third time at length and passed— yeas 59, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Blackwell, Brown, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee, of Conecuh, Lewis, Long, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northing-ton, Parks, Peacock, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Smith of Russell, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauder- dale, Wade, Webb, Young.

s. 752. To protect the public property at Hayneville,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 58, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Armistead, Ayres, Barnett, Bishop. Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Coleman, Cooper, Cox, Da-vidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Gass, Guthrie. Harrell, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Lewis, Long, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Sparkman, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauder- dale, Wade, Webb, Wood, Wilson, Young.
s. 288. To provide for a vote of the people on the subject of a permanent location of the county site of Franklin county,
Was taken up.
The pending question being the adoption of the amend- ments offered by the committee,
Which were adopted,
And the bill was read the third time at length and passed —yeas 60, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Armistead, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Brown, Burford, Clayton, Coleman, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Foster, Guthrie, Har- rell, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leslie, Lewis, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Madison, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Town- send of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Webb, White, Wood, Wilson.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker :
The senate has originated and passed and ordered forth- with to the house without engrossment, the bills:
s. 407. To authorize and empower the board of trustees of the Evergreen Male and Female Academy, an institution of learning incorporated by act of the general assembly of the

State of Alabama, approved February 5, 1840, to prescribe and adopt the order, mode and branches of study and learning to be preserved in said academy, fix the rates of tuition, grant diplomas or other certificates of scholarship, and to do any and all lawful acts necessary, proper and lawful to be be done to further the objects of said academy, or which other institutions of like kind may do.

s. 386. To amend section two (2) of an act entitled "An act to authorize the corporate authorities of the town of New Decatur in the county of Morgan, to negotiate a loan for the improvement of the streets, and of the sanitary condition of the said town, and to issue bonds for the payment of said loan," approved February 13th, 1889, so as to read as follows:

s. 385. To confer upon the town of New Dacatur in Morgan county, Alabama, the power to require said male inhabitants of said town to work on the streets of said town;

s 400. To repeal an act entitled an act to amend section one of an act entitled an act to fix the compensation of the tax assessor of Mobile county, approved February 28, 1887; And has passed without amendment, the bill

H. 435. To provide for an additional judge of the supreme court of Alabama;

And has amended as therein shown and as amended has passed the following house bills :

H. 141. To increase the jurisdiction of justices of the peace in Tuskaloosa, Blount, Crenshaw, Fayette, Cherokee, Macon, Morgan, and Chilton counties;

H. 588. To amend section eight of an act entitled an act to provide a new charter for the city of Tuscumbia, Colbert county, Alabama, approved February 28, 1887;

H. 416. To incorporate the town of Luverne in the county of Crenshaw and State of Alabama ;

H. 405. To incorporate the East Alabama Male and Female Institute, Notasulga. Alabama;

H. 673 To provide for the levying and collecting a license tax on dogs in Macon and Lee counties ;

H. 457. To prohibit placing mortgages or incumbrances on growing crops in Monroe county ;

H. 346. To incorporate the town of Edwardsville.

W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The senate bills just received, whose titles are set forth in the above and foregoing message, were severally read once and referred lo the committees as follows :

s. 407, to education;

s. 386, 385, and 400, to revision of laws.

The house concurred in the senate amendments to the fol-lowing bills.

H. 346. To incorporate the town of Edwardsville;

Yeas 63, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Ama- son of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Ayres, Bain, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clayton, Coleman, Corne- lius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Foster, Gordon, Guthrie, Henry, Hill, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Purifoy, Quarles, Ram- say, Rosseau, Screws, Simmons Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

Also,

H. 405. To incorporate the East Alabama Male and Fe- male Institute, Notasulga, Alabama;

Yeas 61, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Am- ason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Bain, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Foster, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Jones, Kemp, Lang- ley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Lewis, Long- shore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, North-ington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Simmons, Sparkman, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Cren-shaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Young.

Also,

H. 416. To incorporate the town of Luverne, in the county of Crenshaw, and State of Alabama;

Yeas 59, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Am-

ason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Ayres, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Burford, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Town-seiul of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Whatley, Wilson, Young.

Also,

H. 588. To amend section eight of an act entitled an act to provide a new charter for the city of Tuscumbia, Colbert county, Alabama, approved February 28, 1887;

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Ayres, Bain, Bass, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hut ham, Jackson, Jones, Judge, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Nolen, North-ington, Parks, Poole, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Smaw, Sparkman, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale. Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

Also,

H. 457. To prohibit, placing mortgages or incumbrances on growing crops in Monroe county;

Yeas 54, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Barnett, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Burford, Coleman, Cooper, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Edwards, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Kemp, Lane, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rousseau, Sayre, Smith of Russell. Sparkman, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Webb, Wilson, Young,

Also,

H. 673. To provide for the levying and collecting a license tax on dogs in Macon and Lee counties.

Yeas 51, nays 1.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Av-ery, Ayres, Barnett, Bass, bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Burford, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Edwards, Finch, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Hill, Howle, Johnson, Jones, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Love- less, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rous-seau, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Webb, Wilson, Young.
Nay—Mr. Jackson.
And the house non-concurred in the senate amendment to
H. 141.
SENATE MESSAGE.

Mr. Speaker:
The president of the senate having signed the following bills your signature is requested:
s. 40. To authorize and allow execution to be issued upon any judgment which has been or may hereafter be properly registered in the office of the judge of probate ;
s. 42. To amend section 3403 of the code;
s. 57. To create a board for the equalization of tax assess- ments on property within the city of Montgomery;
s. 243. To authorize the court of county commissioners of DeKalb county to issue bonds of said county to an amount not exceeding thirty thousand dollars and to dispose of the same for the purpose of securing the means of building a court-house and providing the same with suitable furniture and for building an addition to the county jail of said county. s. 33. To incorporate the Alabama Methodist Orphanage. s. 232. To authorize the intendant and councilmen of the town of Highlands in the county of Jefferson to issue bonds of said town Tor an amount not exceeding seventy-five thou- sand ($75,000) dollars for the purpose of building and con-structing sewers, and making other permanent improvements in said town and paying off the floating debt of said town ;
s. 224. To require the commissioners court of Sumter county to appropriate money from the general fund of the county from which to pay the claims against the fine and forfeiture fund of said county and to provide the manner of such payment;

s. 187. To define a lawful wire fence in Wilcox and Sum- ter counties;
s. 20. To change the time of electing commissioners of Lee county;
s. 46. To provide for the pay of mileage to constables and bailiffs for thelr attendance upon the different courts of the state in the county of Perry;
s. 116. To regulate the trial of misdemeanors in Lawrence county;
s. 78. To provide for bells at public ferries in Wilcox county;
s. lfi3. To authorize and empower the governor of Ala- bama to issue a patent to the heirs of John Henderson, deceased, to the northwest fourth of the northeast fourth and the northeast forth of the northwest fourth of section six- teen, township eighteen of range five east, in Talladega county;
s. 247. To incorporate the Cotton States Telephone and Telegraph Company;
s. 341. To relieve Helen E. Lewis of Hale county of the disabilities of non-age.

W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SIGNING OF BILLS.

The speaker of the house, in the presence of the house, immediately after their titles had been publicly read by the clerk, signed the senate bills, the titles of which are set out in the above senate message.
Mr. Clayton, from committee on rules, submitted the fol-lowing resolutions;
Resolved, That until after Tuesday next this house pass no more senate bills ;
Adopted. Also,
Resolved, That beginning with Tuesday night next this house hold a night session each day from 7:30 to 10 o'clock, and that the roll of counties be continued and that each rep-resentative be allowed to call up one local bill at the night session;
Adopted.
At 6 p. m. the house adjourned till 9 a. m. to-morrow.

FORTY-FIRST DAY.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

FRIDAY, Feb. 6, 1891.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Thompson of the city.

A quorum was present.

The journal of yesterday was read and approved.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Was granted to Mr. Smaw for one day, and to Mr. Bevis indefinitely.

RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Longshore moved to reconsider the vote by which

H. 212. To amend section 1810 of the code,

Was lost on yesterday.

The motion was lost.

REPORT FROM COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Speaker:

The committe on enrolled bills report the following bills correctly enrolled:

H. 82. To preserve order at the Corn House camp ground, in the county of Randolph, Alabama, and Payne's Chapel camp ground, Lamar county, Alabama;

H. 109. To establish a new charter for the town of Pratt Mines in Jefferson county ;

H. 173. To amend sections 1, 7, 15,16, 19, 21, 23 and 24 of an act entitled an act to establish a criminal court for the county of Pike, with criminal jurisdiction in misdemeanor cases, and to repeal sections 8 and 18 ;

H. 217. To authorize the laying off the county of Pike into commissioners districts and providing for the election of commissioners by the qualified voters of the county ;

H. 258. For the relief of M. A. Jennings of Shelby county; 41 h

H. 870. To authorize the mayor and city council of Anniston to issue bonds of said city for an amount not exceeding fifty thousand dollars for the purpose of purchasing land, and erecting and equipping school buildings thereon;
H. 588. To amend section eight of an act entitled an act to provide a new charter tor the city of Tuscumbia, Colbert county, Alabama, approved February 28, 1887;
H. 435. To provide for an additional judge of the supreme court of Alabama;
H. 673. To provide for the levying and collecting a license tax on dogs in Macon county;
H. 457. To prohibit placing mortgages or encumbrances on growing crops in Monroe county;
Also the following
Joint resolution:
That the attorney general be, and he is hereby authorized and required to examine into the validity of a certain judgment for $300,000 of date December 2, 1875, rendered by the chancery court of Hamilton county, Tenn., against the State of Alabama, and to report the result of his examination to the governor of this state ;
And joint resolution
Requesting the senators and representatives of Alabama in congress to secure an appropriation for opening the Sipsey river.

C. C. RATHER,
Chairman.

SIGNING OF BILLS.

The speaker of the house, in the presence of the house, immediately after their titles had been publicly read by the clerk, signed the bills and joint resolutions, the titles of which are set out in the foregoing report of the committee on enrolled bills.

RESOLUTIONS

Were offered as follows:
By Mr. Sparkman—
Whereas, The members of this house have learned with deep sorrow of the affliction of our friend and colleague,

Hon. S. O. Bevis, of Lauderdale county, in the death of his wife and other members of his family;
Resolved, That the sympathy of this body be, and the same is hereby tendered our friend and colleague, in the great loss which he has sustained.
The rules were suspended and the resolution was unani- mously adopted.
By Mr. Lee of Conecuh—
Resolved, By the house, the senate concurring, That a joint committee of three from the house and two from the senate be appointed, whose duty it shall be to prepare a bill embodying all local prohibition bills now on the calendar, and to report the same by the 10th inst., or as soon thereaf- ter as practicable.

BILLS ON FIRST READING.

By unanimous consent, bills were introduced, severally read one time, and referred to appropriate committees, as follows :
By Mr. Brown—
H. 1061. To ratify and confirm the charter of the Ala- bama Trust and Savings Company ;
Corporations.
By Mr. Henry--
H. 1062. To authorize tax collectors to levy and sell shares of stock in incorporated companies for taxes
Ways and means.
By Mr. Hufham—
H. 1063. To amend 4887 of the code;
Judiciary.
By Mr. Johnson—
H. 1064. To amend section 4 of an act entitled an act to authorize the commissioners court or court or board of county revenue of the counties of Marengo, Sumter, Montgomery, Hale, Dallas, Autauga, Wilcox, Lowndes, Russell, Monroe, Lawrence, and Perry, to establish or abolish districts in which stock may be prevented from running at large, ap- proved February 28, 1881;
Revision of laws
By Mr. Barnett—
H. 1065. To amend section 3253 of the code of Alabama ; Judiciary.

By Mr. Lee of Conecuh—
H. 1066. To incorporate the Evergreen Industrial Normal School ;
Temperance.
By Mr. Nolen—
H. 1067. To prohibit the sale of spirituous or malt liquors within one and a half miles of Kellyton Methodist church, in Coosa county, Alabama ;
Temperance.
By Mr. Langley—
H. 1068. To regulate the fine and forfeiture fund of Talla- poosa county, Alabama;
Ways and means.
By Mr. Leslie—
H. 1069. To authorize the board of mayor and aldermen of the town of Dothan to negotiate a loan for the purpose of improving, grading and draining the streets, avenues and alleys of said town, establishing water works, fire depart- ments, electric light plant, and the payment of the town's indebtedness. and for other various improvements of said town ;
Corporations.
By Mr. Clayton—
H. 1070. To establish a separate school district in the city of Eufaula, Barbour county, Alabama, and to provide means to support said separate school district;
Judiciary.
By Mr. Ayres—
H. 1071. To better protect homesteads in Alabama;
Judiciary.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

By unanimous consent, the following bills were reported favorably from the several committees, severally read the second time and placed upon the calendar:
H. 1056. To provide clerical assistance for the supreme court;
s. 140. To provide compensation to sheriffs for the re- moval of prisoners from other states to this state, (with amendment) ;
H. 792. To regulate the trial of misdemeanors in the county of Macon;

H. 1039. To regulate the bonded indebtedness of Pickens county ;
H. 991. To create a seperate school district in the city of Florence, Alabama ; to define the boundaries thereof, and provide for the maintenance of schools therein ;
H. 809. To amend section 2 of an act to constitute town of Warrior a separate school district, (with substitute) ;
s. 339. To prevent stock from running at large in beat 4 in Lee county;
s. 249. To provide for an election to settle the question of a change of the name of the town of Jacksonville, from Jacksonville to Tredegar;
s. 269. To make an appropriation for the benefit of the State Agricultural Society for the year 1891 ;
H. 971. Concerning tfie organization and perpetuity of a voluntary association to be known as the Order of Columbia, a secret society having a secret ritual, and providing laws for governing the same, (with amendment);
H. 855. To authorize the sale of iron or steel rails, rail- road frogs, switches, switch-stands, fish plates, angle-plates, bolts and nuts, and all track material for railroads or other roads, sidings, mines, mills and tram-ways, on a credit, or partly on a credit, the seller retaining the title thereto, and regulating such sales;
H. 945. To amend sections 7, 10 and 20 of an act entitled an act to create a new charter for the city of Florence, Ala- bama, approved February 28th, 1889;
H. 958. To incorporate the Eastlake Water and Electric Company, and to confer upon said company certain corporate powers ;
s. 273. To incorporate the Birmingham Trust and Secu- rity Company;
s. 325. To incorporate the Pratt Mines Savings Bank of Pratt Mines, Jefferson county;
s. 322. To confirm and amend the incorporation of the Iron State Building and Loan Company;
s. 324. To amend sections 1617, subdivision 11, of sec- tion 21 and section 29 of the act entitled an act to establish a new charter for the city of Birmingham, approved the 12th day of December, 1890 ;
s. 262. To extend the corporate limits of the city of Montgomery, in the State of Alabama, and to provide for dividing said limits into wards ;

s. 283. To establish a new charter for the town of Car- rollton;
s. 233. To confirm, amend and enlarge the charter of the Birmingham Railway and Electric Company, (with amendment) ;
s. 286. To incorporate the Jasper Waterworks Company ; s. 239. To incorporate Blount College, in Blount county, Alabama;
H. 943. To authorize the city of Birmingham and the county of Jefferson to provide an armory for the military companies of said town ;
H. 1017. To confirm and amend the incorporation of the Alabama Military Academy, Huntsville, Alabama, (with amendment);
H. 502. To amend section 191 of the code of Alabama ; H. 975. To amend an act, approved February 17, 1885, entitled an act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act to define the corporate limits of the city of Wetumpka, approved February 23, 1883, (with amendment);
H. 960. To authorize the commissioners court of Cherokee county to settle or compromise with the sureties of Ellis Hale, late treasurer of said county;
H. 1004. To amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled an act for the preservation of game animals and birds in the counties of Sumter and Chilton, so far as the same relates to Sumter county ; .
H. 922. To better provide for the prompt payment of wages due mechanics and day laborers from contractors for work and labor done in the construction of buildings, (amendment) ;
H. 986. To establish a new charter for the city of Talla- dega,
H. 896. To fix the fees of probate judges for recording in certain cases, in this state, (with amendment),
H. 993. To reduce the solicitors fees in certain cases;
s. 349. To regulate and define the salaries of teachers in the public schools of the State of Alabama ;
H. 754. To confirm, ratify and amend the charter of the Gurley and Paint Rock Valley Railroad Company;
H. 984. To submit to the vote of the people of Shelby county The question of the removal of the court house and other public buildings from Columbiana to Calera, and in case the people decide in favor of such removal, to authorize

and provide for the building of a court house and jail at Ca- lera, and authorize the change and removal of the seat of justice of said county upon certain condition therein men- tioned.

SPECIAL ORDERS.

First.

H. 757. To create a new county of portions of Clarke, Marengo and Wilcox counties, said new county lo be called the county of Herndon,
Was taken up.
The amendment offered by the committee was adopted,
And the bill was read the third time al length and passed —yeas 56, nays 23.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker. Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Buck, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, David- son, Davis of Fayette, Edwards, Finch, Foster, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Henry, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Puri- foy, Rousseau, Sayre, Simmons, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, White, Wil- son, Young.
Nays—Messrs. Amason of Sumter, Ayres, Brewer, Brown, Burford, Davis of Lamar, Forman, Harrell, Harris, Hill, Huf- ham, Kemp, Leslie, Lewis, Moore of Baldwin, Powell, Ram- say, Rather, Screws, Smith of Dallas, Sullivan, Tucker of Crenshaw, Whatley.
Mr. Meador moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill passed, and then moved to table that motion.
The latter motion prevailed.

Second.

H. 617. For the relief of parties whose lands have been sold for taxes;
Mr. Brewer offered a substitute, which was adopted,
And the bill was read the third time at length and passed —yeas 54, nays 1.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bishop, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Fayette, -Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Gass, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Johnson, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Webb, White, Wilson, Young.
Nay—Mr. Bain.

Third.

H. 601. To make an appropriation for the expenses of encampments of Alabama State Troops for the years 1891 and 1892.
The amendments offered by the committee were adopted, And the bill was read the third time at length and passed —yeas 51, nays 5.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Cooper, Crews, Davis of Fayette, Edwards, Howle, Johnson, Langley, Leigh, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Rousseau, Scott, Screws, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Wilson.
Nays—Messrs. Bain, Cornelius, Davis of Lamar, Tucker of Crenshaw and. Young.

Fourth.

s. 118. To dissolve garnishments in cases where the de- fendant executes bond to plaintiff.
On motion of Mr. Clayton the bill was amended,
And was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 51, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Hill,

Howle, Jackson, Judge, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Loveless, Meador; Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madi- son, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Screws, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Town- send of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Webb, Whatley, Wilson, Young.

Fifth.

H. 622. To amend sections 4068 and 4069 of the code of Alabama,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 59, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker. Almon, Amason of Sumter, Ap-pleton, Avery, Ayres, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Hill, Howle, Hufham. Johnson, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rousseau, Scott, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell. Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone. Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Cren-shaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Wilson, Young.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker :
The senate has amended as therein shown, and as amended has passed the bills,
H. 38. To provide for the better maintenance and support of the public schools of Jefferson county, Alabama;
H. 480. To prevent the wrongful and illegal collection of money on farm produce as storage;
H. 84. To prohibit pools, trusts or combines to regulate or control the prices of produce, goods, wares or merchandise in this state;
H. 106. To incorporate the Alabama State Mining and Manufacturing Company ;
And requests the return to the senate of a joint resolu- tion authorizing the attorney general to inquire into the

validity of a certain judgment rendered in the chancery court of Hamilton county, Tennessee;
And has concurred in the house amendment to
s. 288. To provide for a vote of the people on the subject of a permanent location of the county site of Franklin county;
And has adopted a joint resolution herewith sent relative to permitting Saffold Berney to have the use of certain plates prepared for the geological survey of the state;
And has passed
H. 634. To amend section one of an act to establish partial stock law district in Talladega county so as to include precincts seven, eight, eleven, and all of that part of two lying east of the Jackson Trace road and beat No. 3 and sections 6 and 7 and north half of section 5 in beat No. 13, township 20 and range 5 in said county ;
H. 542. To authorize the election of four commissioners for the court of county commissioners of Chilton county and to direct the court of county revenues of the said county to turn over and deliver the records and papers on tile in said court to the court of county commissioners of said county of Chilton ;
H. 528. To repeal an act entitled an act to amend an act to regulate the fees of officers of court against the fine and forfeiture fund of Wilcox county ;
H. 327. To fix the fees of the circuit clerk of Hale county. H. 231. To repeal an act entitled an act to increase the criminal jurisdiction of justices of the peace and notaries public having like powers in the counties of Lee, Madison, Jackson, Clarke, Choctaw, Walker and Marion, approved February 8, 1877, so far as the same relates to Walker county;
H. 222. To require county administrators to keep a book of record, and to make such book of record free for examination of all persons;
H. 602. For the relief of A. G. Franklin, ex-sheriff of the county of DeKalb, State of Alabama;
H. 616. For the relief of the estate of John R. Dicken, deceased ;
H. 119. To promote the comfort of passengers on railroad trains;
H. 319. To ratify and amend the charter of the Security Bank of Alabama;

H. 468. To amend sections three, seven and twenty-four of an act to incorporate the city of Jenifer, Alabama, approved February 28, 1889 ;
H. 824. To incorporate the "Alabama Street Presbyterian church," located in Selma;
H. 332. To incorporate the town of Seale in the county of Russell.
And has originated and passed and ordered forthwith to the house
s. 305. To incorporate the Pythian Temple Company, of Birmingham, Alabama.

W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE.

On motion, the house concurred in the senate amendment to the following bills :
H. 38. To provide for the better maintenance and support of the public schools of Jefferson county, Alabama,
Yeas 58, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Bain, Barnett, Brown, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Edwards, Foster, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Howle, Johnson, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.
Also,
H. 480. To prevent the wrongful collection of money on farm produce as storage.
Yeas 56, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Blackwell, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Foster, Gass, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Johnson, Judge, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madi-

son, Northington, Parks, Powell, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Simmons, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sulli- van, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

Also,

H. 84. To prohibit pools, trusts, or combines to regulate or control the prices of produce, goods, wares or merchandise in this state.

Yeas 55, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayers, Barnett, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davis of Lamar, Foster, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Huf- ham, Jackson, Johnson, Judge, Lane, Langley, Lee of Bar- bour, Leigh, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Powell, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Town- send of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, White, Wilson, Young.

Also,

H. 106. To incorporate the Alabama State Mining and Manufacturing Company.

Yeas 59, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tal-lapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Coleman, Cornelius, Cox, Finch, Foster, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Judge, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Screws, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Town- send of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Wood, Wilson, Young.

On motion, the house acceded to the request of the senate for the return to the senate of the house joint resolution au-thorizing attorney general to inquire into an alleged indebt- edness of the State of Alabama.

And concurred in the senate joint resolution relative to allowing Saffold Berney to use certain plates prepared for geological survey of Alabama.

The senate bill just received, the title of which is set out in above message was read one time and referred as follows; s. 305 to corporations.
And the house resumed consideration of

SPECIAL ORDERS.

Sixth.

H. 550. To improve the penitentiary and convict system of Alabama,
Was taken up.
Mr. Brown offered amendments, which were adopted.
Mr. Smith moved to strike out section 2 of the bill.
Pending consideration—
At 1 o'clock p. m. the house adjourned till 3 p. m. to-day.

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AFTERNOON SESSION.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.
A quorum was present.
The house proceeded to the consideration of

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

H. 876. To authorize the commissioners court of Choctaw and Clarke counties to establish districts in which stock may be prevented from running at large,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 55, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Ap-pleton, Ayres, Barnett, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Burford, Clanton, Coleman,0ooper, Cornelius, Davidson, Davis of La- mar, Edwards, Finch, Foster, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Parks, Pettus, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Smith of Dallas, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Whatley, Wilson, Young.

H. 899. To authorize the county of Clarke to borrow money and issue bonds for the purpose of building a court house for the use of said county, at Grove Hill., or other place at which it may be determined to build said court house.

The bill was amended by striking out the provision exempting the bonds from county taxes,

And was read the third time at lengthand passed—yeas 59, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Ayres, Bain, Bass, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Burford, Clanton. Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Foster, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Judge, Kemp, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Wilson, Young:.

H. 723. To incorporate the Lineville College at Lineville, Clay county, Alabama,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 61, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Appleton, Ayers, Bain, Barnett, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Foster, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Conecuh, Leslie, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Smith of Dallas, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshew, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Whatley, Wilson, Young.

H. 826. To change the name of Ashland Educational Company, and to grant additional powers,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 56, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Cole-

man, Cooper, Cornelius, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Foster, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Howle, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rather, Scott, Smith of Dallas, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Whatley, Wil- son, Young.

H. 890. To ratify and confirm the subscription to an organi-zation and incorporation of the Gulf Coke and Coal Company and to enlarge the power of said company,

Was read the third time at length. and passed—yeas 57, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Black-well, Brewer, Burford, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Hill, Hufham, Johnson, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leslie, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Parks, Pea- cock, Pettus, Purify, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Scott, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Whatley, Young.

H. 594. To require the secretary of state to furnish a tract book of all the lands therein to the county of Dale,

Was taken up,

And on motion the bill was tabled.

H. 180½. To amend an act entitled an act to require the county commissioners of Conecuh county to procure printed blank forms of certain conveyances and printed blank record books in conformity therewith, for the use of and distribu- tion by the probale judge of said county, and to regulate the fees for recording the same,

Was read the third time at lenth and passed—yeas 63, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Sumter, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Blackwell, Brewer, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Da-vidson, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Foster, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Pet-

tus, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Scott,8crews, Sim- mons, Smith of Dallas, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wil- son, Young.

s. 298. To amend sections 1, 3 and 9 of an act entitled an act to incorporate the Montgomery and Sylacauga Railroad Company, approved February 11, 1889,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 54, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tal-lapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Coleman, Cooper,0ornelius. Davidson, Da- vis of Fayette, Edwards, Finch, Foster, Harrell, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Long, Loveless, Northington, Parks, Pea-cock, Pettus, Quarles, Ramsay, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Smith of Dallas, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tuck- er of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.

H. 693. To authorize the commissioners court of Coving- ton county to set aside a special tax for the pay of grand and petit jurors in said county.

The substitute was adopted, and the bill

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 59, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tal-lapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Cole- man, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Guthrie, Harrell, Hill, Howle, Johnson, Judge, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Purifoy, Quarles, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Smith of Dallas, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Town- send of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.

H. 482. To require the amount of all special taxes for buildiug and repairing bridges and cause-ways, and repair- ing courthouse or jail levied and collected by Crenshaw county in excess of the amount actually needed at the time for such special purposes for which such taxes were levied

and collected, to be kept in the county treasury separate and apart from ail other funds, and to be used only for the spe- cial purposes for which it was levied and collected,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 54, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Sumter, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Coleman, Cooper, Crews, Davis of Lamar, Foster, Harrell, Henry, Hill, Howle, Johnson, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Madison, Nolen, North-ington, Peacock, Pettus, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 582. To prevent camp hunting in Blount county, Ala- bama,

Was read the' third time at length and passed—yeas 54, nay 1. .

Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Burford, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, David- son, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Guthrie, Har- rell, Hill, Hufham, Johnson, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leslie, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Sayre, Simmons, Smith of Dallas, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tuck- er of Crenshaw, Wade, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.

H. 985. To amend section 3 of an act entitled an act to provide for the more efficient working of the public roads in the county of Talladega, approved December 9th, 1886, and section 4 of an act to amend sections 20, 21, 22 and 26 of an act to provide for the more efficient working of the public road in Talladega county, approved February 13, 1889,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 54, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Sumter, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Crews, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Hill, Hufham, Johnson, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock,

Pettus, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Sayre, Scott, Smith of Dallas, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Whatley, White, Wiison, Young.

H. 852. To authorize Mary F. Churchwell, widow of David Churchwell, deceased, to sell lands at private sale belonging to the estate of said David Churchwell, deceased; Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 52, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Black-well, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Poster, Guthrie, Harrell, Johnson, Judge, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Meador, Moore of Madison, Northington, Peacock, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Simmons, Smith of Dallas, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lander- dale, Wade, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.

H. 786. To amend section 4 of an act to amend and ratify the charter of the Selma and Cahaba Valley Railway Com- pany, approved February 21st, 1887,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 57, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Ed- wards, Foster, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Hufham, Johnson, Judge, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Long, Longshore, Meador, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Purifoy, Quarles, Rous- seau, Scott, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sul- livan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker:

The senate insists on its amendments to the bill,

H. 141. To increase the jurisdiction of justices of the peace in Tuskaloosa, Blount, Crenshaw, Fayette, Cherokee, Macon, Morgan and Chilton counties,

And asks a committee of conference thereon;
Committee on the part of the senate—Messrs. Parks, God- frey and Handley;
And has concurred in. the report of the conference com- mittee on the bill,
H. 225. To protect and regulate the time and manner of catching and taking fish from and in the waters of the State of Alabama in the counties of Mobile and Baldwin;
And has amended as therein shown, and as amended has passed the bill,
H. 210. To receive and appropriate the moneys granted to the State of Alabama by act of congress, approved August. 30th, 1890, entitled an act to apply a portion of the proceeds of the public lands to the more complete endowment and support of the college for the benefit of agricul- ture and the mechanic arts, etc., and for other purposes;
And has originated and passed the bills,
s. 194. For the relief of W. L. Rowes, sheriff of Talla- poosa county;
s. 323. To extend the police power and jurisdiction of the city of Birmingham over and about the fair grounds in the vicinity of said city in the county of Jefferson known as the Fair Grounds of the Birmingham Fair Association, and to empower the corporate authorities of said city to authorize, regulate and license any business on said fair grounds, dur- ing the holding of any fair, exposition or races that may be authorized, regulated or licensed by said city within the cor- porate limits thereof ;
s. 402. To confirm the incorporation and organization of the Gadsden and Attalla Railroad Company ;
s. 384. To regulate the drawing of a jury for the July term of the county court of Lawrence county;
s. 302. To amend section 4076 of the code of Alabama; s. 403. To confirm the incorporation and organization of the Gadsden and Attalla Union Railway Company ;
s. 238. To provide for the rearrangement of the commis- sioners districts in Limestone county ;
s. 406. For the relief of Jas. E. Kennedy, sheriff of Dallas county;
s. 359. To amend section 521 of the code, so far as the same relates to Jefferson county ;
s. 397. To incorporate the Colored Normal College of Lamar county;

s. 348. To incorporate the National Banking Investment and Trust Company ;
s. 347. To incorporate Sheffield Savings and Trust Com- pany;
s. 326. To ratify, confirm and enlarge the corporate powers of the Birmingham, Powderly and Bessemer Street Railroad Company.

W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE.

On motion, the house acceded to the request of the senate for a committee of conference on H. 141,
And the speaker appointed the following conferees on the part of the house: Messrs. Foster, Pettus and Smith of Russell.
On motion, the house concurred in the senate amendment to the bill,
H. 210. The title of which is set out in the above senate message;
Yeas 57, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Foster, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Johnson, Jones, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Purifoy, Quarles, Rousseau, Screws, Smith of Dallas, Sparkman, Steele, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Watters, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.
The senate bills just received, whose titles are set forth in the above and foregoing message, were severally read once and referred to the committees as follows :
s. 194, to appropriations ;
s. 323, 238, 250, to local legislation ; .
s. 402, 403, 348, 347 and 326, to corporations ;
s. 384, 302, 406, to judiciary ;
s. 397, to education.

CONFERENCE REPORT.

To the General Assembly of the State of Alabama:
Your committee of conference on the part of the house and senate on H. No. 225, have had the matter under con-sideration, and beg leave to report the following recommen-dations :
1. That the senate recede from senate amendments No. 2 and No. 4;
2. That the house concur iu senate amendment No. 3.
Respectfully submitted.

DAN WILLIAMS,
J. R. COWAN,
Committee on part of Senate.
W. S. LEWIS,
R. H. MOORE,
E. H. BUCK,
Committee on part of House.

The above conference report was concurred in.
Yeas 57, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Clayton, Coleman, Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Foster, Harrell, Harris, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Northington, Peacock, Pettus, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rousseau, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Smith of Dallas, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker:
The president of the senate having signed the following bills, your signature thereto is requested :
s. 34. To extend the geological and agricultural survey of the State of Alabama;
s. 288. To provide for a vote of the people on the sub-ject of a permanent location of the county site of Franklin county ;

s. 174. To create a new charter for the town of Jackson- ville, Alabama.

W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SIGNING OF BILLS.

The speaker of the house, in the presence of the house,im-mediately after their titles had been publicly read by the clerk, singed the senate bills the titles of which are set out in foregoing senate message.

REPORT FROM COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Speaker :
The committee on enrolled bills report the following bills correctly enrolled :
H. 369. To provide for elections ^o be held in beat No. l, and the towns of Day's Gap and Carbon Hill, in Walker county, Alabama, to determine whether or not the sale, giving away, or otherwise disposing of malt, vinous or spir- ituous liquors, shall be lawful within. the corporate limits of Jasper, Day's Gap, and Carbon Hill;
H. 498. To declare the true intent and meaning of an act approved February 19th, 1889, and entitled an act to amend an act entitled an act to release the Tennessee and Coosa Railroad Company from its indebtedness to the State of Ala-bama;
H. 537. To amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the town of Northport, approved February 12, 1879, by ad- ding the following additional sections to said act incorpora- ting said town;
H. 468. To amend sections three, seven and twenty-four of an act to incorporate the city of Jenifer, Alabama, ap- proved February 28, 1889 ;
H. 231. To repeal an act entitled an act to increase the criminul jurisdiction of justices of the peace and notaries public having like powers in the counties of Lee, Madison, Jackson, Clarke, Choctaw, Walker and Marion, approved February 8, 1877, so far as the same relates to Walker county;
H. 222. To require county administrators to keep a book of record and to make such book of record free for examina- tion of all persons;

H. 634. To amend section one of an act to establish par- tial stock law districts in Talladega county, so as to include precincts seven, eight, eleven, and all that part of two lying east of the Jackson Trace road, and beat No. 3, and sections 6 and 7, and north halfof section 5, in beat No. 13, township 20 and range 5 in said county;
H. 542. To authorize the election of four commissioners for the court of county commissioners of Chilton county, and to direct the court of county revenues of the said county to turn over and deliver the records and papers on file in said court to the court of county commissioners of said county of Chilton ;
H. 538. To repeal an act entitled an act to amend an act to regulate the fees of officers of court against the fine and forfeiture fund of Wilcox county ;
H. 327. To fix t lie fees of the circuit clerk of Hale county ; H. 119. To promote the comfort of passengers on railroad trains;
H. 319. To ratify and amend the charter of the Security Bank of Alabama ;
H. 602. For the relief of A. G. Franklin, ex-sheriff of the county of DeKalb, State of Alabama;
H. 616. For the relief of the estate of John R. Dicken, deceased;
H. 824. To incorporate the "Alabama Street, Presbyter- ian church," located in Selma ;
H. 405. To incorporate the East Alabama Male and Fe- male Institute, Notasulga, Alabama ;
H. 480. To prevent the wrongful and illegal collection of money on farm produce as storage ;
H. 416. To incorporate the town of Luverne in the coun- ty of Crenshaw;

C. C. RATHER,
Chairman.

SIGNING OF BILLS.

The speaker of the house, in the presence of the house, immediately after their titles had been publicly read by the clerk, signed the bills, the titles of which are set out in the foregoing report of committee on enrolled bills.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Was granted to Messrs. Wood and Powell for one day.

H. 479 wan returned, and it was referred to ways and means; and,
H.. 1012 was returned and referred to judiciary;
H. 994 was recommitted to the committee on corporations. At 6 p. m. the house adjourned till 9 a. m. to-morrow.

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FORTY-SECOND DAY.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
SATURDAY, February 7, 1891.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.
A quorum was present.
Prayer by Rev. Mr. Thompson, of the city.
The journal of yesterday was read and approved.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Was granted lo Messrs. Harris, Parker, Powell, Bass, Jack- son, Edwards, and Sparkman for one day ; and to Messrs. Armistead, and Purifoy indefinitely ; and to Mr. Jones for yesterday and to-day.

SPECIAL ORDERS.

First.

H. 550. To improve the penitentiary and convict system of Alabama,
Was resumed.
The pending question being—
Mr. Smith's motion to strike out section 2.
Mr. Brown moved to lay the motion on the table.
Carried.
Yeas 35, nays 31.
Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Sumter, Appleton, Avery, Bain, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Davis of Fayette, Finch, Guth-

rie, Henry, Howle, Hufharn, Lane, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Moore of Baldwin, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Rather, Rousseau, Smaw, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Lauderdale, Whatley, Young.

Nays—Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Tallapoosa, Ayres, Barnett, Brewer, Burford, Cox, Davis of Lamar, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Harrell, Johnson, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Conecuh, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Ramsay, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Sullivan, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Webb, Wilson.

Mr. Brown offered an amendment, which was adopted.

The substitute was adopted, and

The bill was read the third time at length and passed— yeas 56, nays 2.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Sumter, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Finch, Gass, Gil- christ, Harrell, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Judge, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Simmons, Smaw, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, Young.

Nays—Messrs. Brewer, and Kemp.

Second.

s. 354. To provide for the establishment and working of the public roads in this state,

Was taken up.

Mr. Smith of Russell, moved to amend the bill by provid- ing that the provisions of the bill should not apply to the following counties :

Russell, Greene, Choctaw, Geneva, Mobile, Coffee, Cle- burne, Dallas, Barbour, Macon, Chambers, Franklin, Covington, Madison, Pickens, Wilcox, Chilton, Autauga, Ma- rengo, Tuskaloosa, Clay, Talladega, Lawrence, Jefferson, Hale, Lowndes, Butler and Marion,

Carried.

The bill was read the third time at length and passed— yeas 54, nays 6.

Yeas—Messrs. Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Co1eman, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Gass, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Kemp, Lane, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Con- ecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Mead- or, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Parks, Pea-cock, Ramsay, Screws, Smith of Russell, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsed of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Young.
Nays—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Davis of Lamar, Johnson, Rousseau.

Third.

s. 168. To amend section 4648 of the code,
Waa read the third time al length and passed—yeas 52, nays 5.
Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres. Bain, Barnett, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Northington, Parks, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Sim- mons, Smith of Russell, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Wilson, Young.
Nays—Messrs. Gilchrist, Judge, Townsend of Limestone, Whatley, and White.

Fourth.

s. 190. To provide for establishing a certain portion of the line between the States of Alabama and Georgia where same divides the counties of Cherokee, in the Slate of Ala- bama, and the county of Polk, in State of Georgia, to provide for the appointment of persons to establish said line, and to appropriate money to pay the expenses thereof,
With substitute pending, with the following title :
s. 190. To provide for establishing the state line between the states of Alabama and Georgia, in a certain locality

therein mentioned, and to make an appropriation to pay ex- penses of the same,
Which was adopted ; and the bill
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 61, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Burford, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Gass, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northing-ton, Parks, Peacock, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Screws, Smaw, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Lime-stone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.
Fifth.

H. 1056. To provide clerical assistance for the supreme court,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 63, nays 1.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker^ Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Crews. Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Gil-christ, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Judge, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Quarles, Ramsay, Rousseau, Scott, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, Wilson, Young.
Nay—Mr. White.

Sixth.

s. 109. To amend section 4533 of the code,
Was taken up.
And the amendment offered by the committee was
Adopted.
And the bill was read the third time at length and passed —yeas ,49 nays 8.

Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett. Blackwell, Brown, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Town- send of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Webb, White.
Nays—Messrs. Speaker, Buck, Lewis, Scott, Smith of Russell, Wade, Whatley, Young.

Seventh.

H. 17. To amend section 3812 of the code of Alabama,
Was taken up.
And the pending substitute was adopted,
And the bill was read the third time at length and passed —yeas 44, nays 8.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Ayres, Barnett, Bishop, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Bur-ford, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper» Cornelius, Cox, Finch, Guthrie, Harrell, Hill, Howle, Huf ham, Johnson, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Quarles, Rousseau, Simmons, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, White, Wil- son.
Nays—Messrs. Davis of Lamar, Foster, Judge, Sayre, Smaw, Smith of .Russell, Whatley, Young.

Eighth.

H. 473. To require all corporations hereafter chartered under the general laws or under special laws to pay for the certificate for the charter,
Was taken up.
Mr. Long’s amendment was lost.
Mr. Clayton moved to postpone the further consideration of the bil! until Monday next after the journal.
Carried.

Ninth.

H. 357. To prohibit the payment or allowance of claims against the estates of decedents which have been barred by the statutes of limitation in the life of such decedent,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 71, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Gass, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Johnson, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Madison, Nolen, North-ington, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Smith of Ressell, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Cren-shaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Whatley, White, Wil- son, Young.

BILLS ON FIRST READING.

Bills were introduced, severally read one time, and refer- red to appropriate committees, as follows :

By Mr. Webb—

H. 1072. To amend section 2 of an act entitled an act to amend the charter of the First Presbyterian church of Talla- dega, Alabama;

Corporations.

By Mr. Pettus—

H. 1073. To divide the State of Alabama into nine con-gressional districts;

Special committee, composed of Messrs. Pettus, Steele, Lee of Conecuh, Smith of Russell, Brewer, Amason of Tal-lapoosa, Foster, Webb. and Moore of Madison.

By Mr. Longshore—

H. 1074. To provide for more effectually having taxes as- sessed and paid on bonds, mortgages and other evidences of debt;

Ways and means.

By Mr. Crews—

H. 1075. To amend section one of an act entitled an act to amend an act entitled an act to provide for the registra-

tion and lien of judgments and decrees for the payment of money, approved February 26, 1889 ;
Revision of laws
By Mr. Davis of Fayette—
H, 1076. To provide for the registration of all claims and debts against Winston county ,
Local legislation ;
Also,
H 1077. To provide for the adjustment, compromise and payment of the registered claims payable out of the general funds of the county of Winston ;
Local legislation.
By Mr. Cooper, (by request)—
H. 1078. To alter and extend the corporate limits of the city of Anniston;
Corporations.
By Mr. Buck, (by request)—
H. 1079. To amend section 26 of an act entitled an act to amend an act entitled an act to amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the Port of Mobile, and to provide for the government thereof, approved February 11,1879 ;
Ways and means.
Also, (by request),
H. 1080. To amend section 9 of an act entitled an act to regulate the practice of pharmacy and the sale of poisons in cities and of towns of more than 900 inhabitants in the State of Alabama;
Ways and means.
By Mr. Quarles—
H. 1081. To further regulate the Alabama State Troops ; Military.
By Mr. Meador, (by request)—
H. 1082. To provide suitable compensation for the snper-intendent of education of the county of Marengo ;
Education.
By Mr. Clanton—
H 1083. To authorize Dr. J. M. Rowe, of Jackson county, to practice medicine and surgery without license ;
Public health.
By Mr. Moore of Madison—
H. 1084. To authorize the commissioners of the Hunts- ville State Colored Normal and Industrial School to sell the real property of the school located on Clinton street, in the

city of Huntsville, Alabama, and re-invest the proceeds of such sale in real estate in or near the city of Huntsville, Alabama;
Public buildings and institutions.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

The following bills were reported favorably from the various committees, and severally read a second time:
H. 797. To establish a separate school district to be known as the county line school district in Cullman county, Alabama, and to provide for the election of a board of trustees for said school district with certain duties and powers ;
H 732. To establish a separate school district, to be known as Jones chapel school district, in Cullman county, Alabama, and to provide for the election of a board of trustees for said school district with certain duties and powers;
H. 877. To authorize the trustees of township two, range 15, Colbert county, Alabama, to sell certain school property in the town of Brewton, in said township and county aforesaid;
H. 1030. To establish a separate school district, to be known as the Good Hope school district, in Cullman county, Alabama, and to provide for the election of a board of trustees for said school district, with certain duties and powers;
H. 1046. To constitute the city of Fort Payne a separate school district;
s. 179. To provide for the distribution of the money received by the State of Alabama each year in pursuance of the act of congress, approved March 2nd, 1887, and known as the Hatch act, which is entitled an act to establish agricultural experiment stations in connection with the colleges established in the several states under the provisions of an act, approved July 2nd, 1862, and of the acts supplementary thereto;
s. 236. To amend an act incorporating the Jndson Female institute, approved January 9, 1841 ;
s. 331. To provide for the election of the school district trustees in Mobile county, outside of the city of Mobile, and filling vacancies therein;
H. 610. To amend sections 2 and 16 of an act entitled an act to amend an act entitled an act to establish the city court of Birmingham, which was approved February 28,1889;

H. 1070. To establish a separate school district in the city of Eufaula, Barbour county, Alabama, and to provide means to support said separate school district;
H. 741. To authorize the town of Columbia in Henry county to borrow money and issue bonds for the purpose of constructing water works and electric lights and to regulate the price of water and lights with the citizens of the town who use the same;
H. 1054. For the relief of F. M. Harrison, T. D. Hendricks, R. F. Grimes, W. J. Fleming, William King, J. B. Lolly, Sarah Barberer, Lishe Farmer, S. Spurlock, P. G. Simmons and J. W. Carroll, settlers on the public lands of the state in Coffee county ;
H. 1053. To regulate the trials of misdemeanors in St. Clair county;
H. 969. To prohibit the discharge of a gun or other firearm in, within or inside of a passenger car in which or upon which there is a human being;
H. 1006. To provide for increasing the capital stock of building and loan associations;
H. 1012. To prevent the bringing and spreading of infectious and contagious diseases in this state by the bringing, selling or otherwise disposing of cast-off or second-hand clothing or garments for human apparel in this state ;
s. 305. To incorporate the Pythian Temple Company of Birmingham, Alabama;
H. 1003. To incorporate the Saint Paul's Grand Council of the State of Alabama of the Ancient Grand United Order of Daughters and Sons of St. Luke ;
H. 950. To establish the legal weights of agricultural products in this state;
On motion of Mr. Gilchrist—
H. 354, To prescribe the powers and duties of the Railroad Commissioners of Alabama in respect to rates of charges by persons or corporations operating railroads in this state for the transportation of passengers and freights; and to provide penalties for the enforcement thereof,
Was read a second time.
On motion—
H. 831. For the relief of Elisha Manning Yates,
Was read a second time.
On motion—
H. 379. For the relief of John M. Vandiver, tax collector of Cherokee county, Alabama,

Was read a second time.
On motion—
H. 1020, was re-committed to public health ;
And.
H. 853, to revision of laws.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker :
The senate has adopted the joint resolution herewith sent relative to the return by the governor of senate bill 174,
And has passed without amendment the bills:
H. 691. To create a separate school district in Cherokee county and to define the boundaries thereof;
H. 839. To authorize the mayor and board of Aldermen of the town of Eutaw to pass an ordinance regulating the business of selling, or offering for sale in said town, any second hand or pawn brokers goods, wares, and merchandise, and to fix a license therefor, and a penalty for violations of same; H. 448. To authorize the mayor and aldermen of the town of Attalla, in Etowah county, to issue bonds of said town for the purpose of providing said town with gas or electric lights and water, building and constructing sewers, building school houses, and to create a board of commissioners to manage, control and invest the proceeds of said bonds;
H. 597. For the relief of A. B. Byrd. sheriff of Dale county, Alabama, for the removal of prisoners from Georgia and Florida, in the year 1890;
H. 813. Vo provide for the levy, assesment and collection of taxes in the county of Chambers for the years 1891 and 1892;
H. 534. for the relief of Susie Rudder, a teacher of the public schools, in township 2, range 8,m Jackson county;
H. 719. To authorize an election in Bibb county, to ascertain whether a bridge across the Cahaba river in said county, shall continue a toll bridge or be made a free bridge;
H. 562. To establish in the state a school for the education of the deaf mutes and blind children of the negro race;
H. 685. To refund license money to J. C. Bangham, of Tallapoosa county;
H. 599. To repeal an act entitled an act to prohibit stock from running at large in a portion of Dallas county, approved 43 h

February 13,1883, so far as the same applies to Dublin beat; And hos originated and passed the following bills :
s. 345. To incorporate the Pan-American Transportation Company and to define its powers,
And ordered the same to the house without engrossment.

W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE.

On motion the house concurred in the senate joint resolu- tion with reference to the return by the governor of s. 174.
The senate bill just received, s. 345, was read once and referred to revision of laws committee.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker :
The senate has concurred in the house joint resolution re-questing the return by the governor of house bill number 457;
And has adopted a joint resolution herewith sent request- ing the return by the governor of senate bill 247;
And has amended as therein shown and as amended has passed the bill,
H. 186. To amend subdivision 18, section 137 of the code; And has originated and passed the bills:
s. 398. To incorporate town of Riverside in St. Clair county;
s. 289. To designate the officers at the penitentiary walls and to provide for their appointment;
s. 367. To regulate the hunting, catching and killing wild hogs in Morgan county, Alabama;
B. 404. To relieve Mrs. Willie E. Lake, a minor from the disabilities of non-age;
s. 237. To amend certain sections of the charter of the town of Oxford, and to give said town of Oxford power to issue bonds;
s. 415. To authorize Gadsden Lodge, No. 236, A. F. & A. M., to issue bonds to build a masonic temple, in the city of Gadsden in this state;
s. 376. To create a lien in favor of the keepers of pas-

tures in Dallas, Tuskaloosa and Lee counties for the payment of their charges for keeping and pasturing stock ;
s. 426. To declare Oakville Fish Pond in Lawrence county, an artificial pond;
s. 419. To authorize the mayor and councilmen of Troy, in Pike county, to erect and maintain or otherwise provide a system of water works for the city of Troy, and issue bonds in payment thereof in an amount not exceeding fifty thou- sand dollars;
s. 117. To establish the city court of Gadsden;
s. 395. To prevent stock from running at large in the sev- eral beats or districts in Marengo county, and to authorize an election thereon.

W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE.

On motion, the house concurred in the senate joint resolu- tion with reference to the return of s. 247.
The senate amendment to
H. 186. To amend subdivision 18, section 137 of the code, Was concurred in;
Yeas 57, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Ama- son of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Cooper, Corne- lius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Kemp, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, Young.
The senate bills just received, whose titles are set forth in the above and foregoing message, were severally read onec and referred to the committees as follows:
s. 398, 237, 415 and 419, to corporations;
s. 289, to penitentiary and criminal administration ;
s. 367, 426, to agriculture ;
s. 404 and 117, to judiciary;
s. 376 and 395, to local legislation.

REPORT FROM COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Speaker:
The committe on enrolled bills report the following bills correctly enrolled:
H. 38. To provide for the better support and maintenance of the public schools of Jefferson county, Alabama ;
H. 84. To prohibit pools, trusts or combines to regulate or control the prices of produce, goods, wares or merchan- dise in this state;
H. 106. To incorporate the Alabama State Mining and Manufacturing Company ;
H. 210. To receive and appropriate the moneys granted to the State of Alabama by act of congress, approved Au- gust 30th, 1890, entitled an act to apply a portion of the proceeds of the public lands to the more complete endow- ment and support of the college for the benefit of agriculture and the mechanic arts, etc., and for other purposes;
H. 332. To incorporate the town of Seale in the county of Russell;

C. C. RATHER,
Chairman.

SIGNING OF BILLS.

The speaker of the house, in the presence of the house, immediately after their titles had been publicly read by the clerk, signed the bills, the titles of which are set out in the foregoing report of the committee on enrolled bills.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

By Mr. Jones, recording secretary.

CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICE,
MONTGOMEBY, ALABAMA,
February 7th, 1891.

To the General Assembly :
Since the special message, which I had the honor to sub- mit to you on the 9th of December, I have had an oppor-

tunity to make a personal inspection of the penitentiary and its needs.

I found on visiting the hospital wards, for both black and white, patients in the last stages of consumption in the same room with other sick ; a condition of things which is to be deplored, as it is a violation of all the laws of hygiene. The only excuse for this reproach upon the state's humanity is the fact that the inspectors have done the very best they could, with the accommodations and means at their disposal. I found a considerable number of women, both white and black, huddled in a small and restricted space inside the walls, which does not give them room for exercise; to say nothing of the objection that it is an improper place for them, surrounded as they are by a number of male convicts which makes it exceedingly difficult for the officers to pre- vent improper communication between them.

I found the water supply entirely insufficient. The in- spectors have done the very best they could in providing privies with portable tubs, which are changed three times a day; but this is expensive and not promotive of health or cleanliness. A proper supply of water would avoid all this, and add greatly to the health of the convicts. This supply can be obtained by the purchase or condemnation of a spring about a thousand yards from the walls. It will cost to do this and convey water in the penitentiary about $1,500. This would supply a very urgent want, and would also add greatly to the security of the place against fire.

Back of the penitentiary walls is a small strip of land be- tween the state lands and the river, which for police and other purposes, ought to be owned by the state. When the Coosa river is opened this land will be valuable for wharf purposes. On the north end, the private property of Mr. Thomas reaches within 50 feet of the penitentiary walls, and on the south end, the property of Mr. Jenkins reaches to within 50 yards of the penitentiary walls. Heretofore, the state has been compelled to rent land; and if the owners of the lands should refuse to rent, the state would be put to loss by having to send hands a long distance before they could find suitable lands.

There are always at the walls a number of men and women who cannot be hired out, and boys under 15 years of age who cannot be sent to the mines, but who can be used in farm work and do much to their own support. Owing to the

fact that the state has no lands nearby of its own, it has been compelled to work these people on shares with neighboring farmers, and on rented lands on its own account. This labor could be better utilized and made more valuable, and the convicts insured better care if the state had accessible lands of its own where they could be worked. There should also be some land upon which the women could be quartered and worked. These are some of the reasons, which in my judgment and that of the board of inspectors. make it absolutely necessary that authority should be given to purchase lands and improve the condition at the walls, as slated in my special message of the 9th December.

There was a further purpose in the change proposed of testing by practical experience the uses to which convicts could be put at the walls, to make them self-sustaining, and the taking of some practical steps looking to the gradual abandonment of the lease system, in the future.

Twenty thousand dollars, the amount asked for, in view of the uses to which it is to be put, is as small an amount as is practicable to get along with, in view of the wants and necessities of the penitentiary.

There is a bill in the house to be entitled "an act to improve the penitentiary and convict system of Alabama," which was reported as a substitute for other bills by the house committee on penitentiary and criminal administration. It has the earnest and hearty approval of the executive ; and I respectfully urge upon you that its passage, with the amendments which have already beer, adopted to it, and one which I have asked to be proposed, (to remove any doubt as to the amount which would be appropriated by this bill and others now pending on the same subject) will be as wise a step as is possible under existing circumstances, and in a measure answer the demands of the people for some practical steps, looking to the gradual abolishment of the lease system.

AMENDMENT TO CONSTITUTION.

That the constitution needs amending is generally conceded. The difference in opinion is as to how this shall be accomplished. My views as to the matters wherein amendment is necessary and the best mode of adopting them were

stated at length in my inaugural address, wherein I recom- mended that a joint committee of the two houses be author- ized to sit during the recess, to consider and report for the action of the general assembly on its reassembling, amend- ments to be submitted to the people. This recommendation was not concurred in.
While the session is drawing to a close there is yet time for the general assembly to propose needed amendments; or if that be deemed inadvisable to determine whether to sub- mit to the people the question of holding a convention for the purpose of revising the constitution. To remove any misapprehension, I deem it not improper in this connection to say, that while I do not favor the holding of a convention, yet if the general assembly in its wisdom shall see fit to submit that question to the people, the executive will not be an obstacle to the passage of any act for that purpose, which provides that the work of the convention shall be submitted to the people for their approval.

THOS. G. JONES,
Governor.

SPECIAL ORDERS.

Were set as follows:
H. 354, February 11th, 11 a. m.;
s. 200, Wednesday next after journal ;
s. 140, 12:30 p. m., February 9th ;
H. 310, 11 a. m., February 9th ;
H. 337, 12 m., February 9th ;
H. 360, 11:30 a. m., February 9th ;
H. 1009, 12 m. February 9th ;
H. 376, February 9th. 3 p. m.
At 1 o'clock p. m. the house adjourned till 3 p. m. to-day.

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AFTERNOON SESSION.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.
A quorum was present.
The house proceeded to consider

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

H. 986. To establish a new charter for the city of Talla- dega,
Was taken up,
And pending substitute, with the following title,
To amend section 2 of an act, entitled an act to establish a new charter for the city of Talladega, approved, February 28,1887,
Was adopted,
Mr. Webb offered an amendment which was adopted, and the bill was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 58,nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Ama son of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Johnson, Judge, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Leigh, Leslie, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tuck- er of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.
H. 825. For the relief of the estate of Mary W. Hunter,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 55, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Ama- Son of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Johnson, Kemp, Langley, Leigh, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Pettus, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.
H. 545. To require the commissioners court of Jefferson county to pay for assistance to the solicitor for said county in suppressing crime out of funds in the county treasury,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 56, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tal-

lapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Johnson, Kemp, Langley, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Ramsay, Rather, Scott, Simmons, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Sulli- van, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.

H. 749. To increase, enlarge, extend, confirm, establish and ratify the charter and corporate powers of Crew's Normal College, of Lamar county, Alabama,

Was taken up.

And the pending substitute was adopted, and the bill

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 56, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Johnson, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parks. Peacock, Pettus, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Sparkman, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.

H. 844. To amend an act entltled an act to prevent stock from running at large in the several beats in Tallapoosa and Coosa counties, aud to authorize an election thereon,ap-proved February 26, 1887,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 56, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Am- ason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Cole- man, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Johnson, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Leslie, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Ramsay, Rather, Simmons, Smaw, Steele, Thrasher, Town- send of Limestone, Townsend of Pike Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, white. Wilson, Young.

H. 655. To define and regulate the liability of persons,

partnerships and corporations operating in the county of Es-cambia, canals or ditches for the purpose of floating logs or timber therein,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 56, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Ap-pleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bishop, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Gass, Harrell, Howle, Johnson, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Lime-stone, Townsend of Pike, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.

H. 443. To amend an act entitled an act to establish a new charter for the town of Attalla, approved February 28, 1889,

Was taken up.

And the pending substitute was adopted, and the bill

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 55, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tal-lapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Coleman, Cooper, Cor- nelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Johnson, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Simmons, Smaw, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, While, Wilson, Young.

H. 497. To authorize the corporate authorities of the city of Gadsden to release and surrender the option of the city of Gadsden to redeem the bonds that have been issued by the said corporate authorities, known and designated as “Sani- tary Bonds,” and to authorize said corporate authorities to issue the remainder of one hundred thousand dollars of said bonds authorized by act of the General Assembly of Ala- bama, approved February 28, 1889, to run no longer than thirty years,

Was read the third time at lenth and passed—yeas 54, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Coleman, Cooper, Corne- lius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Gass, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Johnson, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Screws, Simmons. !Smaw, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.

H. 714. To provide for a registration of all claims against the fine and forfeiture fund of Franklin county,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 53, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Burford, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cor-nelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Howle, John- son, Kemp, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Rather, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Town send of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.

H, 736. To authorize the substitution of the bonds of the county officers, justices of (he peace, notaries public, con- stables, executors, administrators, and guardians in Franklin county,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 55, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Sumter. Amason of Tal-lapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Johnson, Kemp, Langley, Lee of -Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Loveless, Meador. Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Screws, Smaw, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.

H. 651. Tor provide for the protection and preservation of game animals and birds in Fayette county,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 55, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Johnson, Kemp, Lane, Lang- ley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Smaw. Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.

s. 337. To provide for the election of the superintendent of education of Randolph county by the vote of the people of the county as other county officers are, and to provide the length of the t.erm of office of the superintendent of educa- tion in said county, to be appointed in October, 1891,

Was taken up and amended,

And the bill was read the third time at length and passed —yeas 53, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Howle, John- son, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Wade, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.

H. 738. To amend an act approved February 24, 1887, entitled an act to amend section 3 of an act to amend an act approved January 28, 1870, to incorporate the town of Co- lumbia, Henry county,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 53, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayers, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Johnson, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Peacock, Ram- say, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Thrasher, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.

H. 477. To confirm and enlarge the charter of the trustees of the Hospital of United Charities of Birmingham, Alabama, and to conl'er additional powers on said corporation,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 53, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Johnson, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Leigh, Lewis, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Parks, Pettus, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Smaw, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone,Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, Wilson, Young.
H. 840. To authorize the mayor and aldermen of the town of Eutaw to pass an ordinance requiring temporary merchants doing business im said town, totirst take a license therefor,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 53. nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Forman, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Johnson, Judge, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Loveless, Mcador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parks, Pettus, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Wade, Webb, Whatley, Wilson Young.
H. 921. To protect and regulate the manner of catching and taking fish in any of the creeks in Hale county, within a certain distance from where said creeks empty in the Warrior river,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 52, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Arnason of Sumter, Amaason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Gass, Guthrie, Howle, Jones, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of

Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parks, Pettus, Ramsay, Rather, Scott Simmons, Smaw, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Webb, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.

H. 881. To declare certain lands in Greene county, in this state, now belonging to T. W. Cobb, Mary Cobb, Mary E. Walker and Amenia J. Upchurch, a district in which stock shall be prevented from running at large, aud to provide that the provisions of an act entitled an act to authorize the commissions court of Greene county to establish districts in which stock may be prevented from running at large, approved February 17, 1885, shall be applicable to said district,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 54, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Arnason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Burtord, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Johnson, Judge, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Loveless, Meador, Nolen, Parks, Pettus, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Smaw, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Wade, Webb, White, Wilson, Young.

H. 857. To amend section 2 of an act to amend an act entitled an act to create a separate school district in Jackson county, to be known as Pleasant Grove, out of a part of township 5, range 6 east, approved February 15, 1889,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 54, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Gass, Guthrie, Henry, Howle, Jndge, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Loveless, Meador, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons. Smaw, Sallivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.

H. 949. To authorize and empower the board of trustees of the Scottsboro College and Normal School to sell and convey the property and franchise of said institution,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 53, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Ayres, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton,Coleman,Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Gass, Guthrie, Howle, Johnson, Judge, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

By Mr. Jackson, private secretary.

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR,

MONTGOMERY, Feb.7,1891.
To the House of Representatives :
In compliance with joint resolution certified to me this day, 1 herewith return to the honse senate bills 174 and 247.
THOS. G. JONES,
Governor.

On motion, the clerk was ordered to return s. 174 to.the senate.

RECONSIDERATION.

By unanimous consent the house reconsidered the votes by which
s. 247. To incorporate the Cotton States Telephone and Telegragh Company
Was passed, and was ordered to a third reading.
Mr. Cooper offered an amendment which was adopted,
And the bill was read the third tinie afc leugth and passed —yeas 55, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper,

Oornelius, Orews, Oox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Hill, Howle, Johnson, Kemp, Laue, Langley, Lee of Barhour, Leigh,
Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Smaw, Thrasher, Town-
send of Liroestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker:

The president ot' the senate having signed the following bills, your signature thereto is requested :
s. J. R. To issue certain Londs to the South and North Alabama Railroad Company ;
S. 231. To provide for the election of connty superintendent of education of Autauga county ;
S. 340. To provide for the times of holding the circuit courts in the sixth judicial circuit of this state ;
S. 55. To repeal section 4193 of the code, so far as the same relates to the county of' Bullock, and county court, and provide for the transfer of the unfinished business in said court to the circuit court of said county ;
S. 11. To repeal an act to make an annual appropriation for the benefit of the State Agricultural Society, approved February 22nd, 1887 ;
S. 303. To incorporate the Black Warrior Railroad Company and to further the construction of a railroad ;
S. 53. In relation to the admission of insane criminals into the Alabama Insane Hospital ;
S. 12. To repeal an act entitled an act to amend an act to make annual appropriation for the benefit of the State Agricultural Society, approved February 25, 1889 ;
S. 296. To amend section two of an act to authorize the Macon and Birmingham Railroad Company a corporation under the laws of Georgia to construct, maintain and operate its railroad within the State of Alabama, and do all other things needful for that purpose, approved February 27,1889 ;
S. 298. To amend sections 1, 3 and 9 of an act entitled an act to incorporate the Montgomery and Sylacauga Rail-road Company, approved February 11, 1889 ;
S. 60. To amend and extend fche charter of the Commer-

cial Bank of Selma, and to amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the Selma Savings Company, approved December l0th, 1864, and an act entitled an act to amend the act entitled an act to incorporate the Selma Savings Company, approved February 23, 1866, and an act entilled an act to change the name of the Selma Savings Company to the Selma Savings Bank, approved January 28th, 1870, and an act entitled an act to change the name of the Selma Savings Bank to the Commercial Bank of Selma, approved February l0th, 1879.
W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

REPORT FROM COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

MR. Speaker :
The committee on enrolled bills report the following billa correctly enrolled:
H. 691. To create a separate school district in Cherokee county and to define the boundaries thereof ;
H. 186. To amend subdivision 18, section 137 of the code ;
H. 346. To incorporate the town of Edwardsville ;
H. 534. For the relief of Susie Rudder, a teacher of the public schools, in township 2, range 8, in Jackson county ;
H. 719. To authorize anelection in Bibb county, to ascertain whether a bridge across the Cahaba river, in said county, shall continue a toll bridge or be made a free bridge ;
H. 562. to establish in the state a school for the education of the deaf mutes and blind children of the negro race ;
H. 685. To refund license money to J. C. Bangham, of Tallapoosa county ;
H. 599. To repeal an act entitled an act "to prohibit stock from running at large in a portion of Dallas county," approved February 13, 1883; so far as the same applies to Dublin beat;
Hr. 839. To authorize the mayor and board of aldermen of the town of Eutaw to pass an ordinance regulating the business of selling, or offering for sale in said town, auy second hand or pawn brokers goods, wares and merchandise, and to fix a license therefor, and a penalty for violations of same ;
H. 448. To authorize the mayor and aldermen of the town

of Attalla, in Etowah county, to issue bonds ot said town for the purpose of providing said town with gas or electric lights and water, building and constructing sewers, building school houses, and to create a board of commissioners to manage, control and invest the proceeds of said bonds ;
H. 597. For the relief of'A. B. Byrd, sheriff of Dale county, Alabama, for the removal of' prisoners from Georgia and Floridia, in the year 3890 ;
H. 813. To provide for the levy, assessment and collection of' taxes iu the county of Chambers for the years 1891 and 1892.

C. C. RATHER,
Chairman.

SIGNING OF HOUSE AND SENATE BILLS.

The speaker of the house, in the presence of the house, immediately after their titles had been public read by the clerk, signed the bills, the titles of which are set out in the foregoing report of committee on enrolled bills, and the foregoing senate message.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

By Mr. Jackson, private Secretary:

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR,
MONTGOMERY, February 7, 1891.

To the House of Representatives:

I herewith return, without my approval, and for the reconsideration provided by the constitution, house bill 642, "to prescribe the time when taxes shall become delinquent in the county of Chambers."
The bill provides, in substance, that all state and county taxes, including poll taxes in Chambers county, shall become delinquent on the 31st of December in each year.
The general law provides that all taxes, except poll taxes, shall become delinqueut on the 31st of December of each year, except in cases where parties are about, to remove from the county; and the poll tax shall become delinquent on the first of December in each year, after which date the tax col-

lector may proceed to enforce the payment by garnishment or by seizure and sale of personal property.
The reason inducing rhe legislature to make the poll tax delinquent on the lirst ofDeceniber, while it provided a later date—December 31st—for other taxes, was to prevent loss to the state by removal from the county of persons for poll tax. It is a matter of common knowledge that many people liable for poll tax, in making arrangements for the next year, often move out of the county about the 31st December, thus rendering it difficult, if not impossible, for the collector of the county to enforce the payment of the poll tax, and to that extent curtailing the school fund to which the poll tax is devoted.
It is not believed that the local conditions in Chambers county are so different from those in other counties as to require a change in the general law. If there is one system of laws that ought to be uniform throughout the state it is the law providing for the collection of the state's revenue. If the precedent were once allowed of making diff'erent regulations in the different counties, confusion would be produced in the administration of the law, without the accomplishment ot any corresponding good.
THOS. G. JONES,
Governor.

RECONSIDERATION.

The house proceeded to reconsider
H. 642. To prescribe the time when taxes shall become delinquent in the county of Chambers,
And the bill was lost.
Yeas 0, nays 54.
Nays—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of' ïallapoosa, Avery, Bain, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Johnson, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Smaw, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker :

The senate has originated and passed the bills :

s. 383. To incorporate the town of Moulton in Lawrence county, Alabama;

s. 284. To prevent the running at large of stock in certain portions ot' Elmore county ;

s. 446. To amend section two of an act to amend the charter of the Stonewall Insurance Cornpany of Mobile, and extend the provisions thereof, approved February 17, 1885 ;

s. 379. To fix the time and places holding the circuit courts in the various counties composing the ninth judicial circuit of the State of Alabama ;

s. 423. ïo fix the time of holding the circuit courts in the counties of Randolph and Bibb in the fifth judicial circuit of the state of Alabama ;

s. 441. To amend and eularge the charter of the Florence Loan and Trust Company, incorporated under the general laws of the State of Alabama ;

s. 394. To authorize the county of Clarke to borrow money and issue bonds for the purpose of building a court house for the use of said county, at Grove Hill, or other place at which it may be determined to build said court house;

And has concurred in the house amendment to the bill

s. 247. To incorporate the Cotton States Telephone and Telegraph Company ;

And has passed without amendment the bill

H. 571. For the relief of the estate of James Hunter, deceased ;

And has amended as therein shown, and as amended has passed the bills :

H. 457. To prohibit the placing of mortgages or encumbrances on growing crops in Monroe county ;

H. 450. To prevent hunting or fishing, entering upon or trespassing upon certain lands on the Black Warrior river in Greene county, in townships twenty and twenty-one, and ranges two and three, east, after the owner or person in possession thereof shall have forbidden the same by notice posted on the lands, or by publication in a newspaper published in said county ;

H. 407. To regulate the fine and forfeiture fund of Conecuh and Escambia counties, and the disposal of moneys arising from fines, fbrfeitures and convict labor in said counties.
W. L. OLAY,
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The senate bills just received, the titles of which are set out in the above senate message, were severally read once and referred to appropriate committees, as follows :
s. 383, 441 to corporations ;
s. 284 to agriculture ;
s. 446 to revision ol' laws ;
s. 379, 423, and 394 to judiciary.
The house concurred in the senate amendments to the following bills:
H. 457. To prohibit placing mortgages or encumbrances on growing crops in Monroe county.
Yeas 54, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Oox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Foster, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parks, Pettus, Quarles, Rather, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of' Pike, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.
Also,
H. 407. To regulate the fine and forfeiture fund of' Conecuh and Escambia counties, and the disposal ot' moneys arising from fines, forfeitures and convict labor in said counties.
Yeas 54, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. AImon, Amason ofSumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Eain, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of' Lamar, Finch, Gass, Guthrie, Henry, Howle, Judge, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless,

Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Thrasher, Townsend of Lirnestone, Townsend of Pike, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.
And concurred in the senate amendment to H. 450.
At 5:30 p. m. the house adjourned till 9 a. m. Monday.

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FORTY-THIRD DAY.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

MONDAY, February 9, 1891.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.
Prayer by Rev. Dr. Rush, of the city.
A quorum was present.
The journal of yesterday was read and approved.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Was granted to Mr. Harris for one day and to Mr. Lee of Conecuh, indefinitely.
On motion of' Mr. Smith of Russell—
s. 284 waa taken from the committee on agriculture and referred to local legislation.
By unaniinous consent—
H. 954. ïo change the time of holding the July term of the city court of Montgomery,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 55, nay 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Appleton, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Gass, Gordon, Guthrie, Henry, Howle, Johnson, Judge, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of'Baldwin, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Sullivan, Wade, Webb, Watters, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

On motion, the bill was ordered to the senate without engrossment.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The house resumed consideration of
H. 452. To authorize and provide for the holding of special terms or tlie circuit and chancery courts in this state.
Mr. Jndge moved to amend the bill by striking out the words "$75.00 per week," and inserting in lieu the words "$ 15.00 per day."
On motion, the bill and amendment was laid on the table.

SPECIAL ORDERS.

First.

H. 473. To require corporations hereafter incorporated or chartered under the general laws, or under special laws, to pay a charter tax before beginning business.
On motion of Mr. Smith of Russell—
The bill was indefinitely postponed.

Second.

H. 950. To establish the legal weights of agricultural products in this state ;
Mr. Buck moved to amend by providing "corn in the shuck 75 lbs."
Carried.
The bill was read the third time at length and passed – yeas 61, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayers, Bain, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Heury, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Judge, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman,Sullivan, Thrasher,Townsend of'Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Webb, Whatley, Wilson, Young.

Third.

H. 393. To provide for the collection of taxes from persons removing from one county to another during the tax year.

On motion of Mr. Brewer the bill was amended and was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 56, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Oornelius,Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Foster, Gass, Guthrie, Jackson, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of' Lirnestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale,Wade,Watters,Webb,Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

Fourth.

H. 354. To amend section 458 of the code ;

Mr. Brewer offered the following ameiidment, "Add after the second word January," and before the words "shall be subject" the words "which money has been assessed for taxation that year."

Adopted.

The bill was read the third time at length anA passed — yeas 59, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Sumter. Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Biewer, Brown, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Gass, Guthne, Henry, Howle, Johnson, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Ramsay, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, T ucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Young.

By unanimous consenfc the votes by which

s. 354. To better provide for the establishment and working of the public roads in this state,

Was passed and was ordered to a third reading were reconsidered.
Mr. Foster movedto amendbystriking Tuskaloosa county from the proviso.
Lost.
The following amendment was adopted,
Provided, the provisions of this act shall not apply to the the following counties: Lamar, Etowah, Blount, Morgan, Pike, Bullock, Bibb, Lee, Baldwin and Calhoun.
The bill was read the third lime at length and passed—yeas 57, nays 8.
Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Birhop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Coleman,Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Ramsay, Rather, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Wood, Young.
Nays—Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Sumter, Kelly, Lee of Conecuh, Lewis, Wade, Whatley and Wilson.
And the house resumed the consideration of

SPECIAL ORDERS.

Fifth.

H. 310. To allow appeals to the supreme court from the decisions of the city and circuit courts in this state granting or refusing to grant motions for new trials ;
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 57, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Finch, Foster, Gass, Harrell, Howle, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Quarles, Ramsay, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Rus-

sell, Sullivan, ïhrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Young.

Sixth.

H. 360. To amend section 1583 (2008) of the code of Alabama,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 39, nays 13.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Appleton, Avery, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Northington, Peacock, Rousseau, Scott, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Watters, Webb, Whatley, Wood.
Nays—Messrs. Kelly, Long, Longshore, Northington, Pettus, Ramsay, Smaw, Sparkman, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Wilson, Young.

Seventh.

H 803. To amend section 1 of an act entitled an act to amend sections 463 and 529 of the code, approved February 28, 1889.
The substitnte offered by the commiltee with the following title,
"To amend an acfcentitled an act to amend sections 463 and 529 ol' the code, approved February 28, 1889,"
Was adopted.
The bill was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 39, nays 17.
Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Bain, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Edwards, Foster, Gass, Harrell, Howle, Jackson, Jones, Lane, Leigh, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Kamsay, Simmons, Smith of Dallas, Sparkman, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Wood.
Nays—Messrs. Speaker, Bain, Clayton, Crews, Davis of

Lamar, Finch, Hill, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Long, Nolen, Parks, Rather, Webb, Whatley, Wilson, Young.

Eighth.

H. 1009. To authorize the state superintendent of education to hold state conventions of county superintendents of education,
Was read the third time at length and lost——yeas 20, nays 44.
Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Blackwell, Brown, Clanton, Cooper, Cox, Henry, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Smaw.
Nays—Messrs. Adams, Bain, Bishop, Brewer, Cooper, Cornelius, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Gilchrist, Harrell, Hill, Howle, Huf ham, Jackson, Johnson, Kemp, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Peacock, Powell, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Smith of Dallas, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.
Mr. Gilchrist moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was lost, and then moved to table that motion.
And the latter motion was
Carried.

Nmth.

H. 376. To create a separate school district of certain fractional townships in Dallas county,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 60, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Burford, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch,Gass,Guthrie, Harrell, Uowle, Jackson, Johnson, Jones,
Kelly, Kemp, Liangley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Madison, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Screws, Simmons, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Cren-

shaw, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

Tenth.

s. 140. To provide compensation to sheriffs for the removal of prisoners from other states to this state,
The substitute was adopted, and
The bill was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 60, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Gass, Gilchrist, Harrell, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lewis, Long, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Watters, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

Eleventh.

H. 1010. For the payment of five coupons of Class "A" bonds destroyed by fire.
The ameudment offered by the committee was
Adopted.
And the bill was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 54, nays 4.
Yeas—Messrs. Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Gass, Harrell, Henry, Hill, Howle, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Long, Longshore, Nolen. Parks, Peacock, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Smith of Russell, Thrasher, Townsend of' Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Watters, Webb, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.
Nays—Messrs. Johnson, Pettus, Quarles, Smith of Dallas.

BILLS ON FIRST READING.

Bills were introduced, severally read the first time, and referred to appropriate committees, as follows :

By Mr. Northington—

H. 1086. To incorporate the town of Clanton, in Chilton county;

Corporations.

By Mr. Watters—

H. 1087. To fix the compensation of county commissioners of Choctaw county ;

Local legislation ;

By Mr. Screws—

H. 1088. To confer upon the commandant of the corps of cadets the rank of colonel of infantry ;

Military.

By Mr. Clayton—

H. 1089. To amend sections 1167 and 1168 of the code of 1886;

Judiciary ;

Also,

H. 1090. To amend section 1168 ofthe code of 1886 ;

Judiciary ;

Also,

H. 1091. To give effect to section 23 of article 14 of the Constitution of the State of Alabama ;

Fees and salaries.

By Mr. Leslie—

H. 1092. To authorize the town of Dothan to levy and collect license taxes upon professions, occupations, vocations and businesses practiced or engaged in within said town ;

Ways and means.

By 'Mr. Whatley—

H. 1093. To require the commissioners court of roads and revenues for the county of Chambers to cause road overseers in said county to have loose stones removed from the roads of said county, so far as the same may be practicable ;

Public roads and highways.

By Mr. Longshore—

H. 1094. To amend section 1120 of the code;

Corporations.

By Mr. Jackson—

H. 1095. To amend section 8 of an act entitled an act to

incorporate the town of Auburn, Lee county, Alabama, approved February 23, 1875 ;
Corporations.
By Mr. Brown—
H. 1096. To amend section 2790 of the code of Alabama ;
Judiciary.
By Mr. Davis of Fayette—
H. 1097. To make the clerk of the circuit court of Fayette county ex-officio clerk of the county court;
Education.
By Mr. Smith of Russell—
H. 1098. To allow the sale of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors in beat No. 2 Russell county, Alabama ;
Local legislation.
Also, (by request),
H. 1098. To allow the sale of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors in beat 2, in Russell county, Alabama;
Temperance.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

On a call of committees. the following bills were reported favorably, severally read the second time and placed upon the calendar:
s. 365. To amend sections three and six and repeal sections four and five of an act entitled an act to regulate the state witnesses fees in Hale county, Alabama, and to provide for the payment of the same ;
H. 1084. To authorize the commissioners of the Huntsville State Colored Normal and Industrial School to sell the real property of the school located on Clinton street, in the city of Huntsville, Alabama, and re-invest the proceeds of such sale in real estate in or near the city of Huntsville Alabama;
H. 1037. To require tax assessors to assess the mineral and timber interest in the lands of this state ;
H. 1068. To regulate the fine and forfeiture fund in Tallapoosa county, Alabama ;
H. 1062. To authorize tax collectors to levy and sell shares of stock in incorporated companies for taxes ;
H. 713. To incorporate the town of Mellville in the county of Winston, and State of Alabama ;
H. 972. To incorporate the Iron City Gas Light and Fuel Co. ;

H. 968. To extend the police jurisdiction of the town of Avondale, Jefferson county;
H. 1069. To authorize the board of mayor and aldermen of the town of Dotliar to uegotiate a loan for t.he purpose of improving, grading and draining the streets, avenues and alleys of said town, establishing water works, fire departments, electric light plant, and the payment of the town's indebtedness, and for other various improvements of said town ;
H. 205. For the proper ventilation and conduct of mines or collieries in the State of Alabama, and providing for the creation of a state board of examiners for the examination of candidates for the office of mine inspector, and prescrib ing the mode of' such inspector's appointment, duties and term of office, and providing forhis compensation aud that of examiners, (with substitute);
H. 1059. To amend subdivision 17 of section 5 of an act entitled "an act to amend sections 4 and 11, and subdivisions 2, 5 and 6 of section 6, and subdivisions 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 9, 10, 17, 18, 20, 29, 31, 32, 33 and 34 of section 14, and to repeal subdivision 8 of section 6 ot' an act entitled an act to levy taxes for use of the state and the counties thereof, approved December 12, 1884, and for other purposes, approved December 11, 1886;
s. 114. To incorporate the Alabama, Florida and Mississippi Railroad Company, and to further the construction of said railroad ;
s. 419. To authorize the mayor and councilmen of Troy, in Pike county, to erect and maintain, or otherwise provide, a system of waterworks fbr the city of Troy, and to issue bonds in payment thereof, in an amount not exceeding fifty thousand dollars;
s. 415. To authorize Gadsden Lodge No. 236, A. P. and A. M., to issue bonds to build a Masonic Temple in this state;
s. 237. To amend certain sections of the charter of the town of Oxford, and to give said town of Oxford power to issue bonds;
s. 383. To incorporate the town of Moulton, in Lawrence county, Alabama;
s. 441. To amend and enlarge the charter of the Florence Loan and Trust Company, incorporated, under the general laws of the State of Alabama ;

H. 1016. To establish and govern a reformatory and. refuge for white children under fourteen years of age ;
s. 388. To establish a charter for Alabama City, in Etowah county, Alabama;
s. 377. To incorporate Montgomery Investcment, Banking and Trust Company ;
H. 998. To incorporate the State Savings Association, and define its powers and authority ;
H. 1078. To alter and extend the corporate limits of the city of Anniston;
H. 1072. To amend section 2 ot' an act entitled an act to amend the charter of the First Presbyterian church of Talladega, Alabama;
s. 389. To incorporate the Alabama Locomotive Company;
s. 402. To confirm the incorporation and organization of The Gadsden and Attalla Railroad Company;
s. 403. To confirm the incorporation and organization of The Gadsden and Attalla Union Railway Company;
H. 1073. To divide the State of Alabama into nine congressional districts;
s. 406. For the relief of Jas. E. Klennedy, sheriff of Dallas county;
s. 244. To make additional provisions to the laws regulating the practice of rnedicine in this state ;
s. 431. To fix the times and places of holding the circuit courts in the various counties composing the ninth judicial circuit of the State of Alabama.

On motion of Mr. Long—

H. 1023. To provide for an election to be held m any beat or precinct in Walker county, whenever twenty-five or more householders and freeholders residing in said beat or precinct, shall petition the probate judge of said Walker county for said election, to determine whether it shall be lawful or not to sell, give away, or otherwise dispose of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, within the beat or precinct wherein said election is held,

Was read a second time.

On. motion of Mr. Brown—

s. 664. To define the corporate limits of the town of lrondale, and to authorize the sale or otherwise disposing of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors therein, if the citizens of said town so desire,

Was read a second time.

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Smith of Dallas called up
H. 235. To create a lien on live stock for the cost of pasturing or feeding the same.
A substitute was adopted and amended, and the bill
Was read at length the third time and passed—yeas 59, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis ot Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Henry, Hill, Johnson, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of' Barbour, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Quarles, Ramsay, Rousseau, Sayre, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Eussell, Sparkman, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Watters, Webb, Wood, Young.
H. 999. To establish a charter f'or the city of Bridgeport,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 54, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Appleton, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Foster, Gass, Guthrie, Henry, Hill, Howle, Jackson, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Long, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Smaw, Smitli of Russell, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Whatley, Wilson, Young.
H. 681. To incorporate the town of Seddon in St. Clair county, and establish a charter for the government thereof ;
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 58, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason ol' Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Burford, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Lamar, Gass, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson; Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Scott, Simmons,

Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Wood, Young.
n. 891. To incorporate the Alabama, Florida and Chattanooga Railway Company;
Was read the third time afc length and passed—yeas 59, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, AImon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Orews, Oox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Foster, Gass, Harrell, Henry, Hill, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Peacock, Powell, Quaries, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Wood, Wilson, Young.

SPECIAL ORDERS

Were set as follows :
s. 179, February 11th, after reading the journal;
H. 533, February l0th, 10 a. m. ;
s. 140, February l0th, 11:15 a. m. ;
s. 382, February l0th, 10 a. m. ;
H. 452, February l0th. 11 a. m. ;
H. 966, February l0th, 11:30 a. m. ;
H. 1037, February l0th, 12:30 p. m. ;
H. 205, February 12th, 12 m.
On motion, H. 205 was recommitted to the committee on mining and manufacturing ; H. 798 was recommitted to the committee on revision of laws ; and H. 385 was recommitted to the committee on judiciary.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker:

The senate has concurred in the house amendment to the bill,
s. 118. To dissolve garnishments in cases where the defendant executed bond to plaintiff,

And has originated and passed the bills,
s. 438.To amend an act approved February 17, 1885, entitled an act to amend sections one and two of an act to define the corporate limits ot' the city of Wetumpka, approved February 23, 1883 ;
s. 276. To procure and preserve the likenesses of distinguished and worthy citizens at the capitol, and to create a commission for that purpose ;
s. 447. To incorporate the Louise Short Baptist Widows and Orphans Home ;
s. 285. To incorporate the Anniston Banking and Loan Association of Anniston, Alabama;
s. 468. To cede to the United St&tes jurisdiction over the lands of Mount Vernon barracks and Fort Morgan ;
s. 448. To create a lien in favor of hotel keepers ;
S. 108. To amend section 3338 of the code of Alabama;
s. 436. To repeal an act t6 amend section 1544 of the code of Alabama, so far as the same relates to the counties of Blount, Cullman, Cleburn, Washington, Coosa, Autauga, St. Clair, Elmore, Marshall, Dale and Chilton, approved on the 1st of March, 1881, so far as the same relates to the city of Wetumpka, Elmore county, Alabama ;
s. 416. For the relief of A. M. Powell, sheriff of Elmore county ;
s. 421. To change the corporate name ot' the Alabama Loan and Banking Company of Florence, Alabama ;
s. 382. For the relief of persons who have paid for and taken out a liquor license for the year 1891, improperly ;
s. 444. To refund to Robert McKee certain moueys paid by him into the state treasury ;
And has adopted the house joint resolution relative to raising a joint committee to prepare an omnibus temperance bill;
Committee on the part of the senate—Messrs. Cowan, Harris of Lee, and Haralson ;
And has amended as therein shown, and as amended has passed the bill,
H. 165. For the relief of James P. Streety, Mary Streety, Kolaud Wood and Elizabeth Russell, of Jackson county;
And has passed, without amendment, the following house bills:
H. 324. To incorporate the Fayette Alliance Union at Fayette, Fayette county, Alabama;

H. 669. To incorporate the Auburn, Lee county, Alabama, Baptist church;
H. 488. To provide for a resurvey of the county line between the ccunties of Monroe and Conecuh ;
H. 152. To incorporate the Alabama Northern Railway Company, and to further the construction of the same ;
H. 275. To repeal an act entitled an act relating to the working of male convicts sentenced to hard labor for the county of Jefferson, upon the public roads of said county ;
H. 158. To amend section 497 of the code;
H. 615. To repeal an act entitled an act to authorize the tax collector of Marion county to collect the unpaid taxes for the years 1880, 1881, 1882, 1883, and to pay the same to J. R. Hughes, late tax collector of said county, for the purpose of reimbursing the said J. R. Hughes, for money paid the state and county on account of said taxes, approved February 28, 1887;
H. 701. To cure irregularities in the issuance of claims against the fine and forfeiture fund of Marshall county and to further regulate said fund ;
H. 755. To refund to L. G. Cooper the sum of twenty dollars being purchase money for certain land heretofore erroneously sold him by the state.
W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The senate bills just received, whose titles are set forth in the above and foregoing message, were severally read once and referred to the committees as follows :
s. 438, 447, 285 and 421, to corporations;
s. 276 and 444, to appropriations;
s. 468, to federal relations ;
s. 448, to local legislation ;
s. 108 and 436, to revision of laws ;
s. 416, to ways and means ;
s. 382, to judiciary.
The house concurred in the senate amendment to
H. 165. For the relief of James P. Streety, Mary Streety, Roland wood, and Elizabeth Russell, of Jackson county;
Yeas 57, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Appleton, Avery,

Ayres, Barnett, Bass, Biohop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Coleman, Cornelius, Grews, Davidson, Edwards, Finch, Foster, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Jackson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Madison,Nolen, Northington, Parks, Pettus, Powell, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sullivan, Wade, Watters, Whatley, Wilson, Young.

REPORT FROM COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILL8.

Mr. Speaker :

The committee on enrolled bills report the following bills correctly enrolled :
H. 158. To amend section 497 of the code ;
H. 615. To repeal an act entitled an act to authorize tax collector of Marion county to collect the unpaid taxes for the years 1880, 1881, 1882, 1883, and to pay the same to J. R. Hughes, late taxcollector of said county, for the purpose of reimbursing the said J. R. Hughes, for money paid the state and county on account of said taxes, approved February 28, 1887.
H. 275. To repeal an act entitled an act relating to the working of male convicts sentenced to hard labor for the county of Jefferson, upon the public roads of said county ;
H. 407. To regulate the fine and forfeiture fund of Conecuh and Escambia counties and the disposal of moneys arising from fines, forfeitures and convict labor in said counties ;
H. 669. To incorporate the Auburn Baptist church at Auburn, Lee county, Alabama ;
H. 488. To provide for a re-survey of the county line between the counties of Monroe and Conecuh ;
H. 571. For the relief of the estate of James Hunter, deceased;
H. 701. To cure irregularities in the issuance of claims against the fine and forfeiture fund of Marshall county and to further regulate said fund ;
H. 755. To refund to L. G. Cooper the sum of twenty dollars beiug purchase money for certain land heretofore erroneously sold him by the state ;
H. 225. To protect and regulate the time and manner of catching and taking fish from the waters of the State of Alabama in the counties of Mobile and Baldwin ;

H. 457. To prohibit placing mortgages or eacumbrances on growing crops in Monroe county.
C. C. RATHER,
Chairman.

SIGNING OF BILLS.

The speaker of the house, in the presence of the house, immediately after their titles had been publicly read by the clerk, signed the bllls, the titles of which are set out in the foregoing reporfc ot' committee on enrolled bills.
At 1 p. m. the house adjourned till 3 p. m. to-day.

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AFTERNOON SESSION.

The house met pursuant to adjournment. A quorum was present.

SPECIAL ORDER.

H. 589. To declare "the board of edcation of the separate school district of the city of Tuscumbia," the successors in office of "the trustees of the Tuscumbia Male Academy," and to authorize said board of education to sell and convey said real estate belonging to "the trustees of the Tuscumbia Male Academy," for school purposes,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 56, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Ayres, Barnett, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Burford, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Gass, Guthrie, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Watters, Webb, Youug.

BILLS ON SECOND READING

H. 318. To be entitled an act to amend and revise the charter of the town of Oxanna,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 59, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Ayres, Barnett, Blackwell, Brown, Burford, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelins, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Guthrie, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.
H. 206. To amend sections four and eleven of an act entitled an act to establish the criminal court of Jefferson county,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 55, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs, Speaker, Almon, Amason of Rumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Ayres, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Burford, Clanton, Coleman, Cornelius, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Hufha, Jackson, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Parks, Pettus, Powell, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, ïucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Wilson, Young.
H. 944. To prescribe and regulate the purchase of supplies for the several countys offices, court-house, jail, alms and convict camp ot' Jefferson county,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 60, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Tallapoosa, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Gass, Guthrie, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour,

Lcigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Norlhington, Parks, Pettus, Powell, Quarles, Ramsay, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 249. To require all fines and forfeitures in criminal cases in the county of Jefferson to be paid in lawful money,

Was read the thlrd time at length and passed—yeas 55, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Ayres, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Burford, Coleman, Cooper, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Madison, Northington, Parks, Pettus, Powell, Quarles, Rousseau, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Sparkman, Sullivan, Webb, White, Wilson, Young.

H. 748. To incorporate the Southern Steele Company,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 57, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Bain, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, IIowle, Hufham, Johnson, Langley, Lee of Barbonr, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Quarles, Rather, Kousseau, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 640. To authorize W. D. Caddell, to make title deeds to certain lands in Bibb county,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 53, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Ayres, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis ot' Lamar, Finch, Gass, Guthrie, Henry, Hufham, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Long shore, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Northington, Parks, Pet-

tus, Powell, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Screws, Smaw, Sparkman, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, ïucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker:
The senate has originated and passed the fbllowing bills :
s. 362. To incorporate the Mobile Point West India Island and South American Steamship Company;
s. 379. To prevent the spread of the disease commonly known as glanders among horses ;
And has amended as therein shown and as amended has passed the bill:
H. 504. To regulate apportionment of the school fund in this state by the superintendents of education.
W. L. OLAY,
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The senate bills just received, whose titles are set forth in the above and foregoing message, were severally read once and referred to the committees as follows:
s. 362, to corporations;
s. 379, to agriculture.
The house concurred in the senate amendment to
H. 504. To regulate the apportionment of the school fund in this state by the superintendent of education,
Yeas 59, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Baas, Brown, Buck, Burford, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Foster, Gilchrist, Harrell, Henry,Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Pettus, Powell, Ranisay, Scott, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, White, Wilson, Young.
And the house resumed consideration of

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

H. 325. To regulate the trials of misdemeanors in Geneva county,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 54, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Ayres, Barnett, Baas, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Burford, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Gass, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Henry, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Nolen, Parks, Powell, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Screws, Srriith of Dallas, Sparkman, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.
H. 991. To create a separate school districl in the city of Florence, Alabama, to define the boundaries thereof aud provide for the maint.enance of schools therein,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 55, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bishop, Brown, Burlbrd, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Gass, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Howle, Johnson, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Powell, Ramsay, Rather, Scett, Screws, Smaw, Sparkman, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb.
H. 971. Concerning the organization and perpetuity of a voluntary association to be known as the Order of Columbia, a secret society havina a secret ritual, and providiug laws for governing the same,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 59, nays 1.
Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Foster, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Hill, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of

Madison, Nolen, Norfchington, Parks, Quarles, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw. Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

Nays-Mr. Amason of Tallapoosa.

H. 592. To repeal an act entitled an act to prohibit the sale, giving away or otherwise disposing of any spirituous, vinous or malt liquors or intoxicating bitters, beverages or drinks, or fruits preserved in alcoholic liquors, in the county of Montgomery and other places therein named. Approved February 28, 1887, so far as the same applies to the town of Leighton, in Lawrence and Colbert counties, or within four miles thereof,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 58, nays 9.

Yeas—Messrs. Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bishop, Brewer, Brown, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Foster, Gass, Harrell, Kelly, Lane, Langley, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Meador, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Simmons, Smith of Russell, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Whatley, Young.

Nays—Messrs. Guthrie, Johnson, Kemp, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Loveless, Northington, Parks, Tucker of Crenshaw.

s. 261. To amend sections 2 and 7 of an act entitled an act to constitute the city of Montgomery a separate school district,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 56, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Burford, Clanton, Coleman, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Foster, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Howle, Jackson, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Powell, Ramsay, Rousseau, Sayre, Scolt, Screws, Sparkman, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Watters, Whatley, Wilson, Young.

H. 751. To amend section 1 of an act entitled an act for the preservation of game in Limestone, Cullman and Madison counties, approved Febrnary 26, 1887,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 54, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Alexander, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Finch, Gass, Harrell, Hill, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker ot' Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Whatley, Wood, Young.
H. 700. To create and establish a new beat in Lee county, Alabama, to be known and designated as beat No. 14 in said county, having as a precinct or voting place Smith Station.
Mr. Jackson ofiered an amendment which was adopted, and the bill
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 57, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Appleton, Avery, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Clanton, Coleman, Cornelius, Crews, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Foster, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of, Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Ramsay, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend ot' Limestone, ïucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Watters, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.
s. 223. To authorize the Opelika board to order au election in the city of Opelika,
The pending amendment was adopted, and the bill
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 56, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Avery, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Clanton, Coleman. Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Edwards, Finch, Harris, Hill, Howle, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of'Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Madi-

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Yeas—Messrs. Alexander, Amason of Sumter, Amason of

Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Finch, Gass, Harrell, Hill, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker ot' Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Whatley, Wood, Young.

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son, Northington, Parks, Pettns, Powell, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Smaw, Smifh of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Sullivan, Thraaher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Watters, Wood, Young.

H. 821. To authorize the mayor and councilmen of Tuskegee, Alabama, to license and regulate the sale of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, within the corporate limits of said town,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 45, nays 12.

Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Bain, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Burford, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Harrell, Jones, Kelly, Lane, Langley, Long, Longshore, Pettus, Ramsay, Sayre, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Sullivan, Thrasher, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Wilson, Young.

Nays—Messrs. Bass, Crews, Hill, Hufham, Kemp, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Loveless, Northington, Parks, Powell, Rousseau.

Mr. Simmons moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed, and to table that motion, and the latter motion was

Carried.

H. 699. To provide for the election of a county treasurer of Macon county by the qualified voters thereofat the general election for state and county officers in August, 1892,

Was amended, and

Was read al length the third time and passed—yeas 52, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clanton. Coleman, Oornelius, Oox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Gass, Guthrie; Harrell, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Parks, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Simmons, Sparkman, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Webb, Young.

H. 958. To incorporate Eastlake Water and Electric Company, and to cont'er upon said company certain corporate powers,

Was read at length the third time and passed—yeas 58, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Bain, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Foster, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Lewis, Longshore, Meador, Moore of Madison, Parks, Pettus, Powell, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshavv, Tucker of' Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 558. TO confer certain powers, rights and privileges in the State of Alabama upon the Atlanta and Birmingham Railroad Company, a corporation chartered under and by virtue of the laws of the State of'Georgia,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 56, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Armistead, Bain, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Foster, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Hill, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Parks, Powell, Ramsay, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Sparkman, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Young.

H. Ï070. To establish a separate school district in the city of Eufaula, Barbour county, Alabama, and to provide means to support said separate school district,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 56, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Burford, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Gilchrist, Harrell, Hill, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Oonecuh, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Northington, Parks, Pettus, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott,

Simmons, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 973. ïo fix the times and places for holding the courts in the third judicial circuit of' the State of Alabama,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 54, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Araason of Sumter, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Foster, Guthrie, Harris, Hill, Hufham, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of 'Barbour, Lewis, Meador, Moore of Madison, Peacock, Pettus, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Thrasher, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 754. To amend the charter of the Gurley and Paint Rock Valley Railroad Company.
A substitute with the title—
To confirm, ratify and amend the charter of the Gurley and Paint Rock Yalley Railroad Gompany,
Was adopted.
Mr. Moore of Madison offered an amendment,
Pending consideration of which
The hour of' 5:30 p. m. arrived and the house adjourned till tomorrow at 9 a. m.

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FORTY-FOURTH DAY.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
TUESDAY, February 10, 1891.

The house met pursuant to adjourument.
Prayer by Rev. Mr. Cumming of this city.
A quorum was present.
The journal of yesterday was read and approved.

RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Smith ofRussell moved to take from the table the motion to lay on the table the motion to reconsider the voice by which
H. 281. To authorize the mayor and councilmen of Tuskegee, Alabama, to license and regulate the sale of spirituous, vinous aud malt liquors within the corporate limits of said town,
Was passed yesterday.
The motion to lay the motion to reconsider on the table was lost.
The motion to reconsider the vote by which the bill passed was carried, and the bill was put upon its passage,
Was lost.
Yeas 6, nays 58.
Yeas—Messrs. Amason of Sumter, Avery, Judge, Peacock, Tucker of Crenshaw, and Simmons.
Nays—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Ayres, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Buck, Burford, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Gass, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Northington, Parks, Powell, Ramsay, Rousseau, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Kussell, Sparkman, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of' Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Wood, Wilson Young.

RESOLUTIONS

Were offered as follows:
By Mr. Screws—
Resolved, That the senate be requested to return H. 61, and s. 118.
Adopted.
By Mr. Kemp—
Resolved, by the house, the senate concurring :
That a joint committee of three from the senate and three from the honse be appointed, to whom shall be referred the accounts of the employees ofthe two houses for articles furnished during the present session.
Adopted.

And the Speaker appointed as said committee:
Messrs, Kemp, Brewer, and Scott.
SPECIAL ORDERS.

First.

H. 1073. To divide the State of Alabama into nine congressional districts.
The question being on the adoption of the minority report offered by Mr. Amason of Tallapoosa, to elecfc the ninth member of congress from the state at large.
Lost.
Yeas 23, nays 61.
Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Bain, Barnett, Cornelius, Crews, Forman, Hufham, Jackson, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Townsend of Pike, Wade, Wilson.
Nays—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Avery, Ayres, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Henry, Hill, Howle, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Lewis, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison. Northington, Parker, Park, Pettus, Powell, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Webb, Wh&tley, White, Wood, Young.
The bill was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 63, nays 25.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Avery, Ayres, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Hill, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Lewis, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Northington, Parker, Parks, Pettus, Powell, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of

Lauderdale, White, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Young.
Nays—Messrs. Adams, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Cornelius, Crews, Forman, Gordon, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Rousseau, Sayre, Thrasher, Townsend of Pike, Wilson.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker :

The Senate has originated and passed the bills,
s. 432. To regulate the mooring of vessels in, and to prevent unnecessary obstruction to the navigation of Mobile river north of the city of Mobile ;
s. 470. To ratify and amend the charter of the Alabama Trust and Savings Company ;
s. 459. To provide for the collection, arrangement and display of the products of the State of Alabama at the World's Columbian Exposition of l893, and to make an appropriation therefore ;
s. 420. To authorize the mayor and councilmen of Troy to issue bonds otf said city for an amount not exceeding $25,000.00 for the purpose of erecting and improving school and other public buildings ;
s. 418. To authorize the mayor and councilmen of Troy, in Pike county, to erect and maintain or otherwis provide a system of water works for the city of Troy and issue bonds in payment thereof in an amount not exceeding fifty thousand dollars;
And has passed the following house bills :
H. 302. To repeal an act entitled an act to prohibit the sale, giving away or otherwise disposing of spirituous, vinous, or malt liquors or intoxicating bitters at or within certain localities in this state, approved February 28th, 1881, so far as the same relates to the corporate limits of the town of Muscadine in Cleburne county on the Georgia Pacific Railroad;
H. 490. To prohibit the selling, bartering, exchanging or giving away of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, intoxicating bitters or beverages in Mitchell beat number one, Lauderdale county, Alabama;

H. 402. To make repairs on the capitol building, for furniture in the public rooms, and for work on the capitol grounds;
H. 773. To authorize and empower the board of mayor and aldermen of the city of Tuskaloosa to issue bonds of' said city, not to exceed thirty-three thousand dollars, fnr the purpose of taking up and refunding all outstanding bonds of said city, upon which eight per cent per annum is being paid as interest at the present time ;
H. 260. To amend section 2765 of the code of Alabama ;
H. 698. To provide for the election of a board of tour commissioners to be known as the commissioners court of Macon county, at the general election in August, 1892 ;
H. 429. To change the name of Annie Rebecca Hamilton, of Marengo county, to that of Annie Rebecca Watts ;
H. 160. To allow the sheriffs of Franklin and Jackson counties more time to summons jurors ;
H. 706. To locate permanently the seat of justice of the county ot' Morgan;
H. 887. To authorize the construction of tramways, pole-roads, canals and ditches by corporations, associations, partnerships and individuals in Conecuh, Butler, Crenshaw and Covington counties;
H. 323. For the relief of Benjamin B. Ballord, a citizen of Covington county;
And accedes to the request of the house for the return of the bills, senate 118 and H. 61.
W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE

The senate bills just received, the titles of which are set out in the above senate message, were severally read once and referred to appropriate committees, as follows :
s. 432, to revision of laws;
s. 470, 420 and 418, to corporations;
s. 459, to appropriations,

RECONSIDERATION.

By unanimous consent, the house reconsidered the vote by which

s. 118. To dissolve garnishi-nents in cases where the defendants executed bond to plaintiff,
Was passed.
The vote ordering the bill to a third reading was reconsidered.
Mr. Smith of Russell, offered an amendment, which was adopted ;
And the bill was read the third time at length and passed —yeas 57, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Foster, Gass, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Pettus, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sullivan, ïownsend of Limestone, Townsend of' Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

BILLS ON FIRST READING.

By unanimous consent bills were introduced, severally read one time, and referred to appropriate committees, as follows :
By Mr. Bass—
H. 1099. To amend sections 18 and 19 of an act entitled an act to amend an act entitled an act to vacate and amend the charter and dissolve the corporation of' the city of Opelika and to provide for the application of the assets thereof, in discharge of the debts of said corporatioa approved February 19, 1883, and to provide for the compromise of its railroad bonded indebtedness approved February 14,1885;
Corporations.
By Mr. Davis of Lamar—
H. 1100. To amend an act to pay salaries to solicitors instead of the fees which they now receive, and to require said fees to be paid into the state treasury, approved February 28th,1887 ;
Fees and salaries.
By Mr. Amason of Sumter—
H. 1101. To authorize and empower Felix G. McMillan,

as tax collector of Sumter county, Alabama, to collect the taxes remaining uncollected in Sumter county, Alabama, during the term of office of Thomas M. Brunson, as tax collector of Sumter county, Alabama, and pay the same over to said Brunson ;
Ways and means.
By Mr. Meador—
H. 1102. To prescribe the duties of certain officials in taking care of certain property of the state ;
Special committee composed of Messrs. Meador, Kemp and Brewer.
By unanimous consent the various committees reported:

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

On a call of committees the following bills were reported favorably and severally read the second time and placed upon the calendar:
H. 109.3. To require the commissioners court of roads and revenue for the county of Chambers to cause road overseers in said county to have loose stones removed from the roads of said county, so far as the same may be practicable ;
s. 88. To prohibit the selling, giving away or otherwise disposing of' alcoholic liquors within three miles of Hebron Baptist church in Pickens county. (With substitute.)
H. 1005, To authorize the county commissiouers of Jefferson county to purchase claims against the fine and forfeiture fund of said county ;
s. 81. To fix the legal rate of interest in this state ;
s. 352. To amend section 2 ot an act entitled an act to provide for the holding of a term of circuit court of the fifth judicial circuit at Alexander City in the county of Tallapoosa; and to regulate the same, approved February 15th, 1889, so as to increase the jurisdiction thereof;
s. 384. To regulate the drawing of a jury for the July term of the county court of Lawrence county ;
s. 201. To regulate trials by juries in the county courts of Clarke and Tuskaloosa counties, (with amendment);
s. 423. To fix the time of holding the circuit courts in the counties of Randolph and Bibb in the fifth judicial circuit of the State of Alabama;
S. 404. To relieve Mrs. Willie E. Lake, a minor, from the disabilities of non-age ;

s. 117. To establish the city court of Gadsden ;
H. 1090. To amend section 1168 of the code of 1886;
s. 431. To fix the times and places of holding the circuit courts in the various counties composing the ninth judicial circuit of the state of Alabama;
H. 1000. To authorize either judge of the supreme court of Alabama to issue a rule nisi on application for a mandamus, during the recess, or vacation of said court;
H. 591. To amend section 2106 of the code of Alabama;
H. 205. For the proper ventilation of coal mines and collieries in the state of Alabama and provide for a state board of examination of candidates for the office of mine inspector andprescribing the mode of such inspectors appointment, duties and term of office and providing for his compensation and that of examiners, (with substitute);
s. 394. To authorize the county of Clarke to borrow money and issue bonds for the purpose of building a court-house for the use of said county at Grove Hill or other place at which it may be determined to build said court-house;
s. 345. To incorporate the Pan-American Transportation Company and to define its powers ;
H. 1085. To amend an act (o more effectually secure competent and well qualified jurors in the several counties in this state, with the exception that the provisions of this act shall not apply to the counties of Henry, Mobile, Dallas, Talladega, Clay, Marengo, Cherokee, Etowah, St. Clair, Coffee, Dale, Geneva, Marshall and Montgomery, approved February 28th, 1887, so far as the same relates to the county of Lamar;
s. 386. To anymd section two of an act, entitled an act to authorize the corporate aulhorities of the town of Mew Decatur in the county of Morgan to negotiate a loan for the improvement ol' the streets and of the sanitary condition of the said town and to issue bonds for the payment of said loan, approved February, 13, 1889 ;
H. 1036. To provide for the disposition of the cases now in the inferior court of Cullman county ;
H. 1092. To authorize ihe town of Dothan to levy and collect license taxes, upon professions, occupations, vocations and businesses practiced or engaged in within said town ;
s. 367. To regulate the hunting, catching and killing wild hogs in Morgan county, Alabama ;
s. 240. To establish a charter for the town of Gurleys, in Madison county;

s. 219. to amend the charter of the city of Greenville, and the various acts amendatory thereof, (with amendment) ;
s. 347. To incorporate the Sheffield Savings and Trust Company;
s. 170. To establish a new charter for the city of Decatur ;
s. 348. To incorporate the National Banking Investment and Trust Company ;
H. 1061. To ratify and amend the charter of the Alabama Trust and Savings Company ;
H. 1094. To amend section 1120 of the code ;
H. 1049. To amend an act to ainend section three and four of an act to incorporate the town of Eunola in Geneva county, approved February 21, 1887 ;
H. 1015. To incorporate Walnut Grove College at Walnut Grove, Etowah county, Alabama ;
s. 378. To incorporate the Montgomery Loan and Trust Company ;
H. 1066. To iucorporate the Evergreen Industrial Normal School ;
H. 1014. To amend an act entitled an act to authorize the commissioners' court of Henry, Pickens and Dallas counties to establish or abolish districts in which live stock may be prevented from running at large, in so far as the same relates to Dale county, approved December 9, 1886.
H. 1029. To incorporate the Selma Camp Ground Association ot' Bullock county ;
H. 383. To dispose of the fees, commissions and allowances allowed by law to the judge of probate in Fayette county;
H. 906. To amend section 262 so far as the same applies to Chilton county;
H. 384. To change the mode of compensating the judge of probate in Fayette county;
H. 577. To provide for the payment of the salaries of the judges of probate in this state and to provide for the payment of the fees and perquisites of their respective offices, into the county treasury of the respective counties, to be applied to the payment of their respective salaries for such clerical aid or payments for recording in their rcspective offices, which shall be absolutely necessary for the successful management of their respective offices, and to apply the remainder of the fees and perquisites of said offices to the public school fund of the state, or to such other purposes as the

commissioners court or the board of revenue in each county may determine, (with amendment);
H. 576. To pay probate judges inthis state salaries instead of fees and perquisites fcsr their services;
H. 1082. To provide suitable compeneation for the superintendent, of education of the county of Marengo ;
H. 1097. To make the clerk of the circuit court of Fayette county, an ex-officio clerk of the county court;
s. 350. To provide for the adoption of a uniform series of text books for use in public schools of Morgan county, Alabama;
H. 1055. To authorize the governor to cause to be instituted in the name of the state proceedings for the acquirement by condemnation of any lands, right of way or material needed for the use of the penitentiary or the maintenance or operation of the hard labor system of the state ;
s. 265. To amend section 4591 of the code;
s. 218. To provide for the payment of cost on conviction of felony where the defendant is sentenced to imprisonment in the penitentary, approved February 25,1889 ;
s. 289. To designate the officers at the penitentiary walls and to provide for their appointment, removal and compensation;
H. 956. To provide for the change of railway stations and station houses, and for suitable and comfortable passenger train service on the adjudgment of' the railroad commissioners;
On motion—
H. 1020. To establish and provide for the maintenance of a quarantine by improved methods against the introduction of yellow fever and other infectious and contagious diseases in the State of Alabama ;
And
H. 1823. To provide f'or an election to be held in any beat or precinct in Walker county whenever twenty five or more householders and freeholders residing in said beat or precinct shall petition the probate judge of said Walker county per said election, to determine whether it shall be lawful or not. to sell, give away or otherwise dispose of spirituous, vinous, or malt liquors within the beat or precinct wherein said election is held,
Were taken from adverse report and read a second time severally.

By unanimous consent,

SPECIAL ORDERS

Were set as follows :

H. 453. February 13th after reading the journal ;

H. 1094, February 13th

H. 742, February 13th, 11 a. m. ;

H. 1017, February 11th, 11 a. m. ;

H. 576 and H. 577, February 11th, at 10:45 a. m., and to continue till disposed of ;

s. 286, February 11th, 3 p. m. ;

s. 88, February 12th, after journal ;

H. 1020, February 13th, after reading the journal ;

H. 956, after reading journal, February 11th ;

H. 993, February 11th 12:30 ;

H. 922, February 11th, 3:15 p. m.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Mr. Speaker :

The president of the senate having signed the following bills, your signature thereto is requested :

s. 247. To incorporate the Cotton States Telephone and Telegraph Company ;

s. 190. To provide for establishing the state line between the states of Alabama and Georgia in a certain locality therein mentioned, and to make an appropriation to pay expenses of the same ;

s. 140. To provide compensation for the sheriffs and agents of this state for the removal of prisoners from other states, territories, and the District of Columbia ;

s 337. To provide for the election of the superintendent of education of Randolph and Cleburne counties, by the vote of the people of the county as other county officers are, and to provide the length of the term of office of the superintendent of education in said county, to be appointed in October, 1891.

s. 168. To amend section 4648 of the code ;

s. 120. To incorporate the city of Ashville, in St. Clair county, Alabama.

W. L. Clay,

Secretary.

REPORT FROM COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Speaker :

The committee on enrolled bills report the following bills correctly enrolled:
H. 165. For the relief of James P. Steely, Mary Steely, Roland Wood and Elizabeth Russell, John McGuinn and Samuel Summers, of Jackson county ;
H. 324. To incorporate the Fayette Alliance Union, at Fayette, Fayette county, Alabama;
H. 152. To incorporate the Alabama Northern Railway Company, and to further the construction ot tlie same.

C. C. RATHER,
Chairman.

SIGNING OF SENATE AND HOUSE BILLS.

The speaker of the house, in the presence of the house, immediately after their titles had been public read by the clerk, signed the bills, the titles of which are set out in the foregoing report of the chairman of the committee on enrolled bills, and the foregoing senate message.
And the house resumed consideration of

8ECOND SPECIAL ORDER.

H. 648. , To regulate the practice of medicine and surgery in the state of Alabama.
Mr. Foster offered a substitute with the following title,
To make additional provisions to the laws regulating the practice of medicine in this state.
Pending consideration the hour of 1 p. m. arrived, and the house adjourned till 3 p. m. to-day.

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AFTERNOON SESSION.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.
A quorum was present.
The house proceeded to consider

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

H. 754. To confirm, ratify and amend the charter of the Gurleys and Painfc Rock Valley Railroad Company,
Was taken up.
Mr. Clayton moved to indefinitely postpone the further consideration of the bill.
Lost.
Yeas 9, Nays 48.
Yeas—Messrs. Avery, Clayton, Cooper, Davis of Fayette, Lewis, Northington, Scott, Smaw, Sullivan.
Nays—Messrs. Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Burford, Clanton, Cox, Davidson, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Harris, Johnson, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Parks, Powell, Ramsay, Roussean, Sayre. Screws, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, W ade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.
Mr. Moore of Madison offered an amendment, which was lost.
The substitute offered by the committee was adopted, and the bill
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 48, nays 15.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Tallapoosa, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Burford, Clanton, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Formay, Gass, Gilchrist, Harrell, Henry, Hill, Howle, IIufham. Johnson, Langley, Lee of Conecuh, Leslie, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Screws, Simnions, Sparkman, Thrasher, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.
Nays—Messrs. Buck, Clayton, Cooper, Davis of Fayette, Hufham, Kelly, Kemp, Long, Moore of Madison, Northington, Scott, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Thrasher, Tucker of Crenshaw.
H. 810. To amend section two of an act to incorporate the Anniston Loan and Trust Company of Anniston, Alabama, approved February 28th, 1889,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 57, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Avery, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Clanton, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Edwards, Foster, Gass, Guthrie, Hill, Hufham, Johnson, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecub, Leigh, Leslie, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Parks, Peacock, Powell., Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Screws, Simmons, Smith of Dallas, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone,Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 282. To amend section 2858 of the code ;

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 52, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Cooper, Gox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Forman, Foster, Henry, Hill, Hufham, Johnson, Jones, Kelly Kemp, Langley, Leigh, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Northington, Parks, Peacock. Kamsay, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Sullivan, Thrasher, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, Wilson, Young.

H. 293. To change the time of taking up the criminal docket in the circuit court of Marion county,

Was read tlie third time at length and passed—yeas 59, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Brown, Buck, Burford. Olanton, Cooper, Oornelius, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Forman, Foster, Guthrie, Henry, Hill, Hufham, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Leigh, Leslie, Long, Longshore, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Sparkman, Sullivan, Thraslier, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Wliatley, VVhite, Wilson, Young,

H. 762. To amend section 7 of an act entitled an act to regulate the mode of' selecting, drawing and impanneling grand and petit jurors for the county of Mobile, approved February 20, 1883,

Was taken up.

And Mr. Kelly offered a substitute, which was adopted, with the following title :

H. 762. To amend section seven of an act entitled "An act to regulate the mode of selecting, darwing and impaneling grand and petit jurors in the county of Mobile," approved February 20, 1883, and likewise to amend sections two and five of an actentitled"an actto amend sections four, five, thirteen and seventeen of an act entitled an act to regulate the mode of selecting, drawing and impaneling grand and petit jurors for Mobile county, approved February 20, 1883, and to amend as well sections one, two and five of an act approved February 16, 1885, entitled an act to amend sections six, eight, ten, eleven and thirteen of an act entitled an act to regulate the mode of selecting, drawing and impaneling grand and petitjurors for Mobile county, approved February 20, 1883, approved February 24,1887,"

And the bill was read the third time at length and passed —yeas 58, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of' Tallapoosa, Appleton, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Brown, Buck, Burford, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius,Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Foster, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Henry, Howle, Hutham, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Ramsay, Katlier, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Smaw, Smith of' Dallas, Sullivan, ïhrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, White, Wood, Wilson, Yonng.

H. 761. To exempt the secretary of the Chamber of Commerce of the city of'Mobile from jury duty,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 57, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Sumter,Amason ofTallapoosa, Avery, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Brown, Buck, Burford, Cornelius, Oox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Forman, Foster, Gilchrist, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of' Conecuh, Leslie, Lewis, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, ïucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 979. To amend the preamble and section one of an act to prescribe the civil jurisdiction, and regulate the practice in civil cases in the city court of Mobile, approved December 12, 1888,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 57, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Burford, Clayton, Cooper, C'ox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Forman, Foster, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Henry, Hill, Howle, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Ramsay, Rousseau, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsendot' Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, Wilson, Young.

H. 988. To authorize and empower the court of county commissioners of the county of Monroe to levy and collect a tax on all dogs owned or kept in said county,

Was taken up.

Mr. Loveless moved to amend by including the county of Escambia in the provisions of the bill.

Carried.

And the bill was read the third time at length and passed —yeas 54, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Buck, Clanton,Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Forman, Foster, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Conecuh, Leslie, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of' Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 702. To regulate the granting of licenses to sell vinous or spirituous liquors in the county of Marshall, State of Alabama,

Was taken up.

Mr. Bain offered a substitute,

Which was adopted, and the bill

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 58, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster, Cruthrie, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Jones, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leslie, Lewis, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Powell, Quarles, Ramsay, Rousseau, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

REPORT FROM COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Speaker:

The committee on enrolled bills report the following bills correctly enrolled:
H. 260. To amend section 2765 of the Code of Alabama ;
H. 429. To change the name of Annie Rebecca Hamilton, of' Marengo county, to that of Annie Rebecca Watts ;
n. 160. To allow the sheriffs of Franklin and Jackson more time to summons jurors, (amendment pending) ;
H. 323. For the relief of Benjamin B. Ballard, a citizen of Covington county;
H. 698. To provide for the election of a board of four commissioners to be known as the commissioners court of Macon county, at the general election in August, 1892 ;
H. 302. To repeal an act entitled an act to prohibit the sale, giving away, or otherwise disposing of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, or intoxicating bitters, at or within certain localities in this state, approved February 28, 1881, so far as the same relates to the corporate limits of the town of Muscadine, in Cleburne county, on the Georgia Pacific railroad, is concerned;
H. 504. To regulate the apportionment of the school fund of this state by the superintendent of education ;
H. 706. To locate permanently the seat of justice of the county of Morgan;
H. 887. To authorize the construction of tram-ways, pole-roads, canals and ditches by corporations, associations, part-

nerships, and individuals, in Conecuh, Butler, Crenshaw, and Covington counties;
H. 490. To prohibit the selling, bartering, exchanging, or giving away, of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, intoxicating bitters or beverages, in Mitchell beat number one, Lauderdale county, Alabama;
H. 402. To make repairs on the capitol building, for furniture in the public rooms, and for work on the capitol grounds.
C. C. RATHER,
Chairman.

SIGNING OF BILLS.

The speaker of the house, in the presence of the house, immediately after their titles had been publicly read by the clerk, singed the senate bills the titles of which are set out in foregoing report from the committee on enrolled bills.

The Speaker submitted the following letter, which had been received by him :
MERIDIAN, Miss., February 9, 1891.

To Speaker of House of Representatives :
Montgomery Alabama.

SIR—I desire to ask the attention of the people of Alabama, through the medium of its legislature, to a subject which I think will appeal to the patriotism of her people—especially to the older citizens.
It may be known to many of your people that the remains of one of her noted heroes, a name prominent in her early territorial and state history and imperishable in the hearts of the people, not only of Alabama, but of the entire South, are at this time lying in an obscure and neglected grave in this county, unmarked and scarcely noticeable even to the plowman as he annnally drives his mule over what should be a sacred spot. Thus repose the dust of one of the nation's heroes, General Sam Dale.
It is not necessary to say more to bring to the attention of the people of Alabama the memory ofone who was the friend, confidant and supporter of the illustrious Andrew Jackson, and one of a class of patriots, and foremost in that class, whose deeds of heroism brought lustre to the flag of our common country, and whose achievements in the war of

1812 and the later conflicts with the savages opened the way through which the forests, hills and vallies of the fairest portion of the south were brought under civilization and made possible l'or the growth, prosperity and grandeur which have since characterized these states, the garden of the south.

The memory of these heros shonld not be forgotten, and as their worth and merits were valued in those days by their compatriots, so should they be held and kept green in the hearts of the present and coming generations.

In conversation with some old citizens of this county, of whom but few remain who lived about the period of Gen. Dale's death, it was decided to ask the attention of the people of Alabama to this subject, believing that they would manifest a just pride in doing something to the memory of this great man, and that possibly a result might be reached, by which his dust, so long neglected, could be transferred to some suitable ppot, or properly'marked with a monument which would keep fresh in the minds and hearts of the people the fame of one, whom 1 am sure, all Alabamians will be glad to honor.

It is because the greater part of the life of Sam Dale was spent in Alabama, and that it was on her territory that his chief exploits were enacted and his most valuable labors accomplished—in fact his name constituting a part of her history—that we feel that Alabamians, above all others, will feel an especial pride in taking some actiun toward perpetuating his memory.

1 may add that Gen. Dale settled in this (Lauderdale) county soon after its organization and was one of' the first representatives to the state legislature. His name was given to a town, Dalevillo, which was prior to the war the seat of a community noted for its wealth and intelligence. This locality is now marked by old, abandoned fields, and it is in one of these, and amid such surroundings, that the old hero sleeps.

Very respectfully,
J. R. SMITH.

Which, on motion, was referred to the committee on ways and means.

At 5 p. m., the house adjourned till 7:30 p. m. to-day.

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NIGHT SESSION.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.
A quorum was present.
The house resumed consideration of

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

H. 953. For the relief of Gay, Hardie & Oo.,
Was taken up;
And the bill was amended by striking out "$211.47" where it occurs and insert in lieu "$150.00."
The bill was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 48, nays 8.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck; Oooper, Cornfelius, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Edwards, Forman, Gass, Gilchrist, IIarrell, Hill, Howle, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Loveless, Northington, Parks, Powell, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Sparkman, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, White.

Nays—Messrs. Adams, Brewer, Davis of Lamar, Jackson, Townsend of Pike, Whatley, Wilson, Young.

H. 874. To incorporate the Oorning, Land, Industrial and Trust Company,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 56, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Samter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Henry, Hill, IIutham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Long, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Quarles, Kather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Sparkman, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 625. To relieve Thomas W. Oliver, Jr., of Montgomery county, Alabama, of the disabilities of non-age,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 61, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason ofTallapoosa, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davis of Fayette, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Hill, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Sparkman, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 401. To provide for the more efficient working, keeping up, repairing and improving the public roads and bridges, and opening and making new public roads and bridges in the county of Morgan, to locate, construct and build within the limits of the county a system of public roads of a superior grade, to be known and designated as county roads,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 55, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Forman, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Long, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Powell, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Sparkman, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 520. To amend an act entitled an act for the preservation of game animals, birds and fish in Macon county, approved February 11,1889,

Was taken up.

And Mr. Simmons offered a substitute,

Which was adopted, and the bill

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 57, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of

Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Hill, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Leigh, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Powell, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, SimmoAs, Sullivan, ïhrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 526. To declare Wm. H. Betts, Luke Coley, A. D. McNeil, Wm. Lane, Jordan M. Crawford and B. T. Johnson, of the county of'Conecuh, citizens of Monroe connty,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 56, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Jones, Judge, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Long, Loveless, Nolen, Northingion, Parks, Powell, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, ïownsend of Pike, ïucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 886. To constitute a separate school district to be known as the Flint School District, in the county of Morgan and State of Alabama, and for the appointment of a board of trustees therefor, and a levy of special tax,

Was read the third time at length and passed.—yeas 56, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason ofTallapoosa, Appleton, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Ooleman, Cooper, Oornelius, Oox, Davis ot' Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Gass, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Lee oi' Barbour, Leigh, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Quarles, Rather, Scott, Sparkman, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw,Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 552. To provide a new charter for the town of Russellville,

Was taken up.

And, on motion, amended, and

"Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 57, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of' Tallapoosa, Appleton, Barnett, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Judge, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Parker, Parks. Peacock, Powell, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Sparkman, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, ïucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, White, Wilson, Young.

H. 422. To authorize the mayor and councilmen of the town of Avondale to issue bonds of said town for an amount not exceeding fifteen thousand dollars for the purpose of building a school house, paying foating debt of the town, improving the streets, constructing sewers and making other permanent improvements in said town,

Was taken up.

And the pending substitute was adopted, with the following title:

H. 422. To authorize the mayor and councilmen of the town of Avondale to issue bonds of said town for an amount not exceeding fifteen thousand dollarsl for the purpose of building a school house, paying floating debt of the town, improving the streets, constructing sewers, and making other permanent improvements in said town, and in buying a lot and building a school house f'or colored school,

And the bill was read the third time at length and passed —yeas 53, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of' Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Gass, Guthrie, Henry, Hill, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kemp, Langley, Lee of' Barbour, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Rather, Rousseau, Sparkman, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of' Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 739. To provide for the holding of that branch of the circuit court of Henry county now held at Columbia, at Headland or Columbia, as shall be determined by an election

of the qualified voters of said county, and for the holding of such an election,

Was read the third time at length and lost—yeas 7, nays 48.

Yeas—Messrs. Davidson, Jackson, Lee of Barbour, Leslie, Peacock, Sparkman, Wade.

Nays—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason ot' Tallapoosa, Appleton, Bain, Barnett, Brown, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Forman, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Hill, Howle, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Northington, Parks, Rather, Sayre, Scofct, Screws, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 1039. To regulate the bonded indebtedness of Pickens county,

Was taken up.

Mr. Langley moved to amend the bill by including the county of Tallapoosa in its provisions.

Carried.

The bill was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 53, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Amason of Sumer, Appleton, Bain, Barnelt, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Cooper, Cornelius, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Long, Longshore, Nolen. Northington, Parks, Peacock, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Simmons, Sparkman, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 341. To amend an act to establish a charter for the city of Troy, in Pike county,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 53, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Bain, Baas, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Edwards, Forman, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Long, Longshore, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Ramsay,

Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 907. For the relief of C. J. Ross, sheriff of Pike county, for expenses incurred by him in going to Florida and removing one John Blue, a prisoner, from jail in Tallahassee, Florida, to Troy jail in Pike County ; and for expenses in captnring one Johnson Ellis, charged with murder, who was tried and convicted, and is now serving a life sentence in the penitentiary of' this state,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 56, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Gass, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Longshore, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Screws, Sparkman, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 514. To permit the sale of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors at Shelby Springs, a summer resort or watering place in Shelby county, Alabama,

Was taken up.

The pendiug substitute was adopted with the following title :

H. 514. To permit the proprietor of Shelby Springs to sell spirituous, vinous or malt liquors on his premises during the summer, .

The bill was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 37, nays 18.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Amason of Sumter, Bain, Barnett, Bishop, Brown, Buck, Burford, Olayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Gass, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Judge, Langley, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Peacock, Rather, Rousseau. Scott, Screws, ïhrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Webb, Whatley, White.

Nays—Messrs. Adams, Blackwell, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Guthrie, Hufham, Johnson, Kemp, Lee of Barbour, Nolen,

Northington, Parks, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Wood, Wilson, Young.
H. 827. For the relief of R. S. Gray, of Clay county,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 56, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis ot' Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jacksou, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Leigh, Long, Longshore, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Sparkman, ïhrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb. Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.
The hour of 9:30 p. m. arrived and the house adjourned till 9 a. m. to-morrow.

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FORTY-FIFTH DAY.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
WEDNESDAY, February 11, 1891.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.
Prayer by Rev. Dr. Rush of this city.
A quorum was present.
The joumal of yesterday was read and approved.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Was granted to Mr. Crews, indefinitely.

BILLS ON FIRST READING.

Bills were introduced, read one time severally, and refer-red lo appropriate committees, as follows:

By Mr. Henry—
H. 1103. To regulate the practice of undertaking
in the State of Alabama ;
Corporations.
By Mr. Rather—
H. 1104. To incorporate the North Alabama Oil and Gas
Pipe Line Company;
By Mr. Brown, (by request)—
H. 1105. To amend section 1 of' an act entitled an act to
prohibit the sale, giving away, or otherwise disposing of spir-
ituous, vinous or malt liquors, intoxicating bitters or cor-
dials, or fruits preserved in alcoholic liquors, in all places in
Jefferson, Walker, Talladega, Autauga, and Fayette coun-
ties, except in incorporated towns and cities having police
regulatious, approved February l6, 1889 ;
Temperance.
By Mr. Davis of Fayette—
H. 1106. For the relief of Mrs. Mary E. Strickland of
Fayette county;
Judiciary.
By Mr. Leigh, (by request)—
H. 1107. For the relief of Leighton Male and Female
Academy, in Lawrence county, Alabama ;
Local legislation.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

On a call of committees, the following bills were reported
favorably, and were severally read the second time, and
placed on the calendar :
H. 1060. To amend section 3792 of the code;
s. 264. To amend section 4631 of the code;
s. 382. For the relief of persons who have paid for and
taken out a liquor license for the year 1891 improperly ;
H. 1102. To prescribe the duties of certain officials in the
taking care of' certain property of the state;
s. 465. To cede to the United States jurisdiction over the lands of Mount Vernon barracks and Fort Morgan ;
H. 1013. To provide t'or the better support and mainten-
ance of' the public schools of Cullman county, Alabama ;
s. 407. To authorize and empower the board of trustees
of the Evergreen Male and Female Academy, an institution
of learning incorporated by act of the General Assembly of

the State of Alabama, approved February 5th, 1840, to prescribe and adopt the order, mode and branches of study and learning to be pursued in said aeademy, fix the rate of tuition, grant diplomas or other certificates of scholarship, and to do any and all lawf'ul acts necessary, proper and lawful to be done to further the objects of said academy, or which other literary institution of like kind may do ;

H. 397. To incorporate the Colored Normal College of Lamar county;

s. 143. To fix the fees of clerks and sheriffs in detinue cases;

H. 1064. To amend section 4 of an act entitled an act to authorize the commissioners court or court or board of county revenues of the counties ot' Marengo, Snmter, Montgomery, Hale, Dallas, Autauga, Wilcox, Lowndes, Russell, Monroe, Lawrence and Perry, to establish or abolish districts in which stock may be prevented from running at large, approved February 28, 1881 ;

H. 893. To detach the county of Lee from the third judicial circuit of the state of Alabama and add said county to the fifth judicial circuit of the state of Alabama, and to fix its time for holding the courts in said county;

H. 607. To amend section 521 of the code, so far as the same relates to Jefferson county;

H. 1041. To empower the auditor to extend the time for the collection and absolute release from payment of certain taxes charged against Wm. Kollins, tax collector of Franklin county, Alabama ;

H. 750. To amend an act entitled an act to authorize the commissioners court of Franklin and other counties therein named to lay off their respectiue counties into four commissioners districts ;

s. 133. To provide for paying the accounts of sheriffs against the state;

s. 395. To prevent stock from running at large in the several beats or districts in Marengo county and to authorize an election thereon;

s. 369. To require the county treasurer of Winston county to register all claims against the county which have not heretofore been registered as required by law;

H. 980. To divide the county of Randolph into four commissioners districts and to prescribe the term of office of members of said court;

s. 376. To create a lien in favor of the owners or keepers of pastures in Dallas, Tuskaloosa and Lee counties, for the payment of their charges for keeping and pasturing stock ;
S. 323. To extend the police power and jurisdiction of the city of Birmingham over and about the fair grounds in the vicinity of said city, in the couiuy of Jefferson, known as the fair grounds of the Birmingham Fair Association, and to empower the corporate authorities of said city to authorize, regulate and license any business on said fair grounds during the holding of any fair, exposition, or races, that may be authorized, regulated or licensed by said city within the corporate limits thereof ;
s. 448. To create a lien in favor of hotel keepers ;
s. 393. To prevent stock f'rom running at large in beat 5 in Coosa county;
s. 238. To provide for the rearrangement of the commissioners districts in Limestone county ;
s. 438. To amend an act approved February 17, 1885, entitled an act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act to define the corporate limits of the city of Wetumpka, approved February 23, 1883;
H. 1099. To amend sections 18 and 19 of an act entitled "an act to amend an act entitled an act to vacate and annul the charter and dissolve the corporation of' the city of Opelika and to provide for the application of the assets thereof, in discharge of the debts of said corporation, approved February 19, 1883, and to provide for the compromise of its railroad bonded indebtedness, approved February 14, l885;
H. 1095. To amend section eight of an act entitled an act to incorporate the town ot' Auburn, Lee county, Alabama, approved February 23, 1875 ;
s. 447. To incorporate the Louise Short Baptist Widows and Orphans Home;
s. 362. To incorporate the Mobile Point, West India Island and South American Steamship Company;
s. 390. To incorporate the town of Riverside, in St. Clair county;
s. 421. To change the corporate name of the Alabama Loan and Banking Company ;
s. 285. To incorporate the Anniston Banking and Loan Association of Anniston, Alabama ;
H. 1028. To pay for articles purchased for the use of the senate and house of representatives, and for repairing the

senate chamber and the hall of Ihe house of representatives, and for repairing and furnishing the rooms of the engrossing and enrolling clerks of the house of representatives;

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker:

The senate has passed without amendment the bills :
H. 900. To amend section 1586 of the code ;
H. 838. To amend an act to authorize the commissioners court of Galhoun county to levy a tax f'or working public roads of said county, and to let out said roads by contract, approved February 28th, 1889 ;
H. 660. To prohibit the sale, giving away, or otherwise disposing of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors within three miles of' Adoniram church, in beafc 5, Henry county, Alabama;
H. 461. To prohibit the sale, giving away, or otherwise disposing of vinous, spirituous or malt liquors or other intoxicating drinks within three miles of the Methodist church, or school house, at Olney, Pickens county, Alabama ;
H. 609. To amend an act entitled an act "to expedite the trial of capital cases in Jeff'erson county ;”
H. 766. To incorporate the Southern Literary Society ;
H. 519. To incorporate the town ot' Fort Deposit, in the county of Lowndes;
H. 661. To legalize the purchase of a ferry across the Chattahoochee river by the town of Columbia, Henry county, Alabama, and to authorize sa,id town to run or operate the same;
H. 631. To provide ior a charter for the town of Carbon Hill in Walker county, Alabama ;
H. 989. To confirm the incorporation and organization of the Hunter, Benn & Co. Company and to define and declare the powers of said company ;
H. 758. To amend section two of an act entitled an act to create a separate school district in Marion and Lamar counties and to define the boundaries thereof, approved February 27th,1889;
H. 860. For the relief of William B. Morgan and Glenn Scoggins, of Jefferson county ;
H. 279. To create a board of education for the city of Bessemer and to prescribe the powers and duties of the same ;

H. 802. To incorporate the Montgomery Manufacturers Aid and Improvement Company ;
And the senate recedes from its amendments to the bill,
H. 450. To prevent hunting or fishing, entering upon or trespassing on certain lands on the Black Warrior river, in Greene county, in township twenty and twenty-one, and range two and three east, after the owner or person in possession thereof shall have forbidden the same, by notice posted on the land, or by publication in a newspaper published in said county;
And has adopted the house joint resolution requesting the return by the governor of house bill 152;
And has concurred in the house amendment to the bills,
s. 261. To amend sections two and seven of an act entitled an act to constitute the city of Montgomery a separate school district;
S. 118. To dissolve garnishments in cases where the defendant executes bond to plaintiff;
s. 223. To authorize the Opelika police board to order an election in the city of Opelika;
And has amended as therein shown and as amended has passed the bills,
H. 859. ïo provide liens for mechanics and material-men ;
H. 913. ïo regulate the trial of misdemeanors in Shelby and Winston counties;
And has concurred in the report of the conference committee GII the bill,
H. 259. To amend section 141 of the code ;
And has originated and passed the bill
s. 251. To provide for a chaplain for both houses of the general assembly of Alabama;
s. 422. To authorize the election of township superintendents in St. Clair count.y;
s. 455. To create a separate school district in the county of St. Clair, to be called Cook's Springs public school district, and to define the boundaries thereof;
s. 462. For the better protection of the capitol and grounds, and for the preservation of order therein;
And has amended as therein shown and as amended has passed the bill,
H. 644. To incorporate the town of Leighton in the counties of Colbert and Lawrence, Alabama.
W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The house concurred in the senate amendment to the following house bills :

H. 859. To provide liens for mechanics and material men.

Yeas 59, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clanton. Clayton, Coleman, Cornelius, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of' Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Screws, Simmons, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

Also,

H. 913. To regulate the trial of misdemeanors in Shelby and Winston county,

Yeas 61, nays 0.

Nays—Messrs. Spsaker, Adams, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Forman, Foster, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Henry, Hill, Howle, Jackson, Kelly, Kemp, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Quarles Ronsseau, Sayre, Smaw, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

Also,

H. 644. To incorporate the town of Leighton in the counties of Colbert and Lawrence, Alabama.

Yeas 61, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Arnason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Brown, Burford, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Gornelius, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Edwards, Forman, Foster, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Johnson, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore,

Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Powell, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Ronsseau, Sayre, Scott, Simmons, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, Wilson, Young.

The senate bills just received, the titles of which are set out in the foregomg senate message, were severally read one time and referred to appropriate committees, as follows:

s. 351, to revision of laws ;

s. 422, to privileges and elections ;

s. 455, to education ;

s. 462, to public buildings and institutions.

CONFERENCE REPORT.

To the Honorable Senate, and
House of Representatives;

The committee of conference on the disagreement of the two houses upon ihe several amendments of the two houses to the bill

H. B. 259. To amend section 141 of the code,

Have had the same under consideration and respectfully report that they have agreed to recommend the following, to-wit:

The senate recede from its amendment reducing the tag tax on fertilizers from 25 to 15 cents per ton and that the bill be passed as it orignally passed the house.

A. A. WILEY,
J. H. MINGE,
J. H. PARKS,
On part of senate.

R. A. LEE,
W. M. BASS,
W. BREWER,
On part of house.

The above conference report was concurred in.

Yeas 65, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Almon, Amason ot' Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, For-

man, Foster, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harris, Hufham, Jackson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee ot Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Saiaw, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of' Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lau derdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Wilson, Young.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

By Mr. Jackson, private secretary.
CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICE,
MONTGOMERY, Feb.11,1891.

To the General Assernbly:
Uunder existing laws there is no adequate provision for the establishment and maintenance of an effective quarantine by and in this state, against the importation of yellow fever and other infectious diseases, from foreign and domestic ports where such diseases may prevail. That yellow fever, and perhaps cholera, do not originate in the United States, when found therein, but are imported from other countries seems to be no longer a debatable question. That the spread of yellow fever, when imported, may often be prevented by efficient and scientific quarantine is emphasized by the recent history of the city ot' New Orleans and other gulf ports. The death and devastation which has been wrought by the pestilence, and the panic and terror which ifc has created in large sections of the Union in recent years, has attracted the attention of the scientific world to the best methods of preventing the introduction of the disease, and, after its introduction, the best methods of preventing its propagation or spread.
Our sister states of the Gulf, Florida, Louisiana and Texas, as I am informed, have constructed and are now maintaining the most improved quarantine plants at the entrance to their respective harbors; and New Orleans, on the one hand, and Pensacola on the other, as I am informed, are provided with disinfecting machinery, which in the opinion of experts and scientists offers the best known preventive against the introduction of fever through the ports; while at

the same time it furthers and stimulates local commerce by, imposing minimum burdens upon those engaged in commerce.

Alabama is unprotected by such means, and, by reason of such lack of protection, is a standing menace of danger to her own citizens, as well as to her more careful and provident neighbors.

Bills are now pending before your honorable bodies looking to the maintenance of improved and efficient quarantine at the port of Mobile. They provide that a large portion of the expense shall be borne by the county of Mobile. I have been informed by committees that waited on me from the Chamber of Commerce, Commercial Club, Cotton Exchange, municipal and county authorities and health officers, that these bills have been introduced at the earnest request of all classes of' our people in Mobile. The appropriations asked for on the part of the state are proposed to run for a period of four years, and on that account will not be burdensome in any particular year. No matter what the condition of the treasury, expenditure for such a purpose is wise, even if the state had to borrow money in the end to meet it. The sense of security alone which would result from such a quarantine would be worth millions of dollars to the people of Alabama.

1 heartily commend the subject to your earnest consideration, and trust, if the bills are in any way objectionable, they will be perfected and become laws at this session.

Apart from this, there are other considerations which demand the passage of measures of this sort. Practically the the state, as such, has no effective means of exercising quarantine power to prevent the importation of disease from abroad. True, we have a State Board of Health, which is composed of the Medical Association of the State of Alabama. This association meets but once a year. On well known legal principles it cannot delegate its powers to a committee or any other functionary. Its membership is very numerous, and a majority of them mustattennd any meeting to adopt or put in force quarantine regulations. It has no authority over quarantines maintained by cities and towns. By an act approved February 28th, 1889, to amend the quarantine laws of the state, the state health onicer, under the direction of the state board of health, has power if the municipal authorities and county health officer in any

locality consent, to modify the restrictions of quarantines established by county and municipal authorities, either with the view of making them more stringent or moderating their exactions. Under this law, he is powerless to do anything, in either direction, except by the consent of the local authorities. Different local anthorities naturally have different views, and it is not practical under this power to have any uniform or consistent system on the subject. While I would not advocate among slate officers with the power to determine, as against the wishes of the local authorities,what persons who have been exposed to infection should stop in any locality, 1 think it would be the highest wisdom to give some state board elective authority to determine the rules and regulations under which those who have been exposed to infection, might pass through localities maintaining quarantine in order to seek refuge and safety in localities where their presence would not endanger the public health. Isolated quarantines, heretofore maintained by numberless local authorities, some of whom permit persons who have been exposed to danger to pass through their bounds, while others forbade such persons to pass through their limits, and when found in public conveyances ejected them at points, where they were unprotected and without any provision for the care of their health in the event they should be seized with disease, have in times past been a reproach to humanity and civilization. They have been the means of originating and increasing wide spread panic, injuring commerce and trade, and destroying a sense of security in the public mind. Experience has abundantly proved that it is safer, as well as more humane, to watch the fugitive from disease, and pass him through under proper regulations, than to forbid his going through one locality to reach another place of safety—compelling him to resort to subterfuges and increase the risk of' his being stricken with the disease, whithout the knowledge of the authorities in the locality where his presence is prohibited.

With our own and the other gulf ports protected as they are, or will be by improved quarantine methods, there is abundant ground to hope that in the future our people will be spared not only the visitation ot' the pestilence, but the alarm and demoralization which results, under our present system, whenever it obtains a foothold in this or any of our sister states.

The rapid development of our mineral wealth, the constant opening of new mines, and the increasing number of men who work in them, renders it incumbent on the state to make some provision looking to the better protection of the lives and health of the miners. Conditions here do not require the stringent laws existing in some other states, but there is no doubt that some conservative legislation is needed on the subject, and if possible, should be passed at this session.

The passage of the bill for redistricting the state will, in my judgment, rebound to the welfare of Alabama and relieve a situation in one of the districts at least, which has long been made the pretext for fomenting rnuch sectional irritation, and has often been urged as justification for hostile congressional legislation against our people.

THOS. G. JONES,
Governor.

Which was ordered, after being read, to lie on the table.

REPORT FROM COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Speaker :

The committee on enrolled bills report the following bills correctly enrolled :

H. 279. To create a board of education for the city of Bessemer and to prescribe the powers and duties of the same.

H. 461. To prohibit the sale, giving away, or otherwise disposing of vinous, spirituous or malt liquor, or other intoxicating drinks within three miles of the Methodist church, or school house, at Olney, Pickens county, Alabama;

H. 609. To amend an act entitled an act to expedite the trial of capital cases in Jefferson county ;

H. 660. To prohibit the sale, giving away, or otherwise disposing of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors within three miles of Adoniram church, in beat 5, Henry county, Alabama ;

H. 661. To legalize the purchase of a ferry across the Chattahoochee river by the town of Columbia, Henry county, Alabama, and to authorize said town to run or operate the same;

H. 758. To amend section two of an act entitled an act to

create a separate school district in Marion and Lamar counties, and to define the boundaries thereof, approved February 27th, 1889 ;

H. 766. To incorporate the Southern Literary Society ;

H. 773. To authorize and empower the board of mayor and aldermen of the city of Tuskaloosa to issue bonds of said city, not to exceed thirty-three thousand dollars, for the purpose of taking up and refunding all outstanding bonds of said city, npon which eight per cent. per annum is being paid as interest at the present time ;

H. 860. For the relief of William B. Morgan and Glenn Scoggins of Jefferson county ;

H. 900. To amend section 1586 of the code ;

n. 989. To confirm the incorporation and organization of the Hunter, Benn & Co. Company and to define and declare the powers of said company ;

H. 838. To amend an act to authorize the commissioners court of Calhoun county to levy a tax for woring public roads of said county, and to let out said roads by contract, approved February 28th, 1889 ;

C. C. RATHER,
Chairman.

SIGNING OF BILLS.

The speaker of the house, in the presence of the house, immediately after their titles had been publicly read by the clerk, sihged the bills the titles of which are set out in forgoing report of the committee on enrolled bills.

SPECIAL ORDERS

First.

H. 648. To regulate the practice of medicine and surgery in the State of Alabama,

Was taken up.

The question being the adoption of the substitute with the title, "to make additional provisions to the laws regulating the practice of medicine in this state."

Mr. Quarles moved to table the substitute ;

Lost.

Yeas39, nays39.

Yeas—Messr. Speaker, Adams Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Burford, Cornelius, Davis of Fayette, Edwards, Finch, Harris, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Long-Shore, Loveless, Meador, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Quarles, Simmons, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

Nays—Messr. Amason of Sumter, Avery, Brown, Clayton, Cooper, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Hill, Howle Jones, Judge, Kemp, Lane, Lee of Conecuh, Leslie, Long, Northington, Powell, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Wade, Webb.

Amendments were offered to the substitute, and lost.

The question being on the adoption of the substitute.

The substitute was lost.

Yeas 39, nays 48.

Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Sumter, Avery, Brown, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Hill, Howle, Jones, Judge, Kepmp, Lane, Lee of Conecuh, Lewis, Long, Moore of Madison, Northington, Pettus, Powell, Ramsay, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Watters.

Nays—Messrs. Adams, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Buck, Burford, Coleman, Cornelius, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Edwards, Finch, Gordon, Harris, Henry, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Quarles, Simmons, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

The question recurring on the amendments to the original Bill, they were adopted.

Yeas 46, nays 39.

Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Blackwell, Brewer, Buck, Burford, Coleman, Cornelius, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Edwards, Finch, Harris, Jackson, Johnson, Langley, Lee of Barbour,

Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Purifoy, Quarles, Simmons, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.
Nays—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Avery, Brown, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Davis of Lamar, Forman, Foster, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Hill, Howle, Jones, Kemp, Lane, Long, Moore of Madison, Northington, Powell, Ramsay, Rousseau, Sayre, Screws, Smaw, Smilh of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Townsend of Limestone, Webb, Wood, Wilson, Young.
The question recurring on the passage of the bill it
Was read the third time at length and lost—yeas 44, nays 46.
Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Ayres, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Buck, Burford, Coleman. Cornelius, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Edwards, Finch, Harris, Henry, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Langley, Leigh, Leslie, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Quarles, Rather, Simmons, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Whatley, Wood, Wilson.
Nays—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Avery, Bain, Brown, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Forman, Foster, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Hill, Howle, Jones, Judge, Kemp, Lane, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Lewis, Long, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Northington, Pettus, Powell, Ramsay, Rousseau, Scott, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Watters,Webb, White, Young.

Second.

s. 179. To provide for the distribution of money received by the State of Alabama each year in pursuance of the act of congress, approved March 2d, 1887, and known as the Hatch Act, which ia enlitled an act to establish agricultural experiment stalions in connection with the colleges established in the several states under the provisions of an act appoved July 2d, 1862, and ofthe acts supplementary thereto,
Was taken up.

And, pending consideration,
At 1 p. m. the house adjourned till 3 p. m to-day.

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AFTERNOON SESSION.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.
A quorum was present.
The house resumed consideration of

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

s. 286. To incorporate the Jasper Water Works Company,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 56, nays 0.
Yeaa—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa. Appleton, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis ot Lamar, Edwards, Forman, Gass, Guthrie, Henry, Howle, Johnson, Judge, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore ot' Baldwin, Northington, Parker, Parks, Powell, Ramsay, Rousseau, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.
H. 689. To fix the compensation of county commissioners of Calhoun county, Alabama,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 59, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Burford, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Forman, Guthrie, Harrell, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Kelly, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Quarles, Ramsay, Rousseau, Simmons, Smaw, Smith ot' Dallas, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker

of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, Wilson, Young.

H. 831. For the relief of Elisha Manning Yates,

Was read the third time at length and lost—yeas 28, nays 31.

Yeas—Messrs, Speaker, Amason of Tallapoosa, Armistead, Ayres, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Brewer, Brown, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Edwards, Gass, Howle, Lee of Conecuh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Parks, Rather, Townsend of Pike, Wade, Webb, White, Wood.

Nays—Messrs. Adams. Appleton, Blackwell, Burford, Coleman, Davis of Lamar, Guthrie, Jackson, Judge, Kemp, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Meador, Moore of Madison, Northington, Parker, Powell, Rousseau, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Whatley, Young.

s. 267. To authorize the mayor and city council of Jacksonville to issue bonds of' said city for an amount not exceeding firiy thousand dollars, for the purpose of making and improving streets, the public square and grounds about the public spring, and in paying whatever outstanding floating (not bonded) indebtedness said city may have at the passage of this act,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 61, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of ïallapoosa, Ayres, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Gordon, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh. Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Ramsay, Rousseau, Sayre, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Wood, Wilaon, Young.

H. 696. To amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the town of Brewton,in Escambia county, approved February 13, 1885,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 64, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Amason of Sum-

ter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Bain, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster, Grordon, Harris, Howle, Jackson, Kelly, Kemp, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rathe, Rousseau, Scott, Smaw, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Pike, Tucker ofCrenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 1066. To incorporate the Evergreen Industrial Normal School,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 60, nays 1.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Forman, Gass, Gilchrist, Harrell, Henry, Hill, Howle, Jackson, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leslie, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Screws, Simmons, Sparkman. Steele, Sullivan, Tucker of' Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, Young.

Nay—Mr. Adams.

H. 670. To remove the disabilities of non-age of John S. Pollard, a minor,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 61, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Snmter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Bain, Barnett, Bishop, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox. Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Howle, Hufham, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of'Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rousseau, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, ïownsend of Limestone, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

s. 233. To confirm, amend and enlarge the charler of the Birmingham Railway and Electric Company,
The amendments ot' the committee were adopted, and the bill
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 55, nays 6.
Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Glayton, Coleman, Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Finch, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Hufham,Johnson, Jones, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis. Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Screws, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of' Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, White, Wood.
Nays—Mesars. Adarais, Foster, Northington, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Whatley.
s. 103. For the relief of the Columbus Insurance and Banking Company, of the State of Mississippi,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 49, nays 17.
Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Sumter, Ayres, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Coleman, Cooper, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Fosler, Gilchrist, Guthrie, liill, Howle, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis. Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore ot' Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Ramsay, Sayre, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Wilson.
Nays—Messrs. Adams, Barnett, Brewer, Clayton, Cornelius, Harrell, Harris, Jones, Kemp, Lee of Conecuh, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Whatley, White, Young.
H. 997. ïo ratify and confirm the charier and incorporation of the Talladega Gas Light and Water Company and the acts done thereunder,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 59, nays 1.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Almon, Amason of

Sumter, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kemp, Lane, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Parker, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Ramsay, Sayre, Scott, Smith of Dallas, Steele, Sullivan,Thrasher, Townsend of Pike, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Young.

Nay—Mr. Adams.

H. 743. To confirm thae incorporation of the Shakespeare Club, of Birmingham, Alabama, and the chauge of the name of said club to "The Alabama Club," and to enlarge the powers and capacities of said club,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 58, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Adams. Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Ayres, Barnett. Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buok, Burford, Clayton, Coleman, Davis of Fayette, Davis of'Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Hill, Hufham, Johnson, Jones, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Nolen, Nortington, Parker, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Ramsay, Rather, Sayre, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Smilh of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Pike, ïucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 811. To extend the jnrisdiction of the notary public and ex-officio justice of the peace in ward number four of the city of Anniston, so as to cover the corporate limits of the city of Anniston,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 58, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres. Bain, Barnett, Bishop, Brewer, Brown, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Davidson, Davis of' Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Forman, Gilchrist, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Judge, Kemp, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Meador. Moore of Madison, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Kamsay, Eousseau, Scott, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan,

Thrasher, Townsend of Pike, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Young.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

By Mr, Jackson, private Secretary:
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR,
MONTGOMERY, February 11, 1891.

To the General Assembly :
There now in the hands of the treasurer, 1886 Alabama six per cent bonds which have been redeemed, cancelled and recorded, as provided by the act of the general assembly approved February 22d, 1887.
No useful purpose can be subserved by preserving them, and they take up space in the treasurer's safes which might be better utilized for more valuable papers.
1 recommend the adoption of the accompanying joint resolution for the destruction of said bonds and for the making of a proper certificate thereof.
THOS. G. JONES,
Governor.
Which, with accompanying resolution, was referred to committee on ways and means.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker :
The senate has amended as therein shown, and as amended has passed the bill
H. 152. To incorporate the Alabama Northern Railway Company, and to further the construction of the same.
And requests the return to the senate of H. 519.
And has concurred in the house joint resolution raising a joint cominittee to take into consideration the proper method of providing for the payment ot' clerks accounts at this session of the general assembly.
Committee on part of the senate—Messrs. Handley, Inzer, and Bloch.
And has originated and passed the following bills :
s. 460. To berter provide for the protection of the health and the promotion of the well-being of prisoners in jail;

s. 429. To amend an act entitled an act to regulate the Mobile harbor, approved February 28, 1889 ;
s. 482. To confirm the incorporation and organization of the Alabama Banking and Trust Company, and to increase and enlarge the powers of said company ;
s. 464. To incorpora the Alabama City Land and Development Company ;
s. 437. To authorize the county of Elmore and the city of Wetumpka to purchase the toll bridge across the Coosa river at Wetumpka, and to issue bonds for that purpose and to levy and collect taxes for the payment of such bonds ;
s. 442. To amend an act to empower the governor of Alabama to re-convey to the United States a certain tract of land upon conditions described in this act, approved February 28,1889 ;
s. 241. To authorize and empower the mayor and aldermen of the city of Huntsville to improve and repair the sidewalks ofthe city of Huntsville, Alabama, at the cost of parties whose property abuts such sidewalks ;
s. 445. To loan and appropriate the two and three per cent. fund now in the treasury.
And has adopted a joint resolution herewith sent relative to burning of Alabama six per cent. bonds.
W. L. OLAY,
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The house concurrcd in the senate amendment to
H. 152. To incorporate the Alabama Northern Railway Company, and to further the construction of the same.
Yeas 61, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Avery, Ayres, Bain. Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Foster, Gordon, Gnthrie, Harris, Hill, Howle, Johnson, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Long, Longshore, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Quarles, Ramsay, Sayre, Scott, Scott, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Wbatley, White, Wood, Wilson,Young.

The senate bills just received were severally read one time and referred to appropriate committees as follows :
s. 460 to penitentiary and criminal administration ;
S. 429 and 241 to revision of laws ;
s. 482 and 464 to corporations ;
s. 437 to local legislation ;
s. 442 and 445 to judiciary.
On motion—
The senate joint resolution relating to burning of Alabama six per cent. bonds was concurred in.
On motion—
The request of the senate for the return of H. 519 was acceded to.
At 5 p. m. the house adjourned till 7:30 p. m. to-day.

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NIGHT SESSION.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.
A quorum was present.
The house proceeded to consider

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

H. 740. To authorize the town of Columbia in Henry county, Alabama, to assess and collect a license tax from persons, companies or corporations doing business in said town,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 56, nays 4.
Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Appleton, Avery, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Coleman, Cooper, Cox, Davidson, Davis ot' Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Gass, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Moore ot' Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Quarles, Rousseau, SiTOmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Wade, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

Nays—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Sparkman.

s. 305. To incorporate the Pythian Temple Company of Birmingham, Alabama,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 64, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Bain, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Forman, Foster, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northingtou, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Screws, Simmons, Smith of Russell, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 674. To amend section eleven (11) of an act entitled an act to prevent horses, mules, asses, cows, hogs, sheep and goats from running uncontrolled on crops in the county of Montgomery, and to prescribe a rule of damages and rules of practice in the trial of cases uuder this act, approved February 24th, 1887,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 60, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Buck, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, IIenry, Hill, Howle, Jackson, Jones, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacoek, Powell, Quarles, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Webb, White, Wood, Young.

s. 180. To repeal an act to prohibit the sale, giving away or otherwise disposing of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, or intoxicating bitters, at or within certain localities in this state therein designated, to-wit: In Spring Hill, Marengo county, and within six miles thereof, and various other places, approved February 28, 1881, so far as the same ap-

plies to VanDorn, Marengo county, and the territory adjacent thereto for one hundred yards,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 46, nays 19.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Avery, Bain, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Cooper, Cox, Davidson, Davis of' Fayette, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Hill, Howle, Jones, Judge, Langley, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Peacock, Quarles, Ilather, Rousseau, Sayre, Screws, Smaw, Steele, ïhrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Webb, White, Wood, Young.
Nays—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Barnett, Bishop, Coleman, Cornelius, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Harris, Hufham, Johnson, Longshore, Loveless, Northington, Parks, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Wilson.
H. 717. To repeal an act entitled an act to regulate sheriff's and constable's sales in the county of Shelby,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 56, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Bain, Bass, Blackwell, Brown, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gass, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kemp, Langley, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore,Loveless, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Quarles, Rather, Sayre, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Steele, Townsend of Limestone, Wade, Watters, Whatley, Wood, Young.
H. 760. To establish a charter for the town of Albertville in Marshall county, Alabama,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 54, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Burford, Glayton, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Henry, Howle, Jackson, Jones, Kemp, Langley, Leigh, Leslie, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore ot' Madison, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Quarles, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Sparkman, Sullivan, Townsend of Pike, Wade, Watters, Webb, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 1004. To amend sections one and two of an act entitled an act for the preservation of game animals and birds in the counties of Sumter and Chilton, approved February 23, 1887, so far as the same relates to Sumter county.
The amendments offered by the committee were adopted,
And the bill was read the third time at length and passed —yeas 54, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bishop, Brewer, Brown, Burford, Clanton, Cooper, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of' Lamar, Edwards, Forman, Gilchrist, Harrell, Howle, Johnson, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Smith of Dallas, Smith ot' Russell, Sparkman, Sullivan, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Walters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.
n. 684. ïo amend seclion 4887 (4927) (4459) of the code, so far as the same relates to Sumter county,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 56, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Avery, Bain, Bishop, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Coleman, Carnelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayett.e, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Foster, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Jackson, Jones, Kemp, Leigh, Lestie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Quarles, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Sparkman, Steele, Thrasher, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Young.
H. 1072. To amend section two of an act entitled an act to amend the charter of the First Presbyterian church of Talladega, Alabama,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 54, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Ayres, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Burford, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Foster, Guthrie, Henry, Howle, Jackson, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore,

Loveless, Meador, Moore of Madison, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Quarles, Rather, Sayre, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenahaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Webb, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 1036. To provide for the disposition of the cases now in the inferior court of Cullman county,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 55, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Appleton, Avery, Bain, Barnett, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Clanton, Coleman, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Foster, Guthrie, Harris, Hufham, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Steele, Thrasher, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 1068. To regulate the fine and forfeiture fund of Tallapoosa county, Alabama

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 55, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Burford, Clanton, Coleman, Cornelius, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Edwards, Finch, Foster, Gass, Gordon, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hill, Hufham, Johnson, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Pettus, Powell, Quarles, Scott, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Orenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 792. To regulate the trial of misdemeanors in the county of Macon;

The amendment offered by the committee was adopted,

And the bill was read the third time at length and passed —yeas 57, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Ayres, Barnett, Bishop, Brewer, Brown, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Forman, Grilchrist,

Guthrie, Harris, Hill, Hufham, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Madison, Northington, Parks, Pettus, Powell, Quarles, Kather, Sayre, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tncker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Whatley, Wood. Wilson, Young.

H. 772. To confer upon the mayor of the city of Tuskaloosa jurisdiction concurrent with the county court of Tuskaloosa of the offences of vagrancy, violations of Sunday laws, assaults and batteries, and affrays in which no stick or other weapon is used, abusive language, cruelty to animals and public drunkenness, when committed in the corporate limits of the city of Tuskaloosa,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 55, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Ayres, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Burford, Clayton, Cooper, Cox, Davidson, Edwards, Finch, Foster, Gass, Gordon, Harris, Hill, Hufham, Johnson, Jones, Kemp, Langley, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador.Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Peacock, Powell, Quarles, Sayre, Smaw, Sparkman, Steele, Townsend of Limestone, Wade, Watters, Webb, White, Wilson, Young.

H. 632. To amend an act entitled an act for the protection of dogs, approved February 12, 1887,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 51, nays 2.

Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bass, Brown, Burford, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Forman, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Meador, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Smith of Russell, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Pike, Wade, Wood, Wilson, Young.

Nays—Messrs. Watters and White.

s. 123. To divide the county ot' Blount into two circuit court districts, and to provide for the holding of such courts at Oneonta and at the point on the South and North railroad in the county of Blount, at which the commissioners court

of BIount county may locate the courthouse for the western division in said county;
A substitute with the following title:
"To establish an additional circuit court in the county of Blount and to provide a plane for holding the same,"
Was adopted,
And the bill was read the third time at length and passed —yeas 54, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Avery, Bain, Bass, Bisliop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Coleman, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Foster, Gass, Guthrie, Harris, Hill, Howle, Jones, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Loveless, Meador, Moore of' Madison, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Townsend of Pike, Wade, Watters, Webb, White,Wood, Wilson, Young.
s. 249. To provide for an election to settle the question of' a change of the name of the town of Jacksonville from Jacksonville to Tredegar ;
A substitute.with the following title :
To authorize the mayor and city council of the town of Jacksonville to order an election to change the name of the same upon Ihe pelition and vote of the citizens as herein provided,
Was adopted;
And the bill was read the third time at length and passed —yeas 56, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of' Tallapoosa, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Forman, Foster, Guthrie, Harris, Howle, Johnson, Jones, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leslie, Long, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Rather, Screws, Smaw, Sparkman, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.
s. 188. To provide offered election of the county superintendent of education of' Wilcox county,
The amendment offered by the committee was adopted;
The bill was read the third time at length and passed— yeas 54, nays 0,

Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Coleman, Cornelius, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Forman, Gass, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Rather, Sayre, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Watters, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 713. To incorporate the town of Mellville in the county of Winston and State of Alabama,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 56, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton. Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Burford, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Foster, Gilchrist, Guthne, Harris, Henry, Howle, Jackson, Jones, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leslie, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Rousseau, Sayre, Screws, Smaw, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of' Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 763. To amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled an act to preserve order at the Asberry camp ground, in the county of Monroe, and at Spring Hill camp ground, in Butler county, and at Pottersville camp ground and Ramage Springs camp ground, in Pike county, and at Tabernacle and Andrew's Chapel camp grounds, in the county of Pickens,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 56, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Almon. Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Forman, Gass, Guthrie, Harris, Hill, Howle, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leslie, Long, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Purifoy, Kather, Simmons,Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 1069. To authorize the board of mayor and aldermen of the town of Dothan to negotiate a loan for the purpose of improving, grading and draining the streets, avenues and alleys of said town, establishing water works, fire department, electric light plant, and the payment of the towns indebtedness and f'or other various improvements of said town.
The pending amendment was adopted aud the bill
Was read at length the third time and passed—yeas 54, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Bain, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Coleman. Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis ot' Lamar, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Gruthrie, Harrell, Henry, Hill, Howle, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Ramsay, Sayre, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestcne, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.
H. 1092. To authorize the town of Dothan to levy and collect license taxes upon professions, occupations,vocations and businesses practiced or engaged in within said town,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas UO, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bass, Brown, Coleman, Oooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Gass, Gilchrist, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Jackson, Jones, Finch, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Pettus, Ramsay, Rousseau, Scott, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, ïhrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White.
H. 987. To amend section 3878 of the code, so far as the same relates to Cherokee and Etowah counties,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 54, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Bain, Bass, Bishop, Brewer, Brown, Clanton, Coleman, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Da-

vis of Fayette, Edwards, Foster, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Henry, Howle, Jones, Langley, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore ot' Madison, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Puritby, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 1029. To incorporate the Salem Camp Ground Association of Bullock county,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 57, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bayne, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Browu, Buck, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius,Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis, of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Gass, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Hill, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Langley, Lee of Conecuh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless Meador, Moore of Madison, Northington, Parks, Powell, Quarles, Rather, Siminons, Smith of Russell, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

RESOLUTIONS

Were offered as follows:

By Mr. Forman—

Resolved, That, on and after the 12th day of February, 1891, no member of' this house shall be permitted to speak more than three minutes on any question coming before this body without the unanimous consent of all the members present.

By Mr. Clements, Mr. Smith/in the chair—

Joint resolution of the General Assembly of the State of Alabama:

Whereas, The bulletins of the tenth census of the state of Alabama show the following, among other gratifying results, which is herewith presented as a reason justifying this memorial, and to which especial reference is herewith made: First, That, as an iron producing slate, Alabama has advanced from rank of tenth, in 1880, with a total output of 62,336 tons of pig iron, to third place in 1890, with an output of 890,432 tons, an increase of more than 1,328 per cent.,

and producing in the census year one-half of all the pig iron made in the south.

Second, That for the year 1880, the total output of coal for the state was 34,000 tons, while for the census year of 1890 the output for the Warrior Coal Field alone was 2,903,350 tons.

Third, That during the decade just closed, there has been a decrease of the bonded and floating indebtedness of the state, and a decrease of indebtedness by counties of eighteen per cent., paid out of "resources not needed for current expenses."

Fourth, That the increase of acreage under cultivation, population, material proaress and development ot' the state has kept pace with all its other industries, and

Whereas, The ocean going business of Alabama is confined to Mobile, its one port of entry, connected with the lower anchorage grounds of the bay of Mobile by a government channel, about thirty miles in length, barely accessible to vessels drawing 17 feet of water, therefbre unavailable for present commercial demands, as will be shown by reference to the memorial of the Joint River and Harbor Convention, of December,1889,on file with the committee of the H. R., which sets out that twenty-eight per cent. of the cotton crop of the south is tributary to the port of Mobile, of which less than three per cent actually reaches this port; while of' coal, holding the greatest deposit of any of the Southern States, all tributary to the bay of Mobile, and with the great and growing demand, not a cargo is sent out, because it cannot stand the loss and shrinkage by lightering and rehandling.

"The south atlantic and gulf ports occupy a very favorable position towards the new and iniportant commerce which the reciprocity clause of the tariff act, and the postal shipping bill are designed to promote. “The steamship carrying the mails statedly and frequently, and speedy transit is the first condition of trade." These words, which the president of the Uuited States put into his message to congress, December 1st, 1890, and the passage of the act referred to, promote no business of the state, confer no benefits;

and while the bay of Mobile is more centrally situated towards the south Atlantic and gulf ports than any other on the gulf coast, yet no legislation covering ocean going traffic can benefit the state, until the"steamship carrying the mails statedly and frequently" can reach docks affording a quick interchange of traffic, and

Whereas, Bills have repeatedly been introduced in the congress of the United States, asking for appropriations to deepen the channel to the port of Mobile sufficient to meet commercial necessities, and for want of which the business of the state is now suffering great loss, and

Whereas, The legislature of' the state of Alabama did pass an act entitled "an act to incorporate the Gulf and Chicago Railway Coinpany, and to further construction of the same," approved February 27, 1889,which said act embraced among its powers and privileges authority to establish and maintain in connection wilh its line ot railway, the "necessary tramways, tracks, roadbeds, bridges, and trestles from its present terminus at Oedar Point to Dauphin Island," and to "construct, purchase or lease, and own andoperatelinesof steamships, steamboats, or other vessels or water craft within or without this state, or the United States, in connection with their railroads, for the purpose of transporting coal, iron and other products to the markets of the world, and

Whereas, The lower anchorage grounds of the bay of Mobile have a natural depth of water, varying from 23 to 40 feet, and with the improvements contemplated under this act, will afford safe anchorage for all vessels loading, or unloading, at the docks and piers of the railway company, and offer a medium of' quick anchorage of merchandise, and thus able in part to accommodate the traffic ot' the state, which is now compelled to seek other outlets, to the great injury of its commerce, and almost irreparable loss to its business industries.

Therefore, Your memorialists, ever mindful of the requirements of our people, the necessities aud best interest of our State, and desiring continuation of'the prosperity shown by the tenth census, and despairing of obtaining from the general government sufficient appropriations to deepen the channel from the lower anchorage grounds of the bay of Mobile, to the city or port of Mobile, so as to save and preserve to the state the commerce naturally and legitimately belonging to it, be it

Resolved, That for reasons herein but briefly sefc out, the members of the legislature of' the state of Alabama, having before them H. R. bill No. 12877, 2nd session, 5lst congress, entitled a bill "to confirm to the Gulf and Chicago Railway Company certain rights, and so forth," now pending, join in the petition praying the passage of said bill; to the end that

private enterprise may in part be able to furnish such increased facilities as are now demanded, and are an absolute necessity to the commerce of the state.
Resolved, That better terminal facilities are deemed requisite and necessary to the continued prosperity of the state; and as the present government channel is inadequate to meet requirements, the irnprovement of the lower anchorage grounds of the bay of Mobile, has therefore become a commercial necessity, and presents the only means of furnishing uninterrupted navigation and able to meet all requirements of reciprocal interchange with the gulf and South Atlantic ports.
Which was adopted.
At 10 p. m. the House adjourned till 9 a. m. to-morrow.

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FORTY-SIXTH DAY.

HOUSE OF REPRESESTATIVES,

THURSDAY, February l2,1891.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.
Prayer by Rev. Dr. Rush of this city.
A quorum was present.
The journal of' yesterday was read and approved.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Was granted to Mr. Thrasher, indefinitely.

RECONSIDERATION.

Mr. Lee of Conecuh, moved to reconsider the vote by which
H. 648. To regulate the practice of medicine and surgery in the State of Alabama,
Was lost on yesterday.
Mr. Lane moved to lay that motion on the table.
Lost.

Yeas 34, nays 36.
Peas—Messrs. Almon, Brown, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Forman, Gilchrist, Harrell, Henry, Howle Judge, Kemp, Lane, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Meador, Moore of Madison, Northington, Powell, Ramsay, Rather, Sayre, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Townsend of Limestone, Wade, Webb, Young.
Nays—Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Ayres, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Buck, Coleman, Cornelius, Cox, Edwards, Finch, Gass, Harris, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Purifoy, Quarles, Simmons, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Whatley, Wilson.
Mr. Lee's motion to reconsider was lost.
Yeas 34, nays 44.
Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Ayers, Barnett, Bass, Blackwell, Coleman, Cornelius, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Winston. Edwards, Finch, Gass, Harris, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Parker. Parks, Peacock, Quarles, Simmons, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Whatley, Wilson.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Avery, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Forman, Foster, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Jones, Judge, Kemp, Lane, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Moore ot' Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Northington, Pettus, Powell, Ramsay, Rather, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Wade, Webb, White, Young.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

By Mr. Jackson, private secretary.

OPFICE OF THE GOVERNOR,

MONTGOMEBY, February 12th, 1891.

To the House of Representatives :
I deem it my duty to call your attention to the condition of certain legislation, in which the state is vitally interested, and to ask your honorable body to a'ct upon the following

house bills to-day, in order that they may be sent to the senate and become laws. Delay in their passage by the house at this late day in the session will insure their defeat.
H.B. 1055. To authorize the governor to cause to be instituted in the name of Ihe state proceedings for the acquirement by condemnation of any lands, right of way or material needed for the use of the penitentiary or the maintenance or operation of the hard labor system of the slate.
This bill Stands on the calendar wit.h a favorable report. It does not call for any approprialion, but simply authorizes condemnation proceedings in cases where an appropriation has been made by law. Withnut such a law the state would be at the mercy of land owners, and reforms instituted at this session by bills which have passed your honorable body and will undoubtedly pass the senate, will fail.
H. B. 613. To amend section 4591 of the code.
This bill provides in substance for tho safe-keeping of the county convicts in jails or some other place, pending the making of new contracts, in the event that it becomes necessary by reason of abrogation of contract, or other cause, to remove them.
Under the provisions of the present statutes there is danger of their beingsetat liberty if' the contract is abrogated, and this difficulty practically destroys the healthy effect of the power to annul contracts for the causes provided by the existing laws.
THOS. G. JONES,
Governor.

Which on motion was referred to the committee on rules.
The house proceeded to consider

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

H. 1028. To pay for articles furnished for the use of the senate and house of representatives and for repairing and furnishing the rooms ot' the engrossing and enrolling clerks of the house of representatives,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 50, nays 6.
Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Almon, Amnson of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bishop, Brown, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson,

Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Gass, Harrell, Howle, Jackson Johnson, Judge, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Peacock, Powell, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Screws, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Wilson, Young.
Nays—Messrs. Bass, Brewer, Clayton, Lee of Conecuh, Northington and ïucker of Orenshaw.

SPECIAL ORDERS.

First.

s. 179. To provide for the distribution of money received by the State of Alabama each year in pursuance of the act of congress, approved March 2nd, 1887. and known as the Hatch Act, which is entitled an act to establish agricultural experiment stations in connection with the colleges established in the several states under the provisions of an act, approved July 2nd, 1862, and of the acts supplementary thereto.
Mr. Smith of Russell, offered the following amendment:
Amend the bill by adding thereto section 2 in the following words—
Section 2. Be it further enacted, That the board of control of said stations, except the commissioner of agriculture, shall be selected and appointed by the board of trustees of the Agricultural ard Mechanical College, and shall be composed of such farmers, and the director of the experiment station at Auburn, as is required and designated by the acts creating the experiment stations which will become the beneficiaries under this act;
Which, on motion of Mr. Pettus, was laid on the table.
The bill was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 72, nays10.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of' Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Hill, Howle, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis,

Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rousseau, Screws, Smaw, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.
Nays—Messrs. Barnett, Bass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Harris, Jackson, Hufham, Scott, Simmons, Smith of Russell.

Secand.

H. 1055. To authorize the governor to case to be instituted, in the name of the state, proceedings for the aquirement by condemnation of any lands, right-of-way, or material needed for the use of' the penitentiary, or the maintenance or operation of the hard labor system of the state,
Was read tbe third time at length and passed—yeas 60, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bishop, Brown, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Davidson, Edwards, Finch, Gass, Gordon, Guthrie, iïarrell, Harris, Henry, Hill, Jackson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Lane, Langley, Lee ot Barbour, Lee, of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of' Madison, Nolen, Northington. Parks, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Scott, Simmons, Smith of Dallas, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

Third.

s. 131. To amend section 1319 (1544) of the code.
Mr. Tucker ol' Crenshaw, offered an amendment to add the word "Luverne" after the words "the cities of" Montgomery and Selma,"
Which was adopted.
Mr. Pettus offered the following amendment:
Amend caption and body by adding, Provided, the provisions of this act shall not apply to the counties of Dallas, Barbour, Henry, Perry, Russell, Coffee, Lawrence, Limestone, Jackson, Greene, Marion, Covington, Hale, Macon, Elmore, Madison, Lauderdale, Randolph, Cleburne, Etowah,

Marshall, St. Olair, Shelby, Blount, Sumter, nor to the city of Greenville, Butler county, nor to the city of Talladega in Talladega county, nor to the city of Tuskaloosa in Tuskaloosa county, nor to the city of Bessemer in.Jefferson county, Lamar, Dale and Winston counties.

Mr. Pettus moved to lay the bill and amendment on the table;

Carried.

Yeas 43, nays 39.

Yeas—Messrs. Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Brewer, Brown, Burford, Clanton, Olayton, Edwards, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Hill, Jackson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Moore of Madison, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood.

Nays—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Appleton, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Buck, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Longshore, Loveless. Meador,Moore ofBaldwin, Powell, Quarles, Scott, Sparkman, Steele, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Wilson, Young.

Fourth.

H. 613. To amend section 4591 of the code.

Mr. Brown offered an amendment, which was adopted.

The bill was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 67, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Langley, Lewis, Longshore, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, .NoÏen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Ramsay, Rather, Scott, Simmons, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Whatley, Wilson, Young.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker:

The senate has amended as therein shown, and as amended, has passed the bills,
H. 869. For the relief of needy confederate soldiers and sailors, residents of Alabama, who, from wounds or other cause, are now unable to earn a livelihood, and for the widows of such as were killed and died in said war, and have not since remarried ;
H. 519. To incorporate the town of Fort Deposit, in the county of Lowndes;
And has concurred in the house joint resolution authorizing the destruction by burning of the redeemed Alabama six per cent. bonds;
And has originated and passed the following bills :
s.461. To ratify the consolidation of' the Mobile and Mississippi River Railroad Company with the Mississippi River and Mexican Gulf Railroad Coinpany, under the name of the Mobile, Wesson and Mississippi River Railroad;
s. 449. To authorize the mayor and board of aldermen of the town of New Decatur in Morgan county, Alabama, to divide said town of New Decatur into wards ;
s. 371. To allow persons who are uuable to make a livelihood by manual labor, to peddle without a license in the various counties ot' this state;
s. 463. To prohibit justices of the peace and notaries public, With the jurisdiction ot' justices of the peace, f'rom sentencing defendants to hard labor for costs;
And has passed without amendment the bills,
H. 1073. To divide the State of Alabama into nine congressional districts;
H. 917. To establish the district court of Colbert and Lauderdale counties;
And has originated and passed the bill,
s. 358. To empower William C. Ward as administrator of the estate of John B. Boddie, deceased, to sell the property of said estate without order of court and to borrow money by mortgagiug the property of said estate to pay debts;
And has ordered the same sent forthwith to the house without engrossment;

And has adopted a joint resolution herewth sent requesting the return to the senate by the governor of H. 802;
And has originated and passed and ordered forthwith to the house,
s. 473. To further regulate the Alabama State Troops.

W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE

The house concurred in the senate amendment to
H. 519. To incorporate the fcown of Fort Deposit in the county of Lowndes;
Yeas 61, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Forman, Foster, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Judge, Kelly, Lane, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Norlhington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.
The house concurred in the senate amendment to
H. 869. For the relief of needy Confederate soldiers and sailors, residents of Alabama, who, frorn wounds or other cause, are unable to earn a livelihood; andfor the widows of such as were killed or died in said war and have not since re-married,
Yeas 73, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Taïlapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Buck, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cox, Davidson, Davis ot Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Dallas,

Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson,Young.
The senate bills just received, the titles of which are set out in the above senate message, were severally read one time and ret'erred to appropriate committes as follows:
S. 358 to revision of laws;
s. 473 to military;
s. 461 to commerce and common carriers ;
s. 371 to ways and means;
e. 449 to corporations ;
8. 463 to judiciary.
On motion—
The senate joint resolution with reference to the return by the governor of H. 802 was laid on the table.

BILLS ON FIRST READING.

Bills were introduced, severally, read one time and referred to appropriate committees, as follows:
By Mr. Brown—
H. 1108. To amend section 4038 of the code of Alabama;
Special committee consisting of Messrs. Brown, Brewer, and Lee of Conecuh.
Also,
H. 1109. To amend section 4039 of the code;
Special committee consisting of Messrs. Brown, Brewer, and Lee of Conecuh.
Also,
H. 1110. To amend section 4036 of the code ;
Special committee consisting of Messrs. Brown, Brewer, and Lee of Conecuh;
By Mr. Rousseau—
H. 1111. To prohibit the sale or giving away any spirituous or malt liquors within three miles (3) of Hopewell, Mobley Creek, and Conecuh River Baptist churches in Fairfield beat No. 2, in Covington county;
Temperance ;
Also,
H. 1112. To prohibit the selling or giving away any spirituous, malt or intoxicating liquors in Fairfield beat No. 2 and, Cooper’s beat No. 10, in Covington county ;
Temperance.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

On a call of committees, the following bills were reported favorably, and severally read a second time :
n. 994. To provide for the crossing or intersection of lines of railroads, street railroad dummy lines, and electric lines by railroads, street railroads, dummy lines and electric lines, whether owned or operated by corporations or individuals;
s. 420. To authorize the mayor and councilmen of Troy to issue bonds of said city for an amount not exceeding $25,000.00 for the purpose of erecting and improving school and other public buildings ;
s. 418. To authorize the mayor and councilmen of Troy, in Pike county, to erect and maintain, or otherwise provide, a system of waterworks for the city of Troy, and issue bonds in payment thereof in an amount not exceeding fifty thousand dollars;
s. 470. To ratify and amend the charter of the Alabama Trust and Savings Company;
On motion, tbe following bills were taken from adverse report and read the second time :
H. 937. For the relief of the Ladies Memorial Association of Montgomery;
s. 229. ïo punish the intimidation of voters at any election held in this state.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker :

The president ot' the senate having signed the following bills, your signature thereto is requested :
s. 223. To authorize the Opelika police board to order an election in the city of Opelika;
s. 109. To amend section 4533 (5002) of the code ;
s. 118. To dissolve garnishments in cases where the defendant executed bond to the plaintiff;
s. J. R. Joint resolution authorizing Saffold Berney to use certain plates, the property of the state ;
S. 161. To amend sections two and seven of an act entitled "an act to constitute the city of Montgomery a separate school district;"

s. 233. To confirm, amend and enlarge the charter of the Birmingham Railway and Electric Company, and to ratify and confirm the consolidation ot' the Bessemer aud Birmingham Railroad Company with other corporations therein named.
W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

REPORT FROM COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Speaker:

The committee on eurolled bills report the following bills correctly enrolled :
H. 259. To amend section 141 of the code ;
H. 450. To prevent hunting or fishing, entering upon or trespassing upon certain lands on the Black Warrior river in Greene uounty in townships twenty and twenty-one, and ranges two and three, east, after the owner or person in possession thereof shall have forbidden the same by notice posted on the lands or by publication in a newspaper published in said county;
H. 913. To regulate the trial of misdemeanors in Shelby and Winston counties, Alabama;
H. 859. To provide liens for mechanics and material men, and to repeal sections 3018, 3022, 3025, 3026, 3028, 3041 of the code, and 3027 as amended by the acts of 1888-89;
H. 802, To incorporate the Montgomery Manufacturers Aid and Improvement Company.
C. C. RATHER,
Chairman.

SIGNING OF SENATE AND HOU8E BÏLLS.

The speaker of the house in the presence of the house, immediately after their titles had been publicly read by the clerk, signed the bills, the titles of which are set out in the foregoing report of the chairman of the committee on enrolled bills, and theforegoing senate message.
At 1 p. m., the honse adjourned till 3 p. m. to-day.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The house met pursuanfc to adjournment.

A quorum was present.

The house proceeded to the consideration of

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

H. 923. To amend section one of an act approved January 16, 1879, and entitled an act to amend an act entitled an act to amend section twelve of an act to establish a new charter for the town of Union Springs, Alabama, approved February 1st, 1876.

Mr. Powell offered amendment which was adopted, and the bill

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 50, nays 2.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Brown, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Forman, Gass, Harris, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Langley, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Loveless, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rather, Roussoau, Smith of Dallas, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, White, Wilson, Young.

Nays—Messrs. Adams. and Northington.

H. 641. To validate the bonds issued by the corporate authoities of' the city of Anniston bearing date January 1st, 1887,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 52, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason ot'Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Blackwell, Brown, Burford, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Forman, Gass, Guthrie, Henry, Howle, Lane, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Loveless, Meador, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Screws, Simmons, Smith of Dallas, Sparkman, Sullivan, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 309. To fix the compensation of the sheriff of Calhoun county for ex offlcio services,
Was taken up.
The pending substitute was adopted.
Mr. Cooper offered an amendment which was adopted.
The bill was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 56, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Amason of Surnter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Blackwell, Brown, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Gass, Guthrie, Henry, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Sparkman, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Young.
11. 1093. To require the commissioners court of roads and revenues for the county of Chambers to cause road overseers in said county to have loose stones removed from the roads of said county, so far as the same may be practicable,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 55, nays 0
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Bain, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Coleman, Cornelius, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Gass, Harrell, Harris, Howle, Hufham, Jones, Lane, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.
H. 814. To repeail an act entitled an act to amend section 5049 of the code of 1876 so far as the same relates to Clay county,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 55, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Blackwell, Buck, Burford,Coleman, Cooper, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Gass, Guthrie, Harris, Howle, Johnson, Judge, Kelly,

Langley, Lee of Conecuh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Ramsay, Simmous, Smith of Dallas, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 732. To establish separate school district to be known as the Jones' Chapel School District in Cullman county, Alabama, and to provide for the election ot' a board of trustees t'or said school district with certain duties and powers,

Mr. Cornelius offered an amendment which was adopted, with the following title:

H. 732. To esatblish three separate school districts in Cullman couiity to be known as the Jones' Chapel School District, the County Line School District, and the Good Hope School District, in Cullman county, Alabama, and provide for the election ot' a board of' trustees for each of said school districts with certain duties and powers,

The bill was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 56, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker. Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Ayres, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cornelius, Gox, Davidson, Davis of' Fayette, Edwards, Forman, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Howle, Johnson, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parks. Powell, Rarnsay, Rather, Rousseau, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Steele,ïownsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, Wilson, Young.

s. 365. To amend sections three and six and repeal sections four and five of an act entitled an act to regulate the state witness fees in Hale county, Alabama, and to provide for the payment of the same,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 55, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Forman, Foster, Gass, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Long,

Loveless, Nolen. Northington, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Rather, Rousseau, Simmons, Smaw, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 837. To make the fees of bonded constables in the county of Choctaw the same as sheriffs fees when they perform the same or similar service,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 59, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Ayres. Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Coleman, Cooper, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Gass, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis. Longshore. Loveless. Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock. Powell, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rousseau, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 322. To incorporate Gleburne Institute, Edwardsville, Cleburne couuty, Alabama,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 58, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Ayres, Barnett, Bishop, Brown, Buck, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Foster, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Kemp, Langley, Lee ot' Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis. Long, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Sparkman, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, Wilson, Young.

H. 931. To equalize the disbursement of the school fund,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 57, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Coleman, Cooper, Cox, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Forman, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris,

Henry, Hill, Johnson, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Lewis, Long, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Steele, Townsend of' Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Grenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 1054. For the relief of F. M. Harrison, T. D. Hendricks, R. F. Grimes, W. J. Fleming, Wm. King, J. B. Lolly, Sarah Barbaree, Luke Farmer, S. Spurlock, P. G. Simmons and W. J. Carroll, settlers on the public lands of the state in Ooffee couny,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 57, nays 0. /

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bevis, Brown, Buck, Burford, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Edwards, Fineh, Forman, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Hill, Howle, Johnson, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Loveless, Nolen, Parks, Smaw, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend ofLimestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker ol Grenshaw, Wade, Webb.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker :

The senate has concurred in the report of the conference committee on the bill,

H. 141. To increase the jurisdiction of justices of the peace in Tuskaloosa, Blount, Crenshaw, Fayette, Cherokee, Macon, Morgan and Chilton counties.

The senate non-concurs in the house amendments to the bill

s. 354. To better provide for the establishing and workings of the public roads in this state.

And has adopted a joint resolution herewith sent authorizing the use by the treasurer ot' certain fees to provide new blank bonds.

And has concurred in the house joint resolution relative to requesting congress to pass the bill H. R. 12877.

W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE.

On motion, the house insisted on its amendment to
H. 354. To better provide for the establishment and
working of the public roads in this state.
And requested a committee of conference thereon.
Committee on part of the house—
Messrs. Meador, Wood and Northington.
On motion—
The house concurred in the senatejoint resolution authorizing the use by the treasurer of certain fees to provide new blank bonds.

CONFERENCE REPORT.

Mr. Speaker:
The committee of conference on the part of the senate and house to which was referred the disagreement of the two houses on senate amendments to H. 141, beg leave to make the following report:
We recommend that the house concur in all the senate amendments.

J. M. FOSTER,
H. D. CLAYTON,
F. L. PETTUS,
Committee on the part of House.
L. D. GODFBEY,
I. H. PAKKS,
Committee on the part of the Senate.

The above conference report was concurred in.
Yeas 54, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Bain, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harris, Howle, Johnson, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Ramsay, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Sparkman, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Whatley, Young.
On motion—
H. 1091 was recommitted to committee on corporations.
At 5 p. m. the house adjourned till 7:30 p. m. to-day.

NIGHT SESSION.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.
A quorum was present.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker:
The senate has originated and passed the following bills:
s. 405. To amend sections 3, 4, 7, 8, 11, 12 and 13 of an act entitled an act to incorporate the town of Dadeville, in Tallapoosa county, approved January 16, 1879 ;
s. 469. To authorize the governor to cause to be instituted in the name of'the state, proceedings for the acquirement by condemnation of' any lands, right-of way or material needed f'or the use of the penitentiary or the maintenance or operation of the hard labor system of the state ;
s. 443. To provide for the payment of' costs of appeal in certain criininal cases;
s. 477. To amend secfrion 3253 of the code of Alabama ;
s. 304. For the protection of telephone lines and business done over them in this state;
s.457. To amend section 4069 of the code;
And has originated and passed, and ordered forthwith to the house witnout engrossment the bills,
s. 471. To require the money paid by all persons for state and county license in Walker county, to retail liquor in the year 1889, to be refunded to such persons or their legal representative, when the use of' such license was prevented by prohibitory acts of' tlie legislature ;
s. 488. To confirm the incorporation and organization of the Florence Investment Company and to declare and define the powers of said company;
s. 458. To authorize railroad companies, chartered under the laws of the State of Alabama, whose capital stock is owned by a railroad corporation chartered under the laws of another state, to sell to such corporation owning its stock all of its property, road-bed, rights and franchises;
s. 474. To provide for the payment of expenses incurred in the inauguration of the governor of Alabama;
s. 48. To repeal section 3210, and to amend sections 3211, 3212, 3214, 3215, 3216 and 3217 of the code, relating to the condemnation of lands for public uses;

And has passod the bills,
s. 451. To amend an act to amend section 677 of the code of Alabama. approved February 28,1889;
s. 475. To incorporate the Commercial Savings Bank of Birmingham, Alabama;
And has originated and passed the bill,
s. 478. To incorporate the Limestone County Oil and Gas Company.

W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The senate bills just received, whose titles are set forth in the above and foregoing message, were severally read once and referred to the committees as follows :
s. 405, 48, 475 and 478, to corporations;
s. 469 and 443, to penitentiary and criminal administration;
s. 477, 457 and 451, to revision of laws;
s. 304, to commerce and common carriers ;
s. 488 and 458, to judiciary;
s. 474, to appropriations;
s. 471, to ways and means.
The house proceeded to the consideration of

BILLS ON THIRD READING

s. 344. To incorporate the Mobile Transportation Company and to define thc powers of said company,
Was read the t.hird tiine at length and passed—yeas 58, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Bain, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Conenuh, Lewis, Longshore, Meador, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Powell, Purifoy, Rather, Rousseau, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Grenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

s. 421. To change the corporate name of the Alabama Loan and Banking Company, of Florence, Alabama,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 58, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bishop, BIackwell, Brown, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of' Lamar, Edwards, Forman, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, IIowle, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend ofLimestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young,
s. 393. To prevent srock from running at large in beat five in Coosa county,
Was taken up.
Mr. Nolen offered a substitute, with the following title :
s. 393. To prevent stock frorn running at large in beat 5, and in section 31, township 23, range 20, in Coosa county,
Which was adopted.
The bill was read tbe third time at length and passed—yeas 54, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davisof Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Gass, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jones, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Rather, Rousseau, Screws, Simmons, Smith of Russell, Steele, Townsend of Liinestone, Townsend of Pike,Tucker of Lauderdale. Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.
H. 716. To authorize the deeds, contracts, conveyances, or other instruments to be recorded again in Franklin county,
Was read the third time at lenglh and passed—yeas 59, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Burtbrd, Clayton, Cole-

man, Cooper, Cornelius, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harris, Howle, Johnson, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northingfcon, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Puriloy, Quaries, Rather,Rousseau, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of' Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Whatley, White, Wood, Young.

H. 645. To divide township 6 and range 14 in Covington county into two school districts,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 58, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Ayres, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Edwards, Forman, Gass, Gordon, Guthrie, Henry, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Simmons, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Whatley, White, Wood, Young.

H. 483. To repeal an act entitled an act to authorize and require the commissioners court of Crenshaw county, to dispose of moneys arising from fines, forteitures and convict labor, approved February 4th, 1889,

Was read the third time at lerigth and passed,—yeas 58, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Amason ot' Sumter, Appleton, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Burford, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Forman, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Howle, Johnson, Jones, Langley, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rousseau, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Steele, Townsend of' Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson,Young.

H. 557. To repeal an act to amend section 1632 of the code of Alabama, approved February 12th, 1885, so far as the same relates to Dale county,

Was read the third time at length and passed —yeas 58, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of' Tallapoosa, Appleton. Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Burtbrd, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Gilchrist, Gruthrie, Harrell, Harris, Howle, Johnson, Judge, Langley, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Simmons, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.

H. 1064. To amend section 4 of an aot entitled an act to authorize the commissioners court, or court or board of county revenue of the counties of Marengo, Sumter, Montgomery, Hale, Dallas, Autauga, Wilcox, Lowndes, Russell, Monroe, Lawrence and Perry to establish or abolish districts in which stock may be prevented frcm running at large, approved February 28, 1881,

Was taken up.

Mr. Smith of Russell moved to amend the bill by adding the following:

"Provided this act shall apply onlv to the county of Dallas."

Carried.

The bill was read the third time at length aid passed— yeas 53, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Tïallapoosa, Appleton, Ayres, Barnett, Blackwell, Brown, Burford, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cox, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Johnson, Judge, Kelly, Leslie, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Northingcoii, Parks, Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rousseau, Screws, Simmons, Smith of Russell, Sparkrnan, Steele, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

s. 236. To amend an act incorporating the Judson Female Institute, approved February 9th, 1841,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 57, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa,

Appleton, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Brown, C1ayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Gass, Guthrie, Henry, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Screws, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Wood, Wilson, Young.

s. 91. To perpetuate the United States government survey of lands in Dallas county,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 54, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davis of' Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Outhrie, Harris, Henry, Howle, Johnson, Langley, Lee of Barbonr, Leigh, Lewis. Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Madison, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Steele, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

s. 14. To amend and confirm the charter of the Foster Hardware Manufacturing Company, a corporation organized under the general incorporation laws of the state to change the name of said company and to reduce the amount.fif the capital stock,

Was taken up.

Mr. Appleton offered an amendment which was adopted.

The bill was read the third time at length and passed——yeas 58, nays 0.

Yeaa—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa. Appleton, Avery, Binn, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Forman, Guthrie, Henry, Hill, Hufham, Jackson, Jones, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Rather, Rousseau,Simmons, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Stecle, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 656. To prohibit the driving of live animals into, or the placing of live animals in any ditch or canal operated for the purpose of floating logs or timber within the limits of the county of Escambia,
Was taken up.
The pending amendment was adopted.
The bill was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 57, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton,Avery, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, BIackwell, Brewer, Brown, Burford, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Guthrie, Harris, Howle, Johnson, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, MooreofMadison, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Rather, Rousseau, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Sparkman, Steele, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.
s. 388. To establish a charter for Alabama City in Etowah county, Alabama,
The pending amendment was adopted and the bill was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 56, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. AImon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Burford, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Forman, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Jones, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Simmons, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tuckof Crenshaw, ïucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, White, Wood, Wilson Young.
H. 943. To authorize the city of Birmingham and the county of Jefferson to provide an armory for the military companies of said city.
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 55, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of
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Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Langley, Lee ot Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Northington, Parks, Pettus, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Simmons, Smith of Russell. Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 1084. To authorize "the commissioners of the Huntsville State Colored Normal and Industrial School" to sell the real property of the school located on Clinton street in the city of Huntsville, Alabama, and reinvest the proceeds of such sale in real estate in, or near the city of Huntsville, Alabama,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 56, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Meador, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Rather, Rousseau, Steele, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 737. For the relief of E. R. Freeman, clerk of the circuit court of Franklin county,

Was read the third time at, length and passed—yeas 52, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Madison, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Screws, Simmons, Smith of Russell, Steele, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 1041. To empower the auditor to extend tho time for collection and absolute release from payment of certain taxes charged against Wm. Rollins, tax collector of Franklin county, Alabama,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 56, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Burford, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Finch, Forman, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harris,Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Screws, Simmons, Smith of Russell, Steele, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Whatley, Wilson, Young.

H. 1053. To regulate the trial of misdemeanors in St. Clair county,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 57, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Carnelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Guthrie, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powcll, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Siillivan, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Young.

H. 1049. To amend an actto ameud sections 3 aud 4 of an act to incorporate the town of Eunola in Geneva county, approved February 21, 1887,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 57, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, IIowle, Jacksun, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rather, Simmons, Smith of' Russell, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of' Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, White, Wood, Wilson, Youug.

H. 879. To further enlarge the powers, rights, fra.nchises and privileges of the East Birmingham Land and Railroad Company, a corporation having its principal place of business in the cit.v ot Birmingham in this state,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 54, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Ayres, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Forman, Guthrie, Hill, Howle, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Rather, Rousseau, Simmons, Steele, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, White, Wood, Wilson, Youns.
H. 936. To provide for the collection of a license on transient persons doing business as merchants in the county of Greene and defining who are transient merchants within the meaning of this act,
Was taken up.
Mr. Judge offered an amendment, which was adopted.
ïhe biU was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 56, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Burford, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leslie, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Rather, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, White,Wood, Wilson, Young.
H. 1005. To authorize the county commissioners of Jefferson county to purchase daims against the fine and forfeiture fund of paid county,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 54, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Almon, ATOason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Da-

vidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Purifoy, Rather, Rousseau, Simmons, Steele, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, W.ide, Webb, Wood. Wilson, Young.

H. 421. To create a board of education for the town of Avondale, and to prescribe the powers and duties of same,

The pending substitute was adopted.

The bill was read the third time at length and passed— yeas 56, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Howle, Jones Judge, Langley, Lee of Conecuh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Kather, Rousseau, Simmons, Smith of Russell, Steele, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 665. To incorporate the Birmingham Trust and Security Company,

Was taken up.

Mr. Brown moved to amend the bill by changing the name in title and body of bill to Birmingham Investment and Security Company,

Carried.

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 55, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burfbrd, Olayton, Ooleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Gox, Davis of Fayette, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Gass, Guthrie, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Loveless, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Rather, Simmons, Smith of Russell, Steele, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Whatley, White, Wood, Young.

H. 307. To ratify and amend the incorporation of the Birmingham Bar Aasociation of Birmingham, Alabama, and to enlarge the powers thereof,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 55, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis, of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Guthrie,Harris, Henry, Ilowle,Jackson, Johnson,Langley, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Loveless, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Steele, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tuckerof Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker:
The president of the senate havlng signed the following bills your signature thereto is requested :
s. 103. For the relief of the Columbus Insurance Company of the State of Mississippi, Clark and Merrill, agents ;
S. 123. To establish an additional circuit court in the county of Blount ard to provide a place for holding the same.
s. J. R. To authorize the desfcrnction by burning of the redeemed Alabama six per cent bonds and to require a proper certificate of their destruction.

W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SIGNING OF BILLS.

The speaker of the house, in the presence of the house,immediately after their titles had been publicly read by the clerk, signed the bills the titles of which are set out in foregoing senate message.
At 10 p. m. the Huuse adjourned till 9 a. m. to-morrow.

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FORTY-SEVENTH DAY.
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
FRIDAY, February 13, 1891.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.
Prayer by Rev. Dr. Rush of this city.

A quorum was present.
The journal of yesterday was read and approved.
Mr. Lee of Conecuh moved to take from the table
s. 131. To amend section 1319 (1544) of the code.
Carried.
Mr. Lee of Conecuh offered the following amendment:
Amend by adding after the words "village, town or city,"
in the 24th line, the following words.' "of one thousand inhabitants having police regulations and officers to execute said regulations."
Lost.
Yeas 48, nays 48.
Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Ayres, Barnett, Bevis BIackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Coleman, Cornelius, Cox, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Forman, Gass, Guthrie, Harris, Hufham, Johnson, Kemp, Langlsy, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Powell, Puriloy, Sparkman, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Orenshaw, Tucker ot' Lauderdale, Wade, Watters.
Nays—Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Avery, Bain, Brewer, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Foster, Gilchrist, Henry, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Lane, Long, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Peacock, Pettus, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Webb, White, Wood, Young.
Mr. Long moved to indefinitely postpone the further consideration ot the bill and amendments.
Carried.
Yeas 43, nays 41.
Yeas—Messis. Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Avery, Bain, Brewer, Brown, Clanton, Clayton, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Gilchrist, Harrell, Hill, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Lane, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Parker, Peacock, Pettus, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Smaw,Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Young.
Nays—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Appleton, Barnett, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Buck, Burford, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davis of' Lamar, Finch, Forman, Foster, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Hufham, Jackson, Kemp, Lee of

Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Northington, Parks, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Sparkman, Steele, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Wilson.
By unanimous consent
s. 447. To incorporate the Louise Short Baptist Widows and Orphans Home,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 56, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Bain, Barnett, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Johnson, Jones, Kemp, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Quarles, Ramsay, Sayre, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker ot' Lauderdale, Watters, Webb, Wood, Wilson, Young.

SPECIAL ORDERS.

H. 576. Topay probatejudges in this state salaries instead of fees and perquisites for their services ;
Amendments were offered.
On motion of Mr. Sullivan, the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Second.

H. 577. To provide for the payment of the salaries of the judges of probate in this state, and to provide for the payment of the fees and perquisites of their respective offices, into the county treasury of the respective counties, to be applied, to the payment of their respective salaries, for such clerical aid. or payments for recording in their respective offices which shall be absolutely necessary for the successful management oftheir respective offices, and to apply the remainder of the fees and perquisites of said office to the public school fund of the state ;
On motion of Mr. Long, the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Third.

H. 1020. To estabhish and provide for the maintenance of a quarantine by improved methods against the introduction of yellow fever and other infections and contagious diseases in the Sfcate of Alabama;

An amendment was offered and adopted.

The bill was read the third time at length and passed— yeas 57, nays 17.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Bevis, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Edwards, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Lane, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Madison, Northington, Parks, Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White.

Nays—Messrs. Adams, Amason of Tallapoosa, Barnett, Bishop, Cornelius, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Harris, Langley, Longshore, Moore ot' Baldwin, Nolen, Peacock, Rous-seau, Wood, Wilson, Young.

Fourth.

s. 181. To amend section 4078 of the code.

Mr. Webb offered an amendment, whicli was adopted.

Mr. Quarles offered the following amendment:

Amend by adding,

Provided further, that graduates of the Alabama Medical College, upon being recommended by the faculty of said college, shall, upon application to any medical examining board in this state, have a certificate of qualification issued to them without any examination; and, provided further, that the provisions of this act shall nofc apply to eclectic or homoeopathic physicians, or to unprofessional medical services rendered in ones own family, or in cases of emergency ;

Lost.

Mr. Jones offered a substitute, which was adopted.

Mr. Long moved to strike out "flve years" and substitute "ten years" therefor, in the substitute;

Lost.

The bill was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 56, nays 11.

Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Coruelius, Davidson, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Henry, Hill, Howle, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Lane, Langley, Lee of Conecuh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Purifby, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Sayre, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, White, Wood.

Mays—Messrs. Adams, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Coleman, Davis of Lamar, Harris, Hufham, Parks, Wilson, Young.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

On a call of the committees the following bills were reported favorable, and were severally read the second time and placed on the calendar :

s. 416. For the relief of A. M. Powell, sheriff of Elmore county;

H. 1101. To authorize and empower Felix G. McMiller as tax collector of Sumter county, Alabama, to collect the taxes remaining uncollected in Sumter county, Alabama, during the terms of office of Thomas M. Brunson as tax collector of Sumter, county, Alabama, and pay the same pver to said Brunson;

s. 471. To require the money paid by all persons for state and county license in Walker county to retail liquor in the year 1889, to be refunded to such persons or their legal representatives where the nse of such licenses was prevented by prohibitory acts of the legislature;

H. 863. Ïo repeal section 4197 of article 3 of chapter 1 of title 3 of part 5 of the code of Alabama, so far as the same relates to the county of Lee ;

s. 250. To prevent stock from running at large in certain parts of Randolph county ;

s. 460. To better provide for the protection of the health and the promotion of the well being of prisoners in jail;

H. 1088. ïo confer upon the commandant of the corps of Alabama cadets the rank of colonel of infantry ;

H. 267. To enlarge the criminal jurisdiction of justices of the peace in Calhoun county;
H. 1057. To permanently increase the public school fund of this state, and to authorize the levy and collection of a tax of one-fifth of one per cent for that purpose ;
s. 194. For the relief of W. L. Rowe, sheriff of Tallapoosa county;
s. 319. To establish a reformatory for boys under the age of 17 years;
s. 422. To authorize the election of township superintendents in St. Clair county ;
s. 469. To authorize the governor to cause to be instituted in the name of the state, proceedings for the acquirement by condemnation of any lands, rights of-way or material needed for the use of the penitentiary or the maintenance or operation of the hard labor system of the state;
s. 482. To confirm the incorporation and crganization of the Alabama Banking and Trust Company, and to increase and enlarge the powers of said company ;
s. 443. To provide for the payment of the costs of appeal in certain criminal cases;
s. 359. To amend section 521 of the code, so far as the same relates to Jefferson county ;
s. 299. To incorporate the Autauga Volunteer Hook and Ladder Company No. 1 of the town of Prattville ;
s. 475. To incorporate the Commercial Savings Bank of Birmingham, Alabama;
s. 405. 1.0 amend sections 3, 4, 7, 8, 11, 12 and 13 of an act entitled an act to incorporate the town of Dadeville, in Tallapoosa county, approved January 16, 1879;
s. 315. To amend anact entitled an act to amend section 4038 of the code ot' Alabama;
s. 370. To provide for the trial of misdemeanors in Winston county;
s. 230. To amend section 1309 of the code.
S. 312. To amend section 4057 of the code of Alabama;
s. 379. To prevent the spread of the disease commonly known as "glanders" among horses, (with amendments);
S. 449. To authorize the mayor and aldernaen of the town of New Decatur in Morgan county, Alabama, to divide the town of New Decatur into wards ;
s. 48. To repeal section 3210 and to ainend sections 3211, 3212, 3214, 3215, 3216 and 3217 of the code;

s. 399. To regulate and define the fees and compensation of judges of probate iu this state in certain cases and for certain services.
H. 1105. ïo amend section 1 of an act entitled an act to prohibit the sale, giving away or otherwise disposing of spirituous, vinous, or malt liquors or intoxicating bitters or cordials or fruits preserved in alcoholic liquors in all places in Jefferson, Walker, Talladega, Autauga and Fayette counties, except in incorporated towns and cities having police regulations, approved February 16, 1889;
H. 863. To confer on the corporate authorilies of the town of Riverside in St. Clair county, authority to license, regulate or restrain the sale, gift or other disposition of vinous, spirituous or malt liquors within the limits of said town ;
s. 304. For the protection of telephone lines and business done over them in this state;
s. 461. To ratify the consolidation of the Mobile and Mississippi Railroad Company with the Missisippi River and Mexican Gulf Railroad Company under the narne of the Mobile, Wesson and Mississippi River Railroad Company;
H. 682. To allow the sale of spirituous, vinous and malt liquors within the corporate limits of the town of Seddon in St. Clair county, Alabama;
H. 1044. ïo require all sales of cotton to be made at actual net weight;
H. 1042. To authorize railroad companies chartered under the laws of the State of Alabama, whose capital stock is owned by a railroad corporation chartered under the laws of another state, to sell to such corporations owning its stock all of its property, road bed, rights and franchises ;
s. 358. To empower "William'O. Ward as the administrator of the estate of John G. Boddie, deceased, to sell the property of said estate without order ot' court and to borrow money by mortgaging the property of said estate to pay debts;
s. 462. For the better protection of the capitol and grounds and for the preservation of order tlierein ;
s. 488. To coufirm the incorporation and organization of the Florence Investment Company and to declare and define the powers of said company ;
s. 458. To authorize railroad companies chartered under the laws of the State of Alabama, whose capital stock is owned by a railroad corporation chartered under the laws of

another State, toeell to such corporation owning its stock all of its property, road bed, rights and franchises;
H. 872. To amend section 1 of an act approved July 12th, 1879, entitled an act to establish the Warrior Agricultural district to provide Ibr the securing of the same and the management ot' its affairs;
s. 463. To prohibit justices of the peace and notaries public, with the jurisdiction of justices of the peace from sentencing defendants to hard labor for costs
s. 442. To amend an act to empower the governor of Alabama to re-convey to the United States a certain tract of and upon conditions described in this act approved February 28th. 1889;
s. 464. To incorporate the Alabama City Land and development Company;
s. 445. To loan and appropriate the two and three per cent fund now in the Treasury;
s. 284. To prevent the running atlarge of stock in certain portions of' Elmore county, (with amendmeut) ;
s. 478. To incorporate the Limestone County Oil and Gas Company.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

By Mr. Jones, recording secretary.
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR,
MONTGOMERY, February 13th, 1891,

To the General Assembly ;
I have this day approve.d the act "To establish the district court of Colbert and Lauderdale counties."
As the nrd section of this act provides that immediately after its passage and approval, there shall be elected a solicitor of said court by joint ballot of the general assembly, I deem it proper, in this special message, to notify the general assembly of the approval of the act that it may take such steps as it sees proper for the election of' said solicitor.

Thos. G. JONES,
Governor.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker:
The senate accedes to the request of the house for a committee of conference on the bill:

s. 354. The better to provide for the establishing and working the public roads in this state.
Committee on the part of' the senate: Messrs. Stansel, Smith of Autauga and Godfrey ;
And has amended as therein shown and as amended has passed,
H. 531. To ratify and conlirm the organization ol' the Birmingham and Atlantic Railroad Company and to confirm and amend the charter thereof;
And has passed without amendment the bill:
H. 754. To confirm, ratify and amend the charter of the Gurley and Paint Rock Valley Railway Company;
And requests the return to the senate of house bill 631.
W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The house concurred in the senate amendment to
H. 531. To ratit'y and confirm the organizatinn of the Birmingham and Atlantic Railroad Company and to confirm and amend tlie charter thereof.
Yeas 55, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amaaon of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Bain, Bass, Bishop, Brewer, Brown, Burtbrd, Clanton, Claytop, Cooper, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Edwards, Forman, Gass, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Jackson, Johuson, Jones, Lane, Langley, Lee ot Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Quarles, Rather, Sayre, Screws, Smaw, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wcod, Wilson, Young.
On motion the house acceded to the requests of the senate for the return of H. 631.

REPORT FROM COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Speaker :
The committee on enrolled bills report the following bills correctly enrolled :
H. 644. To incorporate the town of Leighton in the counties of Colbert and Lawrence, Alabama;
H. 519. To incorporate the town of Fort Deposit in the county of Lowndes;

H. 917. To establish the district court of Colbert and Lauderdale counties;
H. 141. To increase the jurisdiction ofjustices ot' the peace in Blount, Fayette, Cherokee, Lamar, Franklin, Marion, Morgan and Chilton counties.

C. C. RATHER,
Chairman.

SIGNING OF BILLS.

The Speaker of the House, in the presence of the house, immediately after their titles had been publicly read by the clerk, signed the bills, the titles of which are set out in the foregoing report ot' the committee on enrolled bills.
At 1 p. m. the house adjourned till 3 p. m. to-day.

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AFTERNOON SESSION.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.
A quorum was present.
The house proceeded to consider

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

s. 376. To create a lien in favor of the owners or keepers of pastures in Dallas, Tuskaloosa and Lee counties for the payment of their charges for keeping and pasturing stock,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 52, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Appleton, Ayres, Barnett, Blackwell, Buck, Clayton, Cooper, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Gass, Guthrie, Harris, Howle, Jackson, Kelly, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longsliore, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Ramsay, Scott, Smaw, Smith of' Dallas, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Webb, Whatley, Young.

s. 161. To amend section one of an act to establish a new charter for the town of Evergreen in Conecuh county, approved February 5, 1881,
The pending amendment was adopted, and the billl
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 54, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Buck, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Foster, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hill, Jackson, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Parks, Powell, Rather,Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele,Sullivan, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Webb, Whatley, Wilson, Young.
s. 431. To fix the times and places of holding the circuit courts in the various counties composing the ninth judicial circuit of the State of AIabama,
Was read the third time afc length and passed—yeas 55, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Bain, Barnett, Bevis, Bishop, Brewer, Buck, Clanton, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Foster, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Johnson, Kemp, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Powell, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rather, Simmons, Smaw, Smith ofDallas, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, White, Young.
H. 742. To authorize tbe justices of the supreme court to use a portion of the library fund in the purchase of law books for the office of the attorney general,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 45, nays 10.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Appleton, Bain, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Laniar, Forman, Gass, Gilchrist, Harrell, Hill, Howle, Johnson, Leslie, Lewis, Longshore, Moore of Madison, Northington, Parks, Pettus, Purifoy, Rather, Scott, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Town-

send of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, White, Young.

Nays—Messrs. Adams, Harris, Hufham, Lee of Conecuh, Loveless, Nolen, Peacock, Ramsay, Simmons, and Wilson,

H. 711. To establish the Sylvan Agricultural District, to authorize the erection of an outside fences and to levy taxes to erect said fences, and to defray all the current expenses of said district,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 55, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clayton, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Forman, Foster, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leslie, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Sayre, Smaw, Smith of' Rnssell, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.

s. 219. To amend the charter of Greenville and the various acts amendatory thereof

The amendment was adopted, and the bill

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 53, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Clanton, Olayton, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Forman, Gass, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Northington, Parks, Pettus, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rousseau, Sayre, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Wilson, Young.

s. 406. For the relief of James E. Kennedy, sheriff of Dallas county,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 55, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell,

Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, C'orne-
lius, Cox, Davidson, Davis ot' Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Ed-
wards, Finch, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harris,
Henry, Howle, Johnson, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Lee of Bar-
bour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Longshore, Meador, Moore of
Baldwin, Northington, Parks, Powell, Ramsay, Sayre,
Screws, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Steele, Wade, Watters,
Webb, Whatley, White, Wood,Young.

H. 1013. To provide for the better support and main-
tenance of the public schools of Cullman county, Alabama,

Mr. Loveless offered the following amendment:

Amend by adding "Escambia county" to the body and title of the bill.

Which was adopted.

Other amendments were adopted, and the bill

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 53,
nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Bass,
Bevis, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Cooper, Cornelius,
Davidoon, Edwards, Forman, Foster, Gass, Harris, Henry,
Hill, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Kelly, Lane, Langley, Lee
of Conecuh, Leslie. Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Moore
of Madison, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Purifoy,
Quarles, Ramsay, Sayre, Scott, Smaw, Smith of Dallas,
Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone,
Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauder-
dale, White, Wilson, Young.

H. 741. To authorize the town of Columbia in Henry
county to borrow money and issue bonds for the purpose of
constructing water works and electric lights and to regulate
the price of water and lights with the citizens of the town,
who use the same,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 55,
nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop,
Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Corne-
lius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar,
Finch, Foster, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Hill, Hufham,
Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of
Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshorê, Meador,
Moore of Madigon, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Powell,
Quarles, Rather, Sayre, Smaw, Sparknian, Steele, Sullivan,
Townsend of Limestone, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White,
Young.

H. 1085. To amend an act to tmre effectually secure competent and well qualified jurors in the several counties of this state with the exception that the provisions of this act shall not apply to the counties of Henry, Mobile, Dallas, Talladega, Clay, Marengo, Cherokee, Etowah, St. Clair, Coffee, Dale, Geneva, Marshall and Montgomery, approved February 38, 1887, so far as the same relates to the county of Lamar,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 55, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Ayres, Barnett, Bevis, Blackwell, Brown, Burford, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Jackson, Jones, Ktlly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rather, Sayre, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Young.

s. 470. To ratify and amend the charter of the Alabama Trust and Savings Company,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 55, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Bain, Bass, Bishop, Brewer, Brown, Burford, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Foster, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Henry, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leslie, Long, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Quarles, Rather, Sayre, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smifch of Russell, Sparkman, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.

H. 945. To amend sections 7, 10 and 20 of an act entitled an act to create a new charter for the city of Florence, Alabama, approved February 28, 1889,

The bill was arnended and was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 60, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Appleton, Ayres, Bain. Bass, Bishop, Brewer, Brown, Burford, Clayton, Cor-

nelius, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards. Finch, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Jackson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kernp, Lane, Langiey, Lee of Barbour, Lewis, Loug, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Ramsay, Sayre, Screws, Smaw, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters,Webb. Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

s. 441. To ainend and enlarge the charter of the Florence Loan and Trust Company, incorporated under the general laws of' t.he State of Alabama.

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 55, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bevis, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, C'ornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Foster, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Hill, Jackson, Jones, Judge, Lang-]ey, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh. Leslie, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Quarles, Ramsay, Rousseau, Scott, Simmonp, Smaw, Srnith of Dallas, Sparkman, Sullivan, Wade, Whatley, Wood, Young.

s. 383. To incorporate the town of Moulton, in Lawrence county, Alabama,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 55, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Armon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Bain, Blackwell. Brown, Buck, Clanton, Cooper, Davidson, Davis of' Fayetle, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harris, Hill, Jackson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Pettus, Quarles, Rather, Sayre, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, White, Young.

s. 287. To ratify and confirm the charter of the Lady Ensley Coal, Iron and Railroad Company,

Was read the third time at length and passed:—yeas 56, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Arnason of Sumter, Appleton, Ayres, Barnett, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown,

Burford, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Edwards. Gilchrist, Harris, Henry, Howle, Jackson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of' Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Northington, Parks, Pettus, Powell, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Steele, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 1095. To annul section 8 of an act entitled an act to incorporate the town of Auburn, Lee county, Alabama, approved February 23, 1875,

Was read the third time at length tmd passed—yeas 57, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Bain, Bass, Bevis, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Clanton. Coleman, Cornelius, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Gass, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Jackson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leslie, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Pettus, Powell, Quarles, Rousseau, Scott, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Watters, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker:

The senate lias originated and passed the bill,

s. 484. To prevent combinations or pools of insurance companies or their agents, tending to defeat or lessen competition in the business of insurance in the State of Alabama.

W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The senate bill just received, the title of which is set out in the foregoing senate message, was read one time and referred to the judiciary committee.

RESOLUTIONS

Were offered as follows :

By Mr. Brown—

Resolved by the House, the Senate concurring, That the two houses ot' the general assembly of Alabama, meet in joint convention in the hall of the house of representatives on Monday, the 16th inst., at 12 o'clock m., for the purpose of electing a solicitor for the district court of' Colbert and Lauderdale counties;

Adopted.

By Mr. Blackwell—

Resolved by the House the Senate concurring, That the governor be requested to return to the senate

H. 754. To confirm, ratify and amend the charter of the Gurleys and Paint Rock Vailey Railroad Company ;

Adopted.

By Mr. Scott—

Resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring,

1st. That a committee of three from the house and two from the senate, be appointed to confer and fix the hour of final adjournment ot'the genaral assembly ; and,

2nd. To enquire into and report the advisability of taking a recess of one day or niore to give the clerks time to get up with their work ;

Adopted.

The speaker appointed as the committee under above resolution, Messrs. Scott, Avery and Quarles.

By Mr. Peacock—

Be it resolved, Tliat the speaker of this house entertain no more motions to suspend the rules for the purpose of calling up bills out of their turn, and that the regular order be strictly adhered to ;

Adopted.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker :

The president of the senate having signed the following bills, your signature thereto is requested:

s. 14. To amend and confirm the charter of the Foster

Hardware Manufacturing Company, a corporation organized under the general incorporation laws of the state, to change the name of said company and to reduce the amount of the capital stock;
s. 421. To change the corporate name of the Alabama Loan and Banking Company of Florence, Alabarna ;
S. 286. To incorporate “The Jasper Water Works Company."
W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

REPORT FROM COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Speaker:

The committee on enrolled bills report the following bills correctly enrolled :
H. 869. For the relief of needy confederate soldiers and sailors, residents of Alabama, who from wounds or other cause, are now unable to earn a livelihood, and for the widows of such as were killed or died in said war, and have not since remarried;
H. 1073. To divide the State of Alabama into nine congressional districts;
H. 152. To incorporate the "Alabama Northern Railway Company" and to further the construction of the same ;
H. 754. To confirm, ratify and amend the charter of the Gurley and Paint Rock Valley Railroad Company ;
Also the following joint, resolutions:
To authorize the destruction, by burning, of the redeemed Alabama six per cent. bonds and to require a proper certificate of their destruction ;
Relating to H. R. bill No. 12,877 2nd session 51st Congress, entitled a bill to confirm to the Gulf and Chicago Railway Company certain rights, etc.
C. C. RATHER,
Chairman.

SIGNING OF SENATE AND HOUSE BILLS.

The speaker of the house, in the presence of the house, immediately after their titles had been publicly read by the clerk, signed the bills, the titles of' which are set out in the

foregoing report of the committee on enrolled bills, and the foregoing senate message.

At 5:30 p. m., the house adjourned till 7:30 p. m. to-day.

NIGHT SESSION.

The house met pursuant to adjournnient.
A quorum was present.
The house proceeded to consider

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

H. 672. To incorporate the Alabama Military Institute at Tuskegee, Macon county, Alabama,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 58, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of'Tallapoosa, Appleton, Barnett, Bevis, Bishop, Brewer, Brown, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Kelly, Kemp, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Rousseau, Screws, Simmons, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.
H. 959. To provide for the incorporation of the town of Eastlake in the county of Jefferson, and to define the powers of such corporation,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 55, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bevis, Bishop, Brown, Clanton, Cornelius, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Forman, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Howle, Jackson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Long, Longshore, Meador, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Sparkman, Steele, Sulli-

van, Thrasher, Wacle, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Young.

s. 407. To authorize and empower the board of trustees of the Evergreen Male and Female Academy, an institution of learning incorporated by act of the General Assembly of the State of Alabama, approved February 5, 1840, to prescribe and adopt the order, mode and branches of' stndy and learning to be pursued in said academy, fix the rate of tuition, grant diplomas or other certificates of scholarship, and to do any and all lawful acts necessary, proper and lawful to be done to further the objects of said academy, or which other literary institulions of like kiud may do,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 56, nays 0,

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams. Almon. Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Bain, Bass, Blackwell, Brown, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Gass, Guthrie, Henry, Howle, Johnson, Kelly, Kemp, Leigh, Long, Longshore, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Smaw, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Watters, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

s. 240. To establish a charter for the town of Gurley, in Madison county,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 56, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Bain, Basss, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Coleman, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Gass, Guthrie, Harris, Hill, Jackson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Long, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettns, Powell, Quarles, Rather, Sayre, Screws, Smaw, Steele, Snllivan, Tucker of' Crenshaw, Wade, Webb, White, Woud, Young,

s. 343. To amend section 27 of an act entitled an act to establish a new charter for the city of Huntsville, approved December 12, 1888,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 58, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa,

Appleton. Ayres, Barnett, Bevis, Blackwell, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Edwards, Forman, Gass, Gordon, Harris, Henry, Howle, Jackson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Meador, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Sayre, Smaw, Steele, Sullivan, Wade, Watters, Webb, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 998. To incorporate the State Savings Association and define its powers and authority,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 55, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Avery, Bain, Basp, Bishop, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clayton, Cooper, Cox, Davidson, Edwards, Foster, Gilchrist, Harrell, Hill, Jackson, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Lee of Barbour, Lee of'Conecuh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Parker, Peacock, Pettus, Purifoy, Ramsay, Sayre, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Wade, Webb. Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.

H. 1082. To provide suitable compensation for the superintendent of education of Marengo county,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 53, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Avery, Bain, Bass, Bishop, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Edwards, Forman, Gass, Gordon, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Jackson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Leigh, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Quarles, Rather, Sayre, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Sparkman, Steele, Wade, Watters, Whatley, Wood, Young.

H. 821. To repeal section one of an act entitled an act to prohibit the sale, giving away, or otherwise disposing of vinous, spirituous or malt liquors, intoxicating bilters or cordials, or fruits preserved in alcoholic liquors, within five miles of Village Springs Academy, Blount county, and other places therein named, and known as the omnibus bill,

Was read the third time at length and passed —yeas 38, nays 18.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amasonof Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Avery, Ayres, Bevis, Brown, Buck, Clan-

ton, Clayton, Davidson, Foster, Gilchrist, Hill, Jones, Judge, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Moore of Madison, Peacock, Pettus, Rather, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Smith of Russell, Townsend of Limestone, Whatley, White, Wood, Young.
Nays—Messrs. Adams, Appleton, Blackwell, Cornelius, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Guthrie, Harris, Johnson, Kelly, Kemp, Lee of Conecuh, Loveless, Northington, Powell, Townsend of Pike.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker :

The senate has originated and passed the bills:
s. 215. To aid state and county f'airs ;
s. 490. To establish an industrial school in the State of Alabama for the destitute children, descendants of confederate soldiers and sailors;
s. 206. To regulate the sale of a poison commonly known and called Rough on Rats, or any other known deadly poison;
s. 353. To provide for the hulding of two additional terms of the circuit court for the county of Tuskaloosa ;
s. 486. To restore to the A. & M. College copies of certain acts ot the general assembly which were lost by the burning of the college building;
s. 434. To amend section 2905 of the code;
s. 192. To require persons convicted of drunkenness, or of public drunkenness, to testify in certain cases, and to prescribe punishment on failure or refusal so to do;
8. 440. To refund license money to James E. Ray of Tallapoosa county;
s. 425. To incorporate the town of Vienna in the county of Pickens;
s. 472. To authorize the city of New Decatur to levy and collect license taxes upon professions, occupations, vocations and businesses practiced or engaged in within said city;
s. 454. To authorize the mayor and council of Dadeville to issue bonds of said city for an amount not exceeding five thousand dollars, for the purposes of purchasing a lot in said city and erecting and improving school building thereon;
s. 456. To increase the fees of justices of the peace and notaries public having like powers in the county of Autauga;
s. 320. To provide for service of process upon non-resident defendants at law or in equity;

s. 487. To incorporate the Alabama Iron and Steel Company ;
s. 485. To authorize the probate court to make unknown heirs and devisees parties in certain suits ;
s. 450. To incorporate the Savings Loan and Trust Company of New Decatur, Alabama;
s. 401. For relief of the estate of James Hunter, deceased;
And has concurred in the house joint resolution raising a joint committee on recess and final adjournment.
Committee on part of the senate: Messrs. Compton and Godfrey ;
And has adopted the joint resolution requesting the return from the Governor of H. 754 ;
And non-concurs in the house amendments to the bill
s. 161. To amend section 1 of an act entitled an act to establish a new charter for the town of Evergreen, in Coneecuh county, approved February 5th, 1881;
And concurring in the house amendment to the bill
s. 219. To amend the charter of the city of Greenville and the various acts amendatory thereof;
And has originated and passed and ordered forthwith to the house without engrossment the bills:
s. 452. To amend section 1 of an act entitled an act to prohibit the sale, giving away or otherwise disposing of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, intoxicating bitters or cordials or fruits preserved in alcoholic liquors in all places in Jefferson, Walker, Talladega, Autauga and Fayette counties, except inincorporated towns and cities having police regulation, approved February 15,1889 ;
s. 476. To amend section 3878 (4414) ot'the code of Alabama of 1886, so far as the sarne applies to the county of Cherokee;
s. 151. To amend an act entitled an act to amend sections 762 and 763 ot' the code of' 1885; relating to the summoning of constables by the sheriffs to attend and wait upon the sittings of the circuit court of the state approved February 28,1889;
s. 500. To incorporate the North Alabama Oil and Gas Pipe Line Company;
s. 300. To incorporate the town of River Falls in Covington county, Alabama, and to authorize it to cut a canal and issue bonds for certain purposes;
s. 430. To establish the Mount Pleasant school district in Lamar county;

s. 329. To provide for making unknown heirs, devisees, joint owners or tenants in common, parties to proceedings in the probate or chancery courtfor the division or sale of lands by executors or administrators, or for partition or sale f'or partition of lands arnong joint owners or tenants in common;
s. 499. To authorize the court of county commissioners for Perry county to establish one or more ferries across the Cahaba river in Perry county ;
8. 492. To amend sections 18 and 19 of an act entitled an act to amend an act entiiled an act to vacate and annul the charter and dissolve the corporation of the city of Opelika, and to provide for the application of the assets thereof in the discharge of the debts of said corporation, approved February 19, 1883, and to provide for the compromise of its railroad bonded indebtedness, approved February 14, 1885;
s. 439. To amend section one of an act to eslablish a normal school for the education of' white male and female teachers at Troy in Pike county, Alabama ;
8. 489. To authorize the governor to issue to John B. Manning a new state coupon bond for five hundred dollars in the lieu of class "A" bond, number 7255;
s. 467. To amend au act to amend 677 of' the code of Alabama;
s. 497. To fix the time of hoMing chancery court in the county of Etowah, State of Alabama;
s. 307. To regulate the exemption of property from taxation;
And has amended and passed the bill,
H. 631. To provide for a charter for the town of Carbon Hill in Walker county, Alabama;
And lias concurred in the house joint resolution calling a joint convention of the two houses on Monday next to elect a solicitor for the district court of Colbert and Lauderdale counties.

W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The senate bills just received were severally, read one time and referred to appropriate committees, as follows:
s. 215, 486 to local Legislation ;
s. 490, 430, 439, to education;

s. 206, to public health ;
s. 353, 434, 476, 151, 499, and 492, to revision of laws ;
s. 192, 456, 320, 485, 401, 329, 467 and 497, to judiciary;
s. 440, 472, 489 and 307, to ways and means;
s. 425, 454, 487, 450 and 50U, to corporations;
s. 452, to temperance ;
s.300, was on motion referred to a special committee composed of Messrs. Rousseau, Kemp and Clayton.
On motion the house insisted on its amendment to,
s. 161. To amend section one of an act entitled an act to establish a new charter for the town of Evergreen, in Conecuh county, approved February 5th, 1881,
And requested a conlerence committee.
Committee on the part of the house : Messrs. Lee of Conecuh, Smith of Russell and White.
The house concurred in the senate amendment to .
H. 631. 'l'o provide f'or a charter for the town of Carbon Hill, in Walker county, Alabama,
Yeas 48, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of' Tallapoosa, Appleton, Ayres, Barnett, Bevis, Bishop, Brewer, Brown, Burford, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Edwards, Foster, Guthrie, Harris, Hill, Howle, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Leigh, Long, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Sayre, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.
And the house resumed consideration of

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

s. 415. To authorize Gadsden Lodge No. 236, A. F. and A. M. to issue bonds to build a Masonic Temple in the city of Gadsden, in this state,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 56, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Forman, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kemp, Lane, Lee of Barbour

Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Quarles, Sayre, Screws, Smaw, Sparkman, Steele, Wade, Watters, W'ebb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

s. 345. To incorporate the Pan-American Transportation Company, and to define its powers,

Was read the third time at length and lost—yeas 16, nays 37.

Yeas—Messrs. Avery, Brown, Buck, Cox, Gilchrist, Hill, Jones, Kelly, Lewis, Long, Pettus, Purifoy, Screws, Steele, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale.

Nays—Messrs. Adams, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Avery, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Brewer, Clanton, Olayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Foster, Guthrie, Harris, Johnson, Kemp, Meador, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Peacock, Powell, Rousseau, Simmons, Smith of Russell, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 568. To amend section 7 of an act entitled an act to incorporate Howard College, in Marion, Perry county, approved December 29, 1841,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 54, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa,Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Hufham, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Parker, Parks, Peacork, Pettus, Powell, Scott, Simmons, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 783. TO incorporate the Brotherhood of Dependent Neighbors,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 50, nays 9.

Yeas—Messrs. Almcm, Amason of Tallapoosa, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnelt, Bass, Bevis, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Gooper, Davidson, Davis ot' Lamar, Forman, Gilchrist, Henry, Hill, Howle, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leslie, Long, Loveless,

Parks, Pettus, Ramsay, Rousseau, Scott, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sleele, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb.
Nays—Messrs. Adams, Appleton, Blackwell, Burford, Crews, Hufham, Jackson, Northington, Townsend of Limestone.
s. 309. To authorize and empower the city of' Mobile to create, open and establish streets and highways within its corporate limits,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 53, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Sumter, Avery, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Burford, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Gilchrist, Harrell, Howle, Johnson, Judge, Kemp, Lane, Lee of Barbour, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Northington, Parks, Pettus, Powell, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Screws, Simmons, Sinaw, Sinith ot' Dallas, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.
s. 446. To amend section two of an act entitled an act to amend the charter of the "Stonewall Insurance Company" of Mobile and extend the provisions thereof, approved February 17, 1885,
Was read the third time at length aud passed—yeas 53, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Appleton, Ayres. Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Brewer, Buck, Clanton, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Henry, Howle, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Lane, Lee of Conecuh, Leslie, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Pettus, Powell, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Sayre, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, White, Young.
H. 619. To refund to George G. White and Charlton Alexander $107.55 erroneously paid by them into the state treasury for purchase of' certain lands previously sold by the state,
Was read the third time at length aud passed—yeas 50, nays 3.
Yeas—Messrs.Speaker. Adams, Almon, Avery, Ayers,Bain,

Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Cooper, Cox, Davidson, Davis of' Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Jackson, Jones, Kelly, Lane, Lee of Barbour, Leslie, Lewis, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Northington, Parks, Rousseau, Smith of Russell, Townsend, of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Webb, White, Wood, Young.

Nays—Messrs. Appleton, Clayton, Cornelius.

H. 929. To establish a separate school district in Cherokee county, and to define the boundaries thereof,

Was read the third time at, length and pasaed—yeas 54, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bevis, Blackwell, Brown, Burford, Cooper, Cox, Forman, Foster, Gass, Grilchrist, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Lee of' Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Quarles, Ramsay, Rousseau, Scott, Screws, Smaw, Smith of -Russell, Sparkman, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Whatley, Wood, Young.

s. 390. Tïo incorporate the town of Riverside in St. Clair county,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 61, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. ypeaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Clanton, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Gass, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Jones, Kelly, Lane, Lee of Barbour, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Moore of Madison, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Quarles, Rather, Sayre, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Steele, Snllivan. Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of' Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 765. To declare the Montgomery Shooting Club a social club within tlie meaning of section 4053 of the Code of Alabama,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 53, nays 0.

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Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Hill, IIowle, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Long, Longshore, Moore of Madison, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Smith of Russell, Steele, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenahaw, Watters, Webb, White, Wilson, Young.

H. 715. To authorize the refiling of claims against estates of deceased persons in Franklin county,

Was read the third time at length and. passed—yeas 54, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Moore of Madison, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Smith of Dallas, Sniith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Wade, Webb, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

On motion of Mr. Clayton, the vote by which

s. 345. To incorporate the Pan Amencan Transportation Company and to define its powers,

Was lost, was reconsidered.

The vote ordering the bill to a third reading was reconsidered.

'l'he bill was amended, and

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 47, nays 8.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bishop, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edvvards, Finch, Gilchrist, Henry, Hill, Hufham, Jackson, Jones, Kelly, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Lewis, Longshore, Meador, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Scott, Smith of Dallas, Steele, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White.

.Nays—Messrs. Bass, Blackwell, Guthrie, Harris, Moore of Madison, Smith of Russell, Wilson, Young.

H. 398. To establish a separate school dstrict to be known as the Hartselle school district in Morgan county, Alabama, and for the election of a board of trustees for said school district with certain powers and privileges,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 56, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Avery, Bain, Bevis, Blackwell, Brown, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Hill, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Langley, Leigh, Lewis, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Pnrifoy, Kather, Rousseau, Sayre, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Steele, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.
H. 399. To amend section 9 of an act entitled an act to establish the city court of Decatur, approved February 8, 1889,
Was read the third lime at length and passed—yeas 54, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, AImon, Appleton, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Blackwell, Brown, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Davidson, Davis of Winston, Finch, Foster,Guthrie,Henry, Hill, Howle, Jackson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Lee of Barbour, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Moore of' Madison, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Quarles, Rousseau, Scott, Screws, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of' Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, White, Wilson, Young.
H. 1023. To provide for the holding ol'an election in any beat or precinct of Walker county, to determine whether or not it shall be lawful fco sell, give away, or otherwise dispose of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors in said beat or precinct,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 42, nays 10.
Yeas—Messrs. Appleton, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bevis, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Davis of Lamar, Forman, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Lee of Barbour, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Peacock, Pettus, Purifoy, Kather, Rousseau, Simmons, Smith of Russell, Steele, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Young.

Nays—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Appleton, Cornelius, Johnson, Meador, Northington, Parks, ïucker of Crenshaw, Wilson.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE.

Mr. Speaker :

The joint committee of the senate and house appointed to confer and fix the hour or adjournnment of the present General Assembly of Alabama, and to consider the advisability of taking a recess in the meantime to enable the clerks to get up with their work, as leave to report, as their conclusion: 1st. That this General Assembly do adjourn sine die on Wednesday night the 18th inst., at twelve o'clock; and 2d. That it take a recess for one day—Tuesday the 17th inst.

S. S. SCOTT,
W. W. QUARLES,
A. M. AVERY,
Committee on the part of House.
J. C. COMPTON,
L.D. GODFREY
Committee on the part of Senate.

On motion, the above report was adopted.

At 10 p. m. the House adjourned till to-morrow at 9 a. m.

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FORTY-EIGHTH DAY.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
SATURDAY, February 14, 1891.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Dr. Rush of this city.

A quorum was present.

The journal of yesterday was read and approved.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Was granted to Messrs. Coleman, Wade, and Sparkman for one day.

RESOLUTION.

By Mr. Screws—
Resolved, That as a mark ofrespect to the Ladies Memorial Association of Montgomery, at the hour of 11 : 30 a. m. the house will consider the bill H. 937,
Adopted.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker:

The senate non-concurred in the house amendment to the bill
s. 181. To amend section 4078 of the code.
And has amended as therein shown, and as amended has passed the bills:
H. 481. To provide for the support of the indigent soldiers and sailors of the late Confederate States army and navy who are now bona fide citizens of Greene, Limestone, Elmore, Lee, Franklin, Hale, Wilcox and Barbour counties, Alabama;
H. 538. To appropriate the sum of fifteen thousand dollars to be expended in the maintenance and improvement of the Medical College of Alabama, under the direction of the board of Trustees thereof;
And has passed without amendment the bills :
H. 254. To amend section 4429 of the code of Alabama ;
H. 649. To refund William Mastin of Elmore county, thirty-one 75-100 dollars wrongfully paid by him as taxes to the state;
H. 276. To confirm the charter of the Birmingham Building and Loan Association, to define and declare the powers to provide for the increase of the capital stock and to extend the time within which said association may continue to exist as a corporation ;
H. 559. To ratify and confirm the agreement of consolidation made by and between the Jefferson Iron Company and the Irondale Company of Jefferson county ;

H. 312. To amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the town of Gordon, in Henry county, Alabama, approved February 1st, 1872;
H. 551. To confer additional powers upon the Jasper Land Company to enable it to improve its property;
H. 890. To ratify and confirm the subscription to and organization and incorporation ot' the Gulf Coke and Coal Company, and to enlarge the powers of said company.

W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE.

On motion of Mr. Lewis—
The house non-concurred in the sentate amendment to
H. 538. To appropriate the sum of fifteen thousand dollars to be expended in the maintenance and improvement of the Medical College of' Alabama, under the direction of the board of trustees thereof.
On motion of Mr. Smaw—
The house non-concurred in the senate amendment to
H. 481. To provide for the support of the indigents of sol diers and sailors of the late Confederate States army and navy who are now bona fide citizens of Greene, Limestone, Elmore, Lee, Franklin, Hale, Wilcox and Barbour counties, Alabama,
On motion—
The house insisted on its amendment to
s. 181. To amend section 4078 of the code,
And requested a conference committee.
Committee on part of the house—
Messrs. Foster, Clayton, and Webb.

SPECIAL ORDERS

First.

H. 1110. To amend section 4036 of the code ;
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 59, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Appleton, Ayres, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of

Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Gass, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley , Lee of Barbour, Lee of' Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Orenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Whatley, Young.

Second.

H. 1109. To amend section 4039 of the code;
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 55, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adains, Almon, Appleton, Ayres, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Guthrie. Harrell, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Longshore, Northiiigton, Parks, Peacock, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Srnaw, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone,Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Whatley, Wood, Young.

Third.

H. 1108. To amend section 4038 of the code of'Alabama ;
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 60, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Appleton, Ayres; Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Gass, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jacksou, Jolmson, Kelly, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Moore of' Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacoek, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Ratlier, Rousseau, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker :

The senate accedes to the request of the house for a committee of conference on the bill
s. 181. To amend section 4078 of the code.
Committee on the part of the senate—
Messrs. Davie, Wiley, and Inzer.

W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

The house resumed consideration of

SPECIAL ORDERS.

Fourth.

H. 205. For the proper ventilation and conduct of coal mines and collieries in the State of Alabama, and providing for the creation of a state board of examiners for the examination of candidates for the office of mine inspector, and prescribing the mode of such inspector's appointment, duties add term of office, and providing for his compensation and that of examiners.
A substitute was adopted with the following title :
To create the office of inspector of mines, and prescribe the duties of said office.
Mr. Pettus offered the following amendment:
Provided, That the provisions of this act shall not apply to any mines in which convicts are worked.
Lost.
Mr. Moore of Madison offered the following amendment:
Amend by substituting five thousand dollars for fifteen hundred.
Lost.
Mr. Henry offered an amendment which was adopted.
The bill was read the third time at length nnd passed—yeas 47, nays 36.
Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Ayres, Bain, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Edwards, Finch, Foster, Guthrie, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Kelly, Lane, Leigh, Lewis, Long,

Longshore, Loveless, Northington, Parks, Pettus, Rather, Smaw, Smilh of Dallas, Smith of' Russell, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Webb, Wilson.
Nays—Messrs. Amason of Tallapoosa, Avery, Barnett, Brewer, Brown, Burford, Davis of Lamar, Gilchrist, Harrell, Harris, Johnson, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Conecuh, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Northington, Parker, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rousseau, Scott, Screws, Simmons. Steele, Townsend of Pike, Whatley, White, Wood, Young.

Fifth.

H. 937. For the relief of the Ladies Memorial Association of Montgomery.
The bill was amended and as amended was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 44, nays 37.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Forman, Gilchrist, Henry, Hill, Howle, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Lane, Lewis, Long, Parks, Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Sayre, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sullivan, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters.
Nays—Messrs. Adams, Alexander, Amason of Tallapoosa, Ayres, Baraett, Bishop, Brewer, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Jackson, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Peacock, Ramsay, Scott, Steele, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

CONFERENCE REPORT.

Mr. Speaker:

The committe of' Conference on the part of the senate to whom was referred the matter of disagreement between the two houses on house amendment to
s. 181. To amend section 4078 of the code.

Beg leave to report as follows : We recommend that the house amendment by Mr. Webb be ameuded by inserting the word "now" after the word physician at the end of the 3d line of said amendment, and that the said amendment as thus amended be adopted.

FOSTER,
CLANTON,
WEBB,
Committee on part of house.

JUDSON DAVIE,
A. A. WILEY,
J. W. IKZEK,
Committee on part of senate.

The above conference report was concurred in.
Yeas 59, nays 7.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Hill, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Lane, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Meador, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Pettus, Purifoy, Kamsay, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Webb,Whatley, White.
Nays—Messrs. Adams, Bass, Brewer, Harris, Quarles, Wilson, Young.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

MR. Speaker:
The senate has unanimously reconsidered the votes by which the bill
H. 754. To confirm, ratify and amend the charter of the Gurley and Paint Rock Valley Railway Company,
Was passed and ordered to a third reading and has amended and passed the said bill;
And insists on its amendments to the following bills and requests committees of conference thereon ;
H. 538. To appropriate the sum of fifteen thousand dollars to be expended in the maintenance and improvement of the Medical College of' Alabama under the direction of the board of trustees thereof;

H. 481. For the support of the indigent soldiers and sailors of the late Confederate States army and navy who are now bona fide citizens of Greene, Limestone, Elmore, Lee, Franklin, Hale, Wilcox, and Barbour counties, Alabama.
Committe on part of senate on H. 538, Messrs. Godfrey, Milner and Bloch.
Cominittee on parfc of senate on H. 481, Messrs. Handley, Inzer and Cowan;
And accedes to the request of the house for a committee of conference on the bill,
s. 161. To amend section one of an act entitled an act to establish a new charter for the town of Evergreeu in Conecuh county, approved February 8th, 1881.
Committee on part of the senate : Messrs. Stallworth, Steagall and Hundley.

W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The house concurred in the senate amendment to
754. To confirm, ratify and amend the charter of the Gurley and Paint Rock Yalley Railway Company ;
Yeas 60, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Almon, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Burlord, Clanton, Cooper, Cornelius, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Meador, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Park, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rousseau, Screws, Smaw, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Whatley, White, Young.
The house acceded to the request of the senate for conference committees on the bills,
H. 538. To appropriate the sum of $15,000.00 to be expended in the maintenance and improvement of the Medical College of Alabama under the direction of the board of trustees thereof;
Committee on part of the house—Messrs. Lewis, Adams and Amason of Surater.
Also,
H. 481. For the support of the indigent soldiers and

sailors of the late confederate states army and navy who are now bona fide citizens of Greene, Limestone, Elmore, Lee, Franklin, Hale, Wilcox and Barbour counties, Alabama; Committee on part of the house—Messrs. Smaw, Brewer and Blackwell.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

On a call of the committees the following bills were reported lavorable and severally read the second time and placed on the calendar:

s. 300. To incorporate the town of River Falls in Covington county, Alabama. and to authorize it to cut a canal and issue bonds ror certain purposes ;

s. 235. To aid state and county agricultural fairs;

s. 473. To authorize the city of New Decatur to levy and collect license taxes upon professions, occupations, vocations and businesses practiced or engaged in within said city;

s. 486. To restore to the A. and M. College copies of certain acts of the general assembly which were lost by the burning of the college buildins;

s. 489. To authorize the governor to issue to John P. Manning a new stale coupon bond for five hundred dollars in the lieu and stead of class "A" bond number 7255.

s. 320. To provide for service of process upon non-resident defendants at law, or in equity ;

s. 456. To increase the fees of justices of the peace and notaries public having like powers in the county of Autauga;

s. 485. To authorize the probate court to make unknown heirs and devisees parties in certain suits ;

s. 477. To amend section 3253 of' the code of Alabama;

s. 436. To repeal an act to amend section 1544 of the code of Alabama, so far as the same relates to the counties of Blount, Cullman, Cleburne, Washington, Coosa, Autauga, St. Clair, Elmore, Marshall, Dale and Chilton, approved on the 1st of March, 1881, so far as the same relates to the city of Wetumpka, Elmore county, Alabama ;

s. 499. To authorize the court of' county commissioners for Perry county to establish one or more ferries across the Cahaba river in Perry connty ;

s. 492. To amend sections 18 and 19 of an act entitled an act to amend an act entitled an act to vacate and amend the

charter, and dissolve tlie corporation of the city of Opelika, and to provide for the application of the assets thereof in discharge of the debts of said corporation, approved February 19th, 1883, and to provide lor the compromise of' its railroad bonded indebtedness, approved February 14th, 1885 ;
s. 500. To incorporate the North Alabama Oil and Gas Pipe Line Company;
s. 490. To establish an industrial school in the State of Alabama for the destitute children descendants of confederate soldiers, and sailors;
s. 454. To authorize the mayor and council of Dadeville to issue bonds of' said city for an amount not exceeding five thousand dollars for the purpose of purchasing a lot in said city and errecting and improving school buildings thereon ;
s. 487. To incorporate ihe Alabama Iron aud Steel Company;
s. 450. To incorporate the Savings Loan and Trust Company of Now Decatur, Alabama;
s. 452. To amend section 1 of an act entitled an act to prohibit the sale, giving away or otherwise disposing of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, intoxicating bitters, or cordials, or fruits preserved in alcoholic liquors in all places in Jefferson, Walker, Talladega, Autauga and Fayette counties, except in incorporated towns and cities having public regulations, approved February 16th, 1889 ;
s. 473. To further regulate the Alabama State Troops;
s. 440. To refund license money to James E. Ray, of Tallapoosa county;
s. 455. To create a separate school district in the county of St. Clair to be called Cooks Springs public school district, and to define the boundaries thereof;
s. 439. To amend section one of an act to establish a normal school for the education of white male and female teachers at Troy in Pike county, Alabama ;
s. 430. To establish the Mount Pleasant school district in Lamar, county;
s. 467. To amend section 677 of the code of Alabama.
On motion,
s. 282. To amend section 2908 of the code of 1886,
Was taken from adverse report and read a second time.
On motion,
s. 252. To authorize justices of the peace and notaries public with ex-officio powers as justices ot the peace in beats

16, 17 and 22, Jefferson county, to exercise exclusive jurisdiction in said beats;
Was taken froai adverse report and read a second time.
At 1 p. m. the house adjourned till 3 p. m. to-day.

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AFTERNOON SESSION.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.
A quorum was present.

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

s. 418. To authorize the mayor and councilmen of Troy, in Pike county, to ereet and maintain, or otherwise provide a system of water works for the city of Troy, and issue bonds in paynient thereof in an amount not exceeding $50,000.00;
An amendment was offered and adopted,
And the bill was read the third time at length and passed —yeas 56, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bevis, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Coleman, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Howle, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rousseau, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sleele, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike,Tucker of Lauderdale, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.
s. 284. To prevent the running at large of stock in certain portions of Elmore county;
Mr. Parker offered an amendment which was adopted,
And the bill was read the third time at length and passed —yeas 59, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bevis, Blackwell, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, David-

son, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Foster, Gass, Gnthrie, Harrell, Harris, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Powell, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rousseau, Scott, Screws, Simoions, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of' Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker:

The senate has amended as there in shown,and as amended has passed the bills,
H. 433. To provide a fund for the payment of witness for the state in the circuit and county court of Wilcox county and to prescribe their compensation;
H. 1084. To authorize the commissioners of the Huntsville State Colored Normal and Industrial school to sell the real property of the school located on Clinton street in the city of Huntsville, Alabama, and reinvest the proceeds of such sale in real estate in or near the city of Huntsville, Alabama;
H 256. To amend section one of an act to prohibit the sale, or giving away of spirituous or vinous liquors within one mile of Spring Hill church in Pike county, Alabama, approved February 25th, 1875;
H. 148. To amend an act to establish the city court of Anniston, approved February 25th, 1889, by amending certain sections therein;
H. 1001. To establi'sh a new charter for the town of Clayton, in Barbour county.
And has concurred in the report of the conference committee on the bill,
s. 181. To amend section 4078 of the code.

W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The house has non-concurred in the senate amendment to H. 433, the title to which is set out in above senate message.

The house concurred in the senate amendments to the following bills:

n. 1084. To autliorize the commissioners of "the Huntsville State Colored Normal and Industrial school" to sell the real property of the school located on Clinton street in the city of Huntsville, Alabama, and reinvest the proceeds of such sale in real estate in or near the city of Huntsville, in real estate in or near the city of Huntsville, Alabama.

Yeas 58, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Amason of Sumter, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Coleman, Cooper, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Forman, Foster, Gass, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Conecuh, Leslie, Long, Longshore, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Parker, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

Also,

H. 256. To amend section one of an act to prohibit the sale, or giving away of spirituous or vinous liquors within one mile of Spring Hill church in Pike county, Alabama, approved February 25,1875.

Yeas 57, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Almon, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bevis, Bishop, Brown, Buck, Clayton, Cooper, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Lee ot Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Parks, Pettus, Powell, Ramsay, Rather, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Steele. Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

Also,

H. 148. To amend an act to establish the city court of Anniston, approved February 25, 1869, by amending certain sections therein.

Yeas, 58, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of

Sumter. Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Clayton Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Payette, Edwards, Finch, Gass, Henry, Hufham, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Concuh, Long, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rousseau, Simmons, Sinith of Dallas, Smith of' Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tuckerof Crenshaw. Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

Also,

JH. 1001. To establish a new charterfor the town of Clayton in Barbour county.

Yeas 56, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Tallpoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain Bass, Bevis, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Foster, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Hill, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Langley, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of' Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, White, Wilson, Young.

And the house resuined consideration of

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

s. 299. To incorporate the Autauga Volunteer Hook and Ladder Company No. 1 of the town of Prattville,

Was read the lliird time at length and passed—yeas 55, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Ayres, Bain, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Brewer, Clanton, Olayton, Oooper, Oornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Foster, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Jacksoh, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Quarles, Ramsay, Rousseau, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of

Pike.'Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Young.

s. 478. To incorporate Limestone Oil and Gas Company,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 55, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speakers, Alexander, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Clanton, Cooper,Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Gass, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harris, Hill, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Lane, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Powell, Ramsay, Rousseau, Simmons, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Steele, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

s. 374. To legalize the marriage of James H. Hatley and Sarah A. Hatley, citizens of the county of Limestone, State of Alabama,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 58, nays 10.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Tallpoosa, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Clartton, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Finch, Gass, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Jones, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Moore of Madison, Parks, Pettus, Purifoy, Rousseau, Smaw, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Wood, Young.

Nays—Messrs. Davis of Lamar, Hill, Kelly, Long, Northington,Powell, Sayre, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Whatley, White.

s. 88. To prohibit the selling, giving away or otberwise disposing of alcoholic liquors within three miles of Hebron Baptist church in Pickens county,

Was taken up.

A substitute was adopted with the following title :

s. 88. To prohibit the selling, giving away or otherwise disposing of alcoholic, vinous, or malt liquors or other intoxicating drinks or beverages, or fruits preserved in alcoholic liquors within three miles of Hebron Baptist chnrch, in Pickens county ; or within five miles of Brookwood in Tus-

kaloosa county, or within five miles of Arbor Springs Baptist church in Tuskaloosa county ; or within three miles of Union Grove Baptist church in beat two, or within three miles of McKinney's school house in beat thirteen, or within five miles of' Pierce's Chapel Methodist church in beat seven in Lee county ; or within three miles of Big Creek Baptist church within Memphis beat No. 20 in Pickens county; or within beat five in Winston county; or within six miles of the Methodist and Baptist churches and the Clopton Academy in the town of Clopton in Dale county ; or within three miles of Mossy Grove church and School house in Pike county; or within two miles ot Jones Chapel ir Cullman county; or within four miles of the Bullock Baptist church in Crenshaw county; or within three miles of Mount Zion Baptist church, in beat four in Chambers county; or within three miles of Mount Pleasant church in beat five in Chambers county; or within the corporate limits of the town of Hartselle, in Morgan County; or within five miles of Rocky Mount Methodist chuch, in beat one in Chilton county; or within one and a half miles of Kellyton Methodist church, in Coosa county ; or within eight miles of Oak Grove church, in Pickens coniity;or within four miles of the O'Neal school house in Limestone county; or within one half of the Methodist church in Toulminville, Mobile county ; or within three miles of Clear Creek Cumberland Presbyterian church and New Hope Methodist church, in Etowah county; or within six nnles of the court house at Daphne, in Baldwin connty; or within two miles of Providence chuch, in beat three, in Dale connfy; or within the limits of beat ten, in Jackson county; or within five miles of the Cumberland Presbyterian church, in Larkinsville, in Jackson county; or within three miles of Holly Grove (colored) Baptist church, in beat 14. in Lamar county; or within one mile of the Methodist Episcopal church, South, near Henryville, Marshall connty; or within three miles of Shady Grove Baptist, church or the Bethel Baptist church, or within four milcs of Mount Moriah Baptist church, or within two miles of Zebulon Baptist church, in Pike county; or within two miles of' Goodwater church, in beat five, in Dale county; or within one mile of Fresco postofflce, in Coffee county ; or within two miles of Holmes' Gap Academy, in Cullman county; or within five miles of Corinth church, in beat one, in Chilton county; or within six

miles of Shorterville Baplist church, in Henry county ; or within two rniles of Cowart's Baptist church, in Henry county.

Amendments were offered and adopted by adding to the title and body of the bill the following words :

Or within four miles of Lebanon Methodist church in Limestone county; or within six miles of Mount Zion Methodist Episcopal Church, South, in beat 17, in Tallapoosa county ; or within two miles of Sanderson's Chapel Methodist church, in Lawrence county.

Mr. Clayton moved to amend the bill by adding to the end of section 1 the following words :

“Provided, however, That nothing contained in this act shall prohibit, any one from giving away any such such liquors herein before named within six miles of the Methodist and Baptist uhurches and the Clopton Academy, in Clopton, Dale county."

Carried.

Mr. Amason of Tallapoosa moved to amend the bill by adding to section 1 of the bill the following words:

Provided. That the provisions of this act prohibiting the sale of liquor within six miles of Mount Zion church, in beat 17, in Tallapoosa county, shall not take effect until January 1, 1892."

Carried.

Mr. Sayre offered the following amendment:

Add to the end of the title—

"Or within one-half mile of the Church of the Innocents, in the addition to the city of Montgomery known as West End."

Adopted.

Also,

By adding to the end of section 1 the following words :

"Or after January 1st, 1892, within one-half mile of the Church of' the Innocents in the addition to the city of Montgomery known as West End," Provlded, that this act shall not have effect within any territory within the city of Montgomery."

Adopted.

The bill was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 62, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Alexander, Almon, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell,

Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of' Lamar, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Long, Longshore, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Steele, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Whatley, Wilson, Young.

H. 767. To amend an act to authorize the commissioners court of Perry to establish or abolish districts in said county in which stock may be prevented from running at large, approved February 15, 1889,

Was read the third .time at length and passed—yeas 58, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Alexander, Almon, Avery, Ayres, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Burford, Clayton, Cooper, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Larnar, Finch, Forman, Gass, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harris, Hill, Hufham, Jackson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Long, Longshore, Meador, Moore of' Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Pnrifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Steele, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

s. 379. To prevent the spread of the disease commonly known as glanders among horscs.

Mr. Long offered the following amendment:

Strike out the words "ten dollars per day" where they occur in the body of tlie bill, and iusert the words "five dollars per day."

Mr. Adams offered an amendment, which was

Adopted.

The amendment offered by the committee as amended was Adopted.

Mr. Long moved to table the bill and amendments.

Lost.

Yeas 21, nays 48.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Ayres, Bass, Bevis, Brewer, Finch, Forman, Guthrie, Howle, Kemp, Leigh, Long, Loveless, Peacock, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rousseau, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Lauderdale, Whatley, Young.

Nays—Messrs. Adams, Alexander, Almon, Appleton, Avery, Bain, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Buck, Burford, Clayton, Cooper, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Foster, Gass, Harrell, Hill, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Langley, Lee of Conccuh, Longshore, Meador, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Pettus, Quarles, Rather, Sayre, Scolt, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Steele, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Webb, White, Wood, Wilson.
Mr. Clayton moved that a committee of three be appointed to prepare a substitute for the bill, and to report it at 10 a. m. Monday next; and Mr. Clayton asked to be excused from serving on the committee.
Adopted.
Committee—Messrs. Gilchrist, Jones, and Adams.

REPORT FBOM COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Speaker :

The committee on enrolled bills report the following bills correctly enrolled :
H. 559. To ratify and confirm the agreenient of consolidation made by and between the Jefferson Iron Company and the Irondale Company, of Jefferson county ;
H. 631. To provide ror a charter for the town of Carbon Hill, in Walker county, Alabama,
H. 276. To confirm the charter of the Birmingham Building and Loan Association, to define and declare the powers to provide for the increase of capital stock, and to extend the time within which said association shall continue to exist as a corporation;
H. 313. To amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the town of Gordon, in IIenry county, Alabama, approved February 1st, 1872;
H. 551. To confer additional powers upon the Jasper Land Company to enable it to improve its property.
C. C. RATHER,
Chairman.

SIGNING OF BILLS.

The Speaker of the House, in the presence ot' the house, immediately after their titles had been publicly read by the clerk, signed the bills, the titles of which are set out in the foregoing report of the committee on enrolled bills.

At 5 p. m., the house adjourned till 7:30 p. m. to-day.

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NIGHT SESSION.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.

A quorum was present.

On mouon, the senate was requested to return to the house s.219.

The house proceeded to consider

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

H. 872. To amend seetion 1 of an act approved Februnry 12, 1879, entitled an act to establish the Warrior Agricultural District, to provide for the securing of the same and the management of its affairs,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 56, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Bass, Bishop, Brewer, Brown, Clayton, Cooper, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gass, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Howle, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Langley, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Sayre, Scott, Serews, Simmons, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Wade, Watters, Webb, White, Wilson, Young.

H. 610. To amend sections 2 and 16 of an act entitled an act to establish the city court of Birmingham, which was approved February 28, 1889,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 51, nays 8.

Yeas—Messra. Speaker, Adams, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Avery, Ayres, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clayton, Cooper, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Foster, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrel, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle,Jackson, Jones, Judge, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Moore of Madison, Nolen. Parker, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau. Scott, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, White, Young.

Nays—Messrs. Bain, Bass, Harris, Kelly, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Parks, Smith of Russell.

H. 883. To repeal an act approved February 20th, 1889, entitled an act to amend the act to incorporate the city of Tuskaloosa, approved March 12th, 1873, by amending section one of said act so as to extend the boundary lines of said city,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 58, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown. Buck, Glayton, Davidson, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gilchrist, Harrell, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Lane, Langley, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Rather, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Steele, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Wade, Watters, Whatley, White, Wood, Young.

H. 981. To authorize the mayor and councilmen of Troy to erect and maintain a system of electric lights and issue bonds in payment thereof in an amount not exceeding ($20,000) twenty thousand dollars,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 53, nays 1.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Burford, Clayton, Cooper, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of' Lamar, Finch, Forman, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Long, Longshore, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Smith ot Russell, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Wade, Webb, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

Nay—Mr. Bevis.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker:

The senate has originated and passed the bills,

s. 351. To carry into efl'ect the provisions of sections 23

of article 14 of the constitution of Alabama, in reference to railroads and other transportation companies granting free passes to certain persons therein named;
s. 498. To incorporate the Alabama Christian Missionary Convention;
And has amended as therein shown, and as amended has passed the bill,
H. 598. To prevent hunting on land without written consent of owner or his agent in Dallas, Madison, Conecuh, Wilcox, Autauga and Sumter counties;
And has reconsidered the vote by which it concurred in the house amendments to the bill,
s. 219. To amend the charter of the city of Greenville, and the various acts amendatory thereof;
And non concurs in the said amendments and returns the bill to the house as requested ;
And non-concurs in the report ofthe conference committee, and has excused the committee on the part of the senate from further service on said committee, and appointed new conferees on the part of' the senate, namely: Messrs. Grant, Downey and Skeggs, on the bill,
H. 538. To appropriate the sum of fifteen thousand dollars to be expended in the maintenance and improvement of the Medical College of Alabama, under the direction of the board of trustees thereof;
And has concurred in the report of the conference committee on the bill,
s 354. To better provide for the establishing and working the public roads in this state ;
And has passed without amendment the bills,
H. 270. To authorize the purchasers of a street railroad at a judicial sale, or other sale by authority of law, to organize as a corporation;
H 1070. To establish a separate school district in the city of Eufaula, Barbour county, Alabama, and to provide means to support said separate school district;
H. 362. To authorize the payment of an account of the Brown Printing Company ;
H. 1056. To provide clerical assistance for the supreme court;
H. 884. To incorporate the Eufaula Investment and Security Company;
H. 62P. To protect the owners of bottles, boxes, syphons

fountains and kegs used in the sale of soda water, mineral or aerated waters, porter, ale, cider, ginger ale, milk, cream, small beer, lager beer, Weiss beer, beer, white beer, or other beverage;

H. 868. To divest the title, interest and estate of the State of Alabama of' certain land in Talladega county, and invest the same in Drusilla Lawler;

H. 658. To amend the charter of the town of Greensboro, Alabama, and the acts amending the same;

H. 654. To authorize the mayor and council of Brewton to issue bonds of said city for an amount not exceeding twenty-five thousand dollars, for the purpose of putting in a system of water works and makingother permanent improvements in said city ;

H. 752. To protect the public property at Hayneville;

H. 586. To amend section nine (9) of an act entitled an act to incorporate the Pensacola, Andalusia, Union Springs and Chattanooga Railroad Company, approved February 28th, 1889;

H. 723. To incorporate Lineville College, at Lineville, Clay county, Alabama;

H. 786. To amend section four of an act to amend and ratify the charter of the Selma and Cahaba Valley Railway Company, approved February 21st, 1887;

H. 411. To establish a charter for the town of Oneonta;

H. 596. To legalize the marriage of William H. Bottom and Mary C. Bottom the widow of John Bottom, deceased ;

H. 518. To regulate trials by juries in the county court of Clarke county;

H. 316. To declare Clarke Frizzle and W. C. Frizzle, liners between the counties of Bullock and Montgomery, citizens of Montgomery county;

H. 51. To provide for the legal examination of the dead bodies of persons believed to have been poisoned, and to pay for such examinations ;

H. 128. To ameud section 4301 of the code ;

H. 842. To prevent stock from running at large in the several beats or parts of beats in Cherokee county, to authorize elections thereon and to provide for building and maintaining fences and gates ;

H. 130. To confirm and amend the charter of the New Decatnr Terminal Company ;

H. 630. To declare the Black Warrior River a navigable

stream within the limits of Walker county, and to prohibit the obstruction of the same ;
H. 707. To incorporate the town of Springville with the boundaries hereinafter designated, and to establish a new charter for said town.

W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The senate bills just received, the titles of which are set out in the foregoing senate message, were severally read one time and referred to appropriate commiltees, as follows :
s. 351, 494, to corporations.
On motion, the house insisted on its amendment to
s. 219. To amend the charter of the city of Greenville and the various acts amendatory tliereof;
And requested a committee of conference thereon ;
Committee on part of the house—Messrs. Harrell, White and Smith of Russell.
The house non-concurred in the senate amendment to
H. 598. To prevent hanting on land without written consent of owner or his agent in Dallas, Madison, Conecuh, Wilcox, Autauga and Sumter counties ;
And requested a committee of conference ;
Committee on part of house—Messrs: Quarles, White and Jones.

CONFERENCE REPORT.

Mr. Speaker :

Your committee of conference upon the disagreement of the two houses to senate amendment to house bill No. 538, have had the matter under consideration, and beg leave to report the following recommendation:
That the senate recede from its amendments.
W. S. LEWIS,
S. C. M. AMASON,
Committee on part of House.
L. D. GODFREY,
JOHN T. MlLNER,
SoL. D. BLOCH,
Committee on part of Senate.

On motion of Mr. Lewis, the above conference report was non-concurred in and the conference committee was discharged.
On motion of Mr. Lewis, a new conference committee was appointed on said bill, and the speaker appointed Messrs. Lewis, Adams and Scott;
And the house resumed consideration of

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

H. 980. To divide the county of Raudolph into f'our commissioner's districts, and to prescribe the term of office of members of' said court,
Was read the third time at length and passed—-yeas 54, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bevis, Bishop, BIackwell, Brown, Clayton, Cooper, Cox, Davidson, Davis of' Lamar, Forman, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Langley, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Purifoy, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Smith of Russell, Steele, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, White, Wood, Young.
H. 607. To amend section 521 of the code so far as the same relates to Jefferson county,
Was read the third lime at length and passed—yeas 55, nays 1.
Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Finch, Forman, Gass, Gilchrist, Gnthrie, Harris, Hill, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Judge, Kelly, Langley, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Quarles, Rather, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Wilson, Young.
Nav—Mr. White.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker :

The senate has adopted the joint resolution herewith sent relative to the return by the governor of s. 406.
And has amended as therein shown, and as amended has passed the bills:
H. 318. To amend and revise the charter of the town of Oxanna;
H. 823. To amend sections 4 and 6 of an act entitled an act to prevent stock from running at large in the several beats of Randolph and Oalhoun counties, and to authorize elections llierein;
H. 973. To fix the times and places for holding the courts in the third judicial circuit ot'AlaLfima;
H. 206. To amend sections 4 and 11 of an act to establish the criminal court of Jefferson county ;
And accedes to the request of the house for the appointment of a conference committee on the bill
s. 219. To amend the charter of the city of Greenville and the various acts amendatory thereof.
Committee on the part of the senate—
Messrs. Stallworth, Grant, and Inzer.
And accedes to tlie request of the house for a committee of conference on the bill
H. 598. To prevont hunting on land without written consent of owner or his agent in Dallas, Madison, Conecuh, Wilcox, Autauga and Sumter counties.
Committee on the part of the senate—
Messrs. Downey, Lackey, and Harris of Hale.

W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

And the house resumed consideration of

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

H. 267. To enlarge the criminal jurisdiction of justices of the peace in Calhoun county,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 48, nays 7.
Yeas—Messrs. Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain,

Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Finch, Forman, Gass, Gordon, Harris, Jackson, Johnson. Kelly, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Longshore, Nolen, Parks, Purifoy, Rather, Rousseau, Simmons, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Wood, Wilson, Young.
Nays—Messrs. Clayton, Davis of Lamar, Hill, Northington, Sayre, Smith of Russell, and White.
H. 495. To amend section 2 of an act entitled an act to authorize the mayor and board of aldermen of the city of Gadsden to negotiate a loan for lighting said city either by gas or electricity, for drainage, sewerage and for sanitary purposes, and to issue bonds for the payment ot'the same, approved February 28, 1887,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 54, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Ayres, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Blackwell, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Forman, Gass, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Jackson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Pettus, Powell, Quarles, Ramsay, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of' Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tueker of Crenshaw, Tucker ot' Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

By Mr. Jones, recording secretary :
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR,
MONTGOMERY, February 14,1891.

To the House of Representatives :
1 am just informed by the attorney general that there is now on your calendar, house bill 790, "To anthorize and direct the auditor to correct an error in the assessment of the

rolling stock of the Nashville, Florence and Sheffield Railroad Company for taxation for the year 1890," and that the collection of the taxes against said railroad company is held up for the correction of said error, which is undoubled and admitted.

I recommend that said bill be passed by your body and sent to the senate to-night so that it may become a law, and and thereby save the state unnecessary and useless litigation.

THOS. G. JONES,
Governor.

On motion of Mr. Pettus—

The house proceeded to the consideration of

H. 790. To authorize and direct tlie auditor to correcl an error in the assessment for taxation for the year 1890 of the rolling stock of the Nashville, Florence and Sheffield Railroad Company,

And it,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 53, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams. Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Cooper, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gruthrie, Harrell, Harris, Howle, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Langley, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rather, Screws, Smaw, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

And

H. 1037. To require tax assessors to assess the mineral and timber interests in tlie lands of the state,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 57, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Amason of Talla-Poosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Forman, Foster, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Henry, Howle, Jackson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Meador, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Pettus, Ramsay, Rather, Epusseau, Scott, Screws, Simmons,

Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

Mr. Spcaker:

The senate has concurred in the report of the conference committee on the bill
H. 538. To appropriate the sum of fifteen thousand dollars to be expended in the maintenance and improvement of the Medical College of Alabama under the direction of the board of trustees thereof.
And has amended as therein shown, and as amended has passed the bills:
H. 696. To amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the town of Brewton, Escambia couaty, Alabama, approved February 13, 1885;
H. 622. To amend sections 4068 and 4069 of the code of Alabama;
H. 249. To require all fines and forfeitures in criminal cases in the county of Jefferson to be paid in lawful money.

W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The house concurred in the senate amendments to the following bills:
H. 622. To amend sections 4068 and 4069 of the code of Alabama,
Yeas 57. nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Amason of Sumter, Appleton, Avery, Bain, Barnett, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of' Lamar, Finch, Forman, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Hill, Jackson, Johnson, Judge, Kelly, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.

Also,
H. 249. To require all fines and forfeitures in criminal cases in the county of Jafferson to be paid in lawful money,
Yeas 58, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Appleton, Ayres, Bain, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Clayton, Cooper, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harris, Hill, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Meador, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Quarles. Eamsay, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sullivan, Thrasher, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend ot Pike, Wade, Watters, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

CONFERENCE REPORT.

Mr. Speaker:
The committee of conference on the part of the senate and house to whom was referred the matter of disagreement between the two houses on house bill 538, beg leave to report as follows:
We recommend that the house concur in the senate amendment.

L. W. GRANT,
W. T. DOWNEY, WM. E. SKEGGS,
Committee on parfc of the senate.
W. S. LEWIS.
S. M. ADAMS,
S. S. SCOTT,
Committee 011 part of the house.

The above conference report. was concurred in.
Yeas 56, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Jackson, Jones, Kelly, Langley, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Norfcliington, Parker, Pea-

cock, Pettus, Powell, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sullivan, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

CONFERENCE REPORT

Mr. Speaker :

The committee of conference upon the disagreement of the two houses upon the house amendments to senate bill No. 219, recommend the adoption of the house amendments to the bill.

And also recommend the adoption of the following amendment :

Amend by striking out the words three months after the word "for" and before the word "next," in second section, and inserting in lieu thereof the words "thirty days."

N. STALLWORTH,
L. W. GRANT,
JOHN W. INZER
Committee on part of Senate.

LOUIS HARRELL,
G.P. WHITE,
J.V. SMITH
Committee on part of House.

The above report was concurred in.

Yeas 53, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs, Adams, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Byres, Bain, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Coleman, Cox, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Hill, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Leslie, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Long, Moore, of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Luaderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Mr. Speaker :

The president of the senate having signed the following bills, your signature thereto is requested:

s. 305. To incorporate the Pythian Temple Company of Birmingham, Alabama;
s. 188, To provide for the election of' the county superintendent of education of Wilcox county.
s. 180. To repeal an act to prohibit the aale, giving away or otherwise disposing of spirituous, vinons, or malt liquors or intoxicating bitters at or within certain localities in this state therein designated, to-wit: At Spring Hill, Marengo county and within six miles thereof and various other places, approved February 28, 1881, so far as the same applies to Van Dorn, Marengo county, and the territory adjacent for one hundred yards;
8. 267. To authorize the Mayor and City Council of Jacksonville to issue bonds of said city for an amount, not exceeding fifty thousand dollars for tbe purpose of making and improving streets, the public square and grounds about the public spring, and in paying whatever outstanding floating (not bonded) indebtedness, said city may have at the passage of this act;
s. 393. To prevent stock from running at large in beat 5, and in section 31, township 23, range 20, in Coosa county;
s. 406. For the relief of James E. Kennedy, sheriff of Dallas county ;
s. 465. To amend sections three and six and repeal sections four and five of an act entitled an act to regulate the state witnesses' fees in Hale county, Alabama, and to provide for the payment of the same ;
s. 91. To perpetuate the United States governnment surveys of lands in Dallas county;
s. 236. To amend an act incorporating the trustees of the Judson Female Institute, approved January 9, 1841 ;
s. 407. To authorize and empower the board of trustees of the Evergreen Male and Female Academy, an institution of learning incorporated by act of the General Assembly of the Slate of Alabama, approved February 5, 1840, to prescribe and adopt the order, mode and branches of study and learning to be pursued in said academy, fix the rate of tuition, grant diplomas or other certificates of scholarship, and to do any and all lawful acts necessary, proper and lawful to be done to furlher the objects of' said academy, or which other literary institutions of like kind may do;
s. 179. To provide for the distribution ot' the money received by the state of Alabama each year in pursuance of

the act of congress approved March 2d, 1887, and known as the Hatch act, which is entitled "an act to establish agricultural experiment stations in connection with the colleges established in the several states, under the provisions of an act approved July 2d, 1862, and of the acts supplementary thereto;

s. 181. To amend scction 4078 of the code ;

s. 390. To incorporate Ihe town of Riverside in St. Clair county;

s. 470. To ratify and amend the charter of the Alabama Trust and Savings Company;

s. 345. An act to incorporate the Pan-American Transportation Company and to define its powers;

s. 441. To amend and enlarge the charter of the Florence Loan and Trunt Company incorporated under the general laws of the State of Alabama;

s. 431. To lix fhe time and places of boiding the circuit courts in the various counties composing the ninth judicial circuit of the state of Alabama;

s. 249. To authorize the mayor and city council of the town of Jacksonville to order an election to change the name of the same upon the petition and vole of its citizens as herein provided;

s. 383. To incorporate the town of Moulton, in Lawrence county, Alabama;

s. 242. To amend section twenty seven of an act entitled an act to establish a new charter for the city of Huntsville, approved December 12th, 1888 ;

s. 447. To incorporate the Louise Short Baptist Widows and Orphans Home;

s. 309. To authorize and empower the city of Mobile to create, open and establish streets and highways within its corporate limits;

s. 376. To create a lien in favor of the owners of keepers of pastures in Dallas, Tuskaloosa and Lee counties for the payment of tlieir charges l'or keeping and pasturing stock ;

s. 435. To authorize Gadsden Lodge No. 236, A. F. and A. M. to issue bonds to build a Masonic Temple in the city of Gadsden, in this state;

s. 287. To ratify and confirm the charter of the Lady Ensley Coal, Iron and Railroad Company.

W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

REPORT FROM COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Speaker:

The committee on enrolled bills report the following bills correctly enrolled :

H. 51. To provide for the legal examination of the dead bodies of persons believed to have been poisoned, and to pay for such examinations;

H. 626. To protect the owners of bottles, boxes, syphons, fountains and kegs used in the sale of soda water, mineral or aerated waters, porter, ale, cider, ginger ale, milk, cream, small beer, lager beer, Weiss beer, beer, White beer, or other beverage;

H. 654. To authorize the mayor and council of Brewton to issue bonds of said city for an amount not exceeding twenty-five thousand dollars, for the purpose of putting in a system of water works and making other permanent improvements in said city;

H. 630. To declare the Black Warrior river a navigable stream within the limits of Walker county, and to prohibit the obstruction of the same;

H. 270. To authorize the purchasers of a street railroad at a street railroad at a judicial sale, or other sale by authority of law, to organize as a corporation ;

H. 130. To confirm and amend the charter of the New Decatur Terminal Company;

H. 586. To amend section nine (9) of an ant entitled an act to incorporate the Pensacola, Andalusia, Union Springs and Chattanooga Railroad Company, approved February 28th,1889;

H. 884. To incorporate the Eufaula Investment and Security Oompany;

H. 723. To incorporate Lineville College, at Lineville, Clay county, Alabama ;

H. 786. To amend section four of an act to amend and ratify the charter of the Selma and Cahaba Valley Railway Company, approved February 21st, 1887;

H. 1070. To establish a separate school district in the city of Eufaula, Barbour county, Alabama, and to provide means, to support said separate school district.

C. C. RATHER,
Chairman.

SIGNING OF SENATE AND HOUSE BILLS.

The speaker of the house, in the presence of the house, immediately after their titles had been publicly read by the clerk, signed the bills, the titles of which are set out in the foregoing report of the committee on enrolled bills, and the foregoing senate message.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker:

The senate has concurred in the house amendments to the bills, senate bills, 393, 388 and 14.

W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

At 10:30 p. m. the house adjourned till 9 a. m. Monday.

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FORTY-NINTH DAY.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
MONDAY, February 16, 1891.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.
Prayer by Rev. Mr. Adams of the house.
A quorum was present.
The journal of Saturday was read and approved.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Was granted to Mr. Meador indefinitely, and to Messrs. Powell, Edwards and Cornelius for one day.

On motion s. 399 was made a special order for Wednesday, after journal.

RESOLUTIONS

Were offered as follows :
By Mr. Almon—
Resolved, That the morning session of the house for to-

day extend till 1:30 o'clock p. m., that the aftenioon session extend till 6 o'clock p. m , cind that the night session close at 12 o'clock ;
Which was referred to the committee on rules.
By Mr. Lee of Conecuh—
Resolved, that all the committee clerks be, and they are hereby discharted.
By Mr. Smith of Russell—
Resolved, That five minutes before 12 m., the house take a recess and the clerk be instructed to invite the senate into the hall of the house at 12 m. for the purpose of holding a joint session of the two houseses to elect a solicitor for the district court composed of the counties of Colbert and Lauderdale;
The rules were suspended and the resolution was adopted.

MEMORIAL BY A. S. T. A.

To the House of Representatives of the State of Alabama :

Several years ago a convention of the temperance people of this state met in the city of Montgomery and formed the Alabama State Temperance Alliance. ïhough not a political body, this alliance adopted resolutions looking to an organization ot'the temperance people of the state forthe purpose of procuring the enactment of a prohibition law.
Said alliance appointed a committee to petition the legislature, then in session, to enact a householder and freeholder license law, a local option law, and a law submitting to the people a prohibition constitutional amendment. The senate adopted all three of these measures, but on account of the adverse action of the house of representatives, no one of them became a law.
The temperance bill, which passed the present senate before the Christmas recess, is very similar to one of the measures pelitioned for by said convention. We invite your attention to several features of the bill : 1. It makes the issuance of' a license to depend upon the will of those who are freeholders, and interested in the material growth and permanent improvement of a community. The owners of the soil frm a tliougbtful, sensible and conservative class of citizens. 2. The bill requires that the recommendors of an applicant for liceuse shall be, householders. There is a mani-

fest propriety in thus giving to the heads of families the right to deuide whether their children shall be exposed to the dangers of an open saloon. 3. Under laws existing in many counties of the state, twenty men can fasten upon a ward, town, or neighborhood, one of these man-traps, against the urgent protest of a thousand good citizens. The senate bill is more democratic, and gives control only to a rnajority of those qualified to sign. It is tantamount to local option among the householders and freeholders in a given district. 4. This bill gives opportunity for the growth and crystalization of temperanue sentiment without a polilical election, and hence it accords with the views of many in this state who wish to work out a great temperance reform without being driven into a third party.

When said bill passed the senate in December last by an almost unanimous vote, the temperance people of Alabama were led to hope that when the legislature reassembled it would be passed by the house also. The delay of the house is causing much solicitude. It is now feared that the opponents of the measure are making a concerted effort to postpone, crowd out, and kill it by non-action.

We beg to remind you that the tarmers of this state, as shown by an article in the constitutiou of their alliance, are in favor of temperance, and that m the towns and cities the opponents of this reform are becoming more and more confined to those who are interested either in the profits or the influence of the liquor traffic.

In view ot the foregoing, the underaigned do hereby, in the name of the Alabama State Temperauce Alliance, and in behalf of the great temperance army of this state, earnestly request and memorialize your honorable body to at once consider and adopt the temperance bill which recently passed the senate.

Respectfully,

FRANK S. MOODY,

J. O. PATTON,

WM. A. DAVIS.

Committee A. S. T. A.

Which was referred to the committee on temperance.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The house proceeded to the consideration of the senate

message received yesterday, and the house concurred in the senate amendments to the following house bills:
H. 318. To amend arid revise the charter of the town of Oxanna;
Yeas 56, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Almon, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Bevis, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Coleman, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Finch, Forman, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Howle, Kelly, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Peacock, Pettus, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.
Also,
H. 823. To amend sections 4 and 6 ot an act entitled an act to prevent stock from rnnning at large in the several beats of Randolph and Calhoun counties and to authorize elections therein ;
Yeas 60, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Brown, Buck, Burford, Coleman, Cornelius, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Finch, Foster, Gilchrist, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Judge,]velly, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Quarles, Ramsay, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Simmons, Smith of Dallas, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, White, Wiison, Young.
Also,
H. 973. To fix the times and places for holding the courts in the third judicial circuit of the State of Alabama;
Yeas 57, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Brewer, Buck, Burford, Coleman, Cox, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harris, Howle, Jackson, Judge, Kelly, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parks,

Pettus, Poole, Powell, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Smith of Dallas, Smilh of Russell, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

Also,

H. 696. To amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the town of Brewton in Escambia county, approved February the l3,1885;

Yeas 54, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Avery, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Clanton, Cooper, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Foster, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Hill, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Powell, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Screws, Simmons, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Steele, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Watters, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

Also,

H. 206. To amend sections 4 and 11 of an act entitled an act to establish the criminal court of Jefferson county.

Yeas 54, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper,Crews, Cox, Davis of Lamar, Forman, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Pettus, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Smith of Russell, Steele, Townsend of Limestone, Wade, Watters, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

Also,

H. 249. To require all fines and forfeitures in criminal cases in the county of Jefferson to be paid in lawful money.

Yeas 53, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Amason of Sumter, Appleton, Avery, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Brown, Burford, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Forman, Foster, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Ramsay, Scott, Simmons,

Smith of Russell, Steele, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Webb, White, Wilson, Young.
And acceded to the request of the senate for a committee of conference on H. 433.
Committee on part ot house—
Messrs. Purifoy, Brewer, and Sayre.

CONFERENCE REPORT.

Mr. Speaker:

The conference committee on senate bill No. 161 recommend that the house recede from its amendments, and the bill be amended by substituting instead of the house amendments the following:
By striking out the following words :
"Extend one-half mile in every direction," and substitute the following:
"Be one and a half miles square, to be laid off and surveyed as follows : Begin at the center of the court house square and run three fourths of a mile due east; thence three-fourths of a mile due south; thence west one and a half miles; thence north one and a half miles ; thence east one and a half miles; thence south three fourths of a mile.

N. STALLWORÏH,
OSCAR R. HUNDLEY,
W. C. STEAGALL,
On part of the senate.
R. A. LEE,
J. Y. SMITH,
G. P. WHITE,
On part of the house.

The above report was concurred in.
Yeas 54, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker. Almon, Appleton, Avery, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Cooper, Comelius, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Forman, Gass, Guthrie, Hill, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Langley, Leigh, Lewis, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Quarles, Rather, Sayre, Scott, Simmons, Smith of Russell, Steele, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed without amendment the following house bills:
H. 953. For the relief of Gay, Hardie & Co.;
H. 762. To amend section 7 of an act entitled an act to regulate the mode of selecting, drawing, and empaneling grand and petit jurors for the county of Mobile, approved February 20, 1883, and likewise to araend sections 2 and 5 of an act entitled an act to amend sections 4, 5, 13 and 17 of an act entitled an act lo regulate the mode of selecting, drawing and empaneling grand and petit jurors for Mobile county, approved February 20, 1883, and to amend as well sections 1, 2 and 5 of an act approved February 16, 1885, entitled an act to amend sections 6, 8, 10, 11 and 13 of an act entitled an act to regulate the mode of selecting, drawing and empaneling grand and petit jurors for Mobile county, approved February 20,1883, approved February 24,1887;
H. 907. To reimburse C. J. Ross, sheriff of Pike county for expenses incurred by him in going to Florida and removing one John Blue, a prisoner, from jail in Tallahassee, Florida, to Troy jail in Pike county, and for expenses in capturing one Johnson Ellis, charged with murder, who was tried and convicted, and is now serving a life sentence in the penitentiary of this state;
H. 226. To amend an act in relation to the trials of misdemeanors in Tuskaloosa and other counties therein named, in so far as the same relates to Tuskaloosa county;
H. 1069. To authorize the board of mayor and aldermen of the town of Dothan to negotiate a loan for the purpose of improving, grading and draining the streets, avennes and alleys of said town, establishing water works, fire department, electric light plant, and the payment of' the towns indebtedness, and for other various improvements of said town;
H. 1028. To pay for articles purchased for the use of the senate and house of representatives, and for repairing the senate chamber and the hall of the house of representatives, and for repairing and furnishing the rooms of the engrossing and enrolling clerks of the house of representatives;
H. 497. To authorize the corporate authorities of the city of Gadsden, to release and surrender the option of the city of Gadsden to redeem the bonds that have been issued by

the said corporate anthorities known and designated as "sanitary bonds," and to authorize said corporate authorities to issue the remainder of the one hundred thousand dollars of said bonds authorized by act of the general assembly of Alabama, approved February 28, 1887, and also, by act amendatory thereof, approved February 28, 1889, to run no longer than thirty years,

H. 401. To provide for the more efficient working, keeping up, repairing and improving the public roads and bridges in the county of Morgan ; to locate, construct and build within the limits of the county, a system of public roads of a superior grade, to be known and designated as "county roads."

H. 684. To amend section 4887 (4927) (4459) of the code, so far as the same relates to Sumter county;

H. 844. To amend an act entitled an act to prevent stock from runmng at large in the several beats in Tallapoosa and Coosa counties and to authorize an election thereon, approved February 26th, 1887;

H. 491, To prevent hogs from running at large in certain portions of Madison county;

H. 341. To amend an act to establish a charter for the city of Troy in Pike county;

H. 1092. To authorize the town of Dothan to levy and collect license taxes upon professions, occupations, vocations and businesses practiced or engaged in within said town;

H. 886. To constitute a separate school district, to be known as the Flint school district, in the county of Morgan, and State of Alabama, and for the appointment of a board of trustees theretbr, and a levy of special tax;

H. 69. To amend the charter of the city of Uniontown, county of Perry, State of Alabama;

H. 552. To provide a new charter for the town of Russellville;

H. 686. To amend an act entitled an apt to prohibit the sale, giving away, or otherwise disposing of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, within one half mile of the City Mission church and the Corinthian Baptist church in Mobile County, and other places named therein, and known as the "omnibus liquor bill," approved December l0th, 1890;

H. 601. To make an appropriation for the expenses of encampments of Alabama state troops, for the years 1891 and 1892;

H. 876. To authorize the commissioners court of Choctaw

and Clarke counties to establish districts in which stock may be prevented from running at large;
H. 944. To prescribe and regulate the purchase of supplies for the several county offices, court-house, jail, alms-house and convict camp of Jefferson county;
H. 891. To incorporate the Alabama, Florida and Chattanooga Railway Company;
H. 681. To incorporate the town of Seddon in St. Clair county and to establish a charter for the government thereof;
H. 700. To create and establish a new beat in Lee county, Alabama, to be known and designated as beat No. 14 in said county, having as a precinct, or voting place, Smith's station.
H. 310. To allow appeals to the supreme court from decisions ot the city and circuit courts in this state, granting or refusing to grant motions for new trials;
H. 1066. To incorporate te the Evergreen Industrial Normal school;
H. 357. To prohibit the payment or allowance of claims against the estate of decedents, which have been barred by the statute of limitation in the life of decedent;
H. 1068. To regulate the fine and forfeiture fund in Tallapoosa county, Alabama;
And has concurred in the joint resolution raising a joint committee to reconsider the matter of adjournment.
Committee on the part of the senate: Messrs. Compton and Godfrey.

W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SPECIAL ORDERS.

First.

s. 200. To regulate the planting and taking of oysters in the waters of' this state.
Mr. Brown offered the following amendment:
Amend the amendment by striking out "five cents" and inserting 'twelve and a half cents."
Lost.
The amendment offered by the committe was adopted.
The bill was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 57, nays 9.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker. Adams, A1exander, Almon, Ama-

snn of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Ayres, Bishop, Blackwell, Buck, CIayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Hill Howle, Jackson, John-Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Northington, Parker, Poole, Ramsay, Rousseau, Sayre, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell,Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Webb, White, Young.
Kays—Messrs. Bain, Barnett, Brewer, Harris, Long, Powell, Townsend of Pike, Whatley, Wood.

Second.

s. 90. For the relief of C. D. Martin and others,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 54, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Bevls, Bishop, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clayton, Cooper, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Forman, Foster, Gilchrist, Guthrie. Harrell, Harris, Henry, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leslie, Long, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Ramsay, Kousseau, Simmons, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Webb, Wood, Wilson, Young.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker:

The senate has concurred in the report of the conference committee on the bill,
s. 161. To amend section one of an act entitled an act to establish a new charter for the town of Evergreen in Conecuh county approved February 5th, 1881;
And has amendfid and passed the bills :
H. 545. To require the commissioners court of' Jefferson county to pay for assistance to the solicitor for said county in suppressing crime, out of certam funds in the county treasury ;

H. 971. Concerning the organization and perpetuity of a voluntary association to be known as The Order of Columbia, a secret society, having a secret ritual, and providing laws for governing the same;

And has passed witliout amendmeiit the bills:

H. 443. To amend an act entitled an act to establish a new charter for the town of Attala, approved February 28th, 1889;

H. 20. To prevent the keeping of cock-pits, and publicly fighting cocks in the State of Alabama;

H. 1053. To regulate the trial of misdemeanors in St. Clair county.

H. 628. To authorize the mayor and aldermen of the city of Girard to establish a system of public schools in said city.

W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The house concurred m the senate amendments to the following bills :

H. 545. To require the commissioners court of Jefferson county to pay for assistence to the solicitor for said county in suppressing crimes, out of certain funds in the treasury.

Yeas 59, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs, Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Appleton, Avery,Ayres,Bevis,Bishop,Blackwell,Brewer,Buck,Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Davis ot' Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Forman, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones,Kelly, Kernp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leslie, Long, Longshore, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Quaries, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell. Steele, Townsend of Limestone, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.

Also,

H. 971. Concerning the organization and perpetuation of a voluntary association to be known as the Order of Columbia, a secret socieiy having a secret ritual and providmg laws for governing the same.

Yeas 56, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Appleton, Avery, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell,

Brown, Buck, Burford, Coleman, Cooper, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Forman, Foster, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Scott, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Steele, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Whatley, White, Young.

At 11: 55 a. m., in pursnance of the resolution heretofore adopted, the house took a recess.

At 12 o'clock m. the speaker called the house to order.

JOINT CONVENTION FOR THE ELECTION OF A SOLICITOR.

At 12 o'clock m..by invitation from the house, the senate entered the hall of tbe house of representatives to elect, by joint ballot, a solicitor torlhe district court of Colbert and Lauderdale counties, for the term prescribed by the act creating said court.

The joint convention was called to order by the President of the Senate, who dirccted the socretary of the senate to call the roll of the senate.

The following senators answered to their names; being a majority of the Senate of Alabama, viz.:

Messrs. President, Bradley, Berry, Bloch, Cowan, Compton, Davie, Downey, Grant, Godfrey, Handley, Haralson, Harris of Hale, Harris of Lee, Hayes, Hundley, Lackey, Milner, Minge, Nesmith, Parker, Parks, Reynolds, Skeggs, Smith of Autauga, Smith of Mobile, Stallworth, Stansel, Steagall, Wiley, Williams.—31.

The Speaker of the House directed the clerk of the house to call the house roll, when the lollowing members answered to their names, being a majority of the House of Representatives of Alabama, viz. :

Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter.Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Forman, Foster, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hill, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Lewis, Long, Longshore,

Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Puritoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smilh of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.—83.

The president announced that there being a quorum of the General Assembly of Alabama present, the convention was ready to proceed with the election of a solicitor for the district court of Colbert and Lauderdale counties, and that nominations were in order.

Mr. Smith of Russell placed in nomination for solicitor of said district court of Colbert and Lauderdale counties, Archie H. Carmichael, Esq., of Colbert.

Those who voted for Mr. Carmichael are of the senate : Messrs. President. Bradley, Berry, Bloch, Cowan, Compton, Davie, Downey, Grant, Godfrey, Handley, Haralson, Harris of Hale, Harris of Lee, Hayes, Hundley, Lackey, Milner, Minge, Nesnnth, Parker, Parks, Reynolds, Skeggs, Smith of Autauga, Smith of Mobile, Stallworth, Stansel, Steagall, Wiley, Williams.—31.

And of the house—

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Olanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Seolt, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smilh of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone,Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.—89.

The President of the Senate then proclaimed that Archie H. Carmichael having received 120 votes, a majority of all the votes cast for solicitor of the district court of Colbert and Lauderdale counties, was duly and constitutionally elected

solicitor for the district court of Colbert and Lauderdale counties for the term prescribed by law.
And the senate retired to its chamber.
And the house proceeded to the consideration of

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

s. 263. To provide for the refunding of taxes improperly paid.
Mr. Brewer offered an amendment;
Was was adopted.
The bill was read fche third time at length and passed—yeas 54, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Bain, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Burford, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cox, Davidson, Finch, Forman, Foster, Guthrie, Howle, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Long, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Parker, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Quarles, Ramsay, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Steele, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Wade, Webb, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.
s. 250. To prevent. stock from running at large in certain parts of Roanoke, beat No. 10, in Randolph county,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 56, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Amapon of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Foster, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Long, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Steele, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Watters, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.
s. 423. To fix the time ofholding the circuit courts in the counties of Randolph and Bibb, in the fifth judicial circuit of of Alabama,
The amendment offered by the committee was adopted, and the bill

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 55, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Almon, Amason of' Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Avery, Bain, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Brown, Burford, Clanton, Coleman, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of' Lamar, Edwards, Finch. Foster, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, IIowle, Jackson, Jones, Kelly, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Peitus, Powell, Rousseau, Scott, Screws, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker :

The senate has concurred in the reports of the conference committees on the bills :

H. 481. To provide for the support of the indigent soldiers and sailors of the late Confederate States army and navy who are now bona fide citizens of Greene, Limestone, Elmore, Lee, Franklin, Hale, Wilcox and Barbour counties, Alabama,

And

s. 219. To amend the charter of the city of Greenville and the various acts amendatory thereof.

And non-concurs in the house amendment to the bill

s. 88. To prohibit the selling, giving away, on otherwise disposing of alcoholic liquors within three miles of Hebron Baptist church in Pickens county ;

And asks a committee ot conference thereon.

Committee on the part of the senate—

Messrs. Cowan, Nesmith, and Handley.

And has amended as therein shown, and as amended has passed the bill:

H. 1039. To regulate the bonded indebtedness of Pickens and Tallapoosa counties;

H. 760, To establish a charter for the town of Albertville, in Marshall county, Alabama.

And has concurred in the house amendments to the bills :

s. 284. To prevent the running at large of stock in certain portions of Elmore county;

s. 418. To aulhorize the mayor and commissioners of

Troy, in Pike county, to erect and maintain or otherwise provide a system of water works for the city of Troy, and issue bonds in payment thereof in an amount not exceeding fifty thousand dollars.

W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE.

On motion—

The house acceded to the request of the senate for a conference committee on s. 88.

Committee on part of the house--

Messrs. Brown, Northington, and Blackwell.

The house concurred in the senate amendments to the following bills:

H. 1039. To regulate the bonded indebtedness of Pickens and Tallapoosa counties.

Yeas 57,nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bevis, Blackwell, Brown, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Forman, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Honry, Hill, Jackson, Johnson, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lewis, Long, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Parker, Peacock, Poole, Pnrifoy, Ramsay, Rousseau, Scott, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Watters, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

H. 760. To establish a charter for the town of Albertville, in Marshall county, Alabama.

Yeas 62, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Bass, Bevis, Blackwell, Brown, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Forman, Gass, Harrell, Hill, Hufham, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Long, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Peacock, Poole, Ramsay, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Steele, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

CONFERENCE REPORT.

Mr. Speaker :

The committe of conference on the disagreeing vote of the two houses on n. 481, beg leave to report that they have had the same underconsideration, and agree as follows, viz.:

That the senate recede from all its several amendments.

Respectfully submitted,
WM. SMAW,
W. BREWER,
R. T. BLACKWELL,
Managers on part of house.
W. A. HANDLEY,
J. W. INZER,
I. H. PARKS,
Managers on part of senate.

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The above conference report was concurred in.

Yeas 58, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bevis, Bishop, Brewer, Brown, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Foster, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hill, Huf'ham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Langley, Leigh, Leslie, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Pettus, Powell, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Simmons, Smith of Dallas, Steele, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Watters, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR

By Mr. Jones, recording secretary :

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR,

MOSTGOMERY, February 16, 1891.

To the House of Representatives :
In compliance wilh joint resolution certified to me this day I return herewith to the house, senate bill 406.

Thos. G. JONES,
Governor.

RECONSIDERATION.

By unanimous consent the vote by which

s. 406. For the relief of James E. Kennedy, sheriff of Dallas county,

Was passed, was reconsidered.

And the vote by which the bill was ordered to a thrid reading was reconsidered.

By unanimous consent, the vote by which the house amendment was adopted

Was reconsidered.

On motion—

The house amendment was laid on the table.

And the bill was read ihe third time at length and passed —yeas 58, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Avery, Bain, Barnett, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Foster, Gilchrist,Grathrie, Henry, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Long, Longshore, Moore of Madison, Nnlen, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Qnarles, I-lamsay, Rousseau, Sayre, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Steele, Townsend of Limestone, Wade, Webb, White Wilson, Young.

And the house resumed consideration of

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

s 117. To establish the city court of Gadsden,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 55, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Guthrie, Harris, Hufham, Jackson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Rousseau, Sayre, Srott, Surews, Smith of Russell, Sparkmau, Steele, Townsend of' Limestone, Webb, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.

s. 283. To establish a new charter for the town of Carrollton,
"Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 59, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Amason of Sumter, Arnason of Tallapoosa, Ayres, Bain, Bass, Bevis, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Foster, Guthrie, Hufham, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Scott, Simmons, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend ol'Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Yoiins.
s. 114. To incorporate the Alabama, Florida and Mississippi Railroad Company, and to further the construclion, of said railroad,
Was read the ihird time at length and passed—yeas 55, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Bain, Bevia, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Burfbrd, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Forman, Gass, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Howle, Johnson, Judge, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Lewis, Longshore, Moore of Baldwin, Moore ot' Madison, Nolen, Norlhington, Parker, Parks, Pettus, Ramsay, Rousseau, Scott, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of' Russell, Steele, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Wade, Watters, Webb, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.
s. 239. To incorporate Blount College in Blount county, Alabama,
Was read the third time at lenigth and passed—yeas 56, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Forman, Gordon, Harris, Hill, Howle, Johcson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee ofConecuh, Leslie, Lewis, Long;, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Parker, Peacock,

Poolp, Powell, Quarles, Rather, Scott, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Watters, Webb, White, Wood, Young.

s. 382. For the relief of persons who have paid for and taken out a liquor license for the year 1891 improperly;

The amendment was adopted,

And the bill was read the third time at length and passed —yeas 62, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Crews, Cox, Finch, Foster, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Howle, Jackson, Joinison, Jones, Judge, Kemp, Lane, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Lougshore, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pet.tus, Purifby, Q.uarles, Rather, -Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Simmons, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Pike, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

s. 445. To loan and appropriate the two and three per cent. fund now in the treasury,

Was taken up;

Mr. Sayre offered an amendment, which was adopted ;

Mr. Clements (Mr. Smith of Russell, in the chair,) offered the following amendment, which was lost:

Amend section 1 by adding thereto at end of the section the following:

Provided., That the Gulf and Chicago Railway Company shall have Six months from date of passage of this act in which to complete and properly file the papers, documents and statistics enumeratcd in this section, the action of storms and high water permitting, in which case the said railway company shall have added thereto the time so lost from causes aforesaid ; and,

Provided further, That no money, or payment out of said appropriation shall be made to the said railway company until the work provided in the foregoing section is completed and ready to be tnrned over to the chairman of the Commission hereinafter appointed, upon due and proper notification thereof.;

Strike ont section 2 and insert the following amendment:

Section 2. Be it further enacted That a commission of three is hereby appointed, consisting ot'the Hon. Thos. Seay

of Hale, county chairman, John T. Milner of Jefferson, and R. T. Simpson of Lauderdale, who shall serve without compensation until the said survey and information is completed, and the said Hon. Thos. Seay, chairman, shall have the general care, supervision and direction ofthe work enumerated in the foregoing section, until the same as herein provided is completed;

Amend further, by striking out all of'the present section 3 and insert the following :

Section 3. Be it further enacted, That the governor of Alabama shall, upon proper and due notification, by the Hon. Thos. Seay, chairman of the commission, asherein constituted, that the work as provided in section one has been completed, draw his warrant upon the treasurer of the State of Alabama for the sum of nine thousand dollars, the full amount of the appropriation named in this act, and upon the receipt of the papers, documents and effects as accepted by the chairman of this commission, shall pay the sum so named and embraced in said warrant, to the said Gulf and Chicago Railway Company, and thereafter the same shall become the property of the state;

Provided, That if either of the above named gentlemen shall fail to act, or a vacancy occur, the governor shall, by appointment, fill the vacancy;

And the bill was read the third time at length and passed —yeas 55, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Appleton, Avery, Bevis, Brewer, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Foster, Gass, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Hill, Jackson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Sayre, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan,Townsend of Limestone, Webb, White, Wood, Young.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

On a call of the committees, the following bills were reported favorable and severally read the second time:

s. 497. To fix the time of holding the chancery court in the county of Etowah, State of Alabama;

s. 329. To provide for making unknown heirs, devisees, joint owners, or tenants in common, parties to proceedings in the probate or chancery court for the division or sale of lands by executors or administrators or for the partition or sale for partition of lands among joint owners or tenants in common;
s. 498. To incorporate the Alabama Christian Missionary Convention;
s. 361. To require justices of the peace in Wilcox county to dispose of violations of law within their jurisdiction ;
s. 425. To incorporate the town of Vienna in the county of Pickens.
On motion,
s. 251. To provide for a chaplain for both houses of the general assembly of Alabama,
Was read the second time.
On motion, tne following bills were taken from adverse report and read the second time:
s. 310. To provide for heating, ventilating, lighting, repairing and furnishing the capitol and improving the capitol grounds;
s. 459. To provide for the collection, arrangement and display of the prodncts of the State of Alabama at the World's Columbian Exposition of 1893, and to make an appropriation therefor;
s. 444. To refund to Robert McKee certain moneys paid by him into the state treasury.

REPORT FROM COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Speaker ;
The committee on enrolled bills report the following bills correctly enrolled :
H. 341. To establish a new charter for the city of Troy, in Pike county;
H. 531. To ratify and confirm the organization of the Birmingham and Atlantic Railroad Company, aud to confirm and amend the charter thereof;
H. 842. To prevent stock from running at large in the several beats or parts of beats in Cherokee county ; to authorize elections tberein, and to provide for building and maintaining fences and gates;

H. 362. To authorize payment of account of the Brown Printing Company;
H. 518. To regulate trials by juries in the county court of Clarke county;
H. 890. To ratify and confirm the subscription to and organization and incorporation of the Gulf Coke and Coal Company, and to enlarge the powers of said company ;
H. 907. To reimburse C. J. Koss, sheriff of Pike county, for expenses incurred by him in going to Florida and removing one John BIue, a prisoner, from jail in Tallahassee, Florida, to Troy jail in Pike county, and for expenses in capturing one Johnson Ellis, charged with murder, who was tried and convicted, and is now serving a life sentence in the penitentiary of this state ;
H. 1028. To pay f'or articles purchased for the use of the senate and house of representatives, and for repairing the senate chamber and the hall ot the house of representatives, and for repairing and furnishing the rooms of the engrossing and enrolling clerks of the house of representatives;
H. 953. For the relief of Gay, Hardie & Co. ;
H. 686. To amend an act e'ilitled an act to prphibit the sale, giving away, or otherwise disposing of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, within one-half mile of the City Mission church and the Corinthian Baptsst church m Mobile county, and other places named therein, and known as the "Omnibus Liquor Bill," approved December 10, 1890;
H. 752. To protect the public property at Hayneville;
H. 868. To divest the title, interest and estate of the State of Alabama of certain land in Talladega county and invest the same in Drusilla Lawler ;
H. 1056. To provide clerical assistance for the supreme court;
H. 596. To legalize the marriage of William H. Bottom and Mary J. Bottom, the widow of John Bottom, deceased;
H. 316. To declare Clarke Frizzle and W. C. Frizzle, liners between the conties of Bullock and Montgomery, citizens of Montgomery county ;
H. 128. To amend aection 4301 of the code;
H. 254. To aniend sectioii 4429 of the code of Alabama;
H. 649. To rel'und to William Mastin, of Elmore county, thirty-one 75-100 dollars wrongtully paid by him as taxes to the state.

C. C. RATHER,
Chairman.

SIGNING OF BILLS.

The Speaker of the House, in the presence of the house, immediately after their titles had been publicly read by the clerk, signed the bills, the titles of' which are set out in the foregoing report of the cominittee on enrolled bills.
At 1:30 p. m. the house adjourned till 3 p. m. to-day.

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AFTERNOON SESSION.

The house met pursuant to adjourmnent.
A quorum was present.

SPECIAL ORDER.

s. 58. To amend the charter of' tlie city of Montgomery and the various acts amendatory thereof.
Messrs. Hill, Sayre and Screws offered amendments,
Which were adopted, and the bill
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 60, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker. Adams, AIexander, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Blackwell, Brown, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Davidson, Davis of'Lamar, Finch, Foster, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Hill, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Parker, Pettus, Powell, Quarles, Rather, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Smaw, Smith of' Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of' Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Soung.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE.

Mr. Speaker :
The joint committee ofthe senate and the house to inquire into the propriety of a reconsideration of'the matter of final adjournment of the General Assembly of Alabama, ask leave to report, in their opinion,

That the recess of one day hitherto advised is sufficient, and that the final adjournment take place at the time indicated.

S. S. SCOTT,
A. M. AVEKY,
W. W. QUARLES,
Committee on part of House.
L. D. GODFKEY,
J. C. COMPTON,
Committee on part of Senate.

The above report was adopted, and the committee discharged.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE OF CONFEBENCE.

Mr. Speaker:

The committee of conference of the two houses to whom was referred the bill

s 354. To be entitled an act to better provide for establishing and working the public roads in this state ;

Have had the same under consideration, and recommend that the senate do concur in the house amendments.

D. J. MEADOR,
PHILIP A. WOOD,
G. A. NORTHINGTON,
House Committee.
M. L. STANSEL,
I. H. PARKS,
L. D. GODFREY,
Senate Committee.

The above conference report was concurred in.

Yeas 56, nays 0.

Yeas--Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bevis, Bishop, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Claylon, Coleman, Cornelius, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Forman, Crordon, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Young.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker :
The senate has non-concurred in the house amendment to the bill
s. 200. To regulate the planting and taking of oysters from the waters of Alabama;
And concurs in the house amendments to the bills:
s. 423. To fix the time of holding the circuit courts in the counties of Randolph and Bibb in the fifth judicial circuit of' the state of Alabama ;
s. 382. For the relief of persons who have paid for and taken out a liquor license fbr the year 1891, improperly ;
s. 263. To provide for the refunding of taxes improperly paid.

W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE.

On motion—
The house insisted on its amendment to the bill
s. 200. To regulate the planning and taking of oysters from the waters of Alabama,
And asked .tbr a committee of conference thereon.
Committee on part of the honse—
Messrs. Lewis, Brewer, and Foster.
And the house resumed consideration of

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

s. 241. To authorize and empower the mayor and aldermen of the city of Hnntsville to improve and repairthe sidewalks of the city of Huntsville, Alabama, at the cost of parties whose property abuts such sidewalks,
VVas read tne third time at length and passed—yeas 56, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Almon, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bass, Bevis, Brown, Burford, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Finch, Forman, Foster, Guthrie, Harrell, Hill, Howle, Jackson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh,

Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Sayre, Simmons, Steele, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, Wilson, Youiig.

s. 259. To relieve George T. Preer, of Lee county, Alabama, of the disabilities of non-age.

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 55, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Avery, Bain, Bass, Bevis, Brewer, Brown, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Cox, Davidson, Finch, Forman, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Howle, Furham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leslie, Long, Longshore, Moore of' Madison, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Smith of Dallas, Sparkman, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Wade, Watlers, Webb, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

s. 239. To incorporate Blount College, in Blount county, Alabama,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 56, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lomar, Finch, Forman, Gordon, Hill, Howle, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leslie, Lewis. Long, Loneshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Parker, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Quarles, Rather, Scott, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Watters, Webb, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker:

The senate has adopted a joint resolution herewith sent relative to the return by the Governor of house bill 658. And has amended as therein shovvn, and as amended has passed tho bill

H. 1020. To establish and provide for the maintenance of

a quarantine by improved methods against yellow fever and other infectious and contagious diseases into the State of Alabama.

W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The house concurred in the senate amendment to the bill H. 1020. To eslablish and provide for the maintenance of aquarantine by improved methods against yellow fever and other infectious and contagious diseases into the State of Alabama.
Yeas 47, nays 16.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, A.lmon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Avery, Ayres, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Gilchrist, Hill, Howle, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Loveless, Northington, Parker, Parks, Powell Quarles, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Serews, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sullivan, Tucker of Lauderdale, White.
Nays—Messrs. Adams, Appleton, Bain, Barnett, Brewer, Cornelius, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Forman, Gordon, Hufham, Leigh, Peacock, Poole, Townsend ot Pike, and Wood.
On motion, the senate joint resolution was tabled.

RESOLUTION.

Mr. Harrell offered the following resolution, which was adopted :
Resolved, That the senate be requested to return to the house, senate bill .No. 219 for the purpose amendment.

CONFERENCE REPORT.

Mr. Speaker:

The conference committee to whom was referred the disagreement between the two houses on the amendments made to senate bill 88, have had the same under consideration and recommend :

1st. That the house recede from its amendment which includes "Sanderson's Chapel, in Lawrence county or within two miles thereof."
2d. Amend the bill by incliiding the following:
"Or within two miles of Soule Chapel, M. E. Church, South, in Preston beat, Sumter county."
3d. Amend as follows:
“Provided, That the prohibition as to Oak Grove and Emory Chapel churches, in Pickens county, shall not take effect until July, 1891."
4th. Amend by striking out the words,
“Within f'our miles of the Bullock Baptist church, in Crenshaw county, and insert, "within two miles of Mt. Zion Baptist church in beat No. 10, in Crenshaw county."

J. R. COWAN,
W. A. HANDLEY,
W. W. NESMITH
Senate committee.
H. H. BROWN,
R. T. BLACKWELL,
Q. A. .NORTHINGTON,
House committee.

The above conference report was concurred in.
Yeas 55, nays 1.
Yeas—Messrs. Amason of Sumter, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Bevis, Blackwell, Brown, C'lanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Gass, Gulhrie, Harris, Hill, Hufham, Jackson, Jones, Kelly, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Quarles, Ramsay, Rousseau, Sayre, Seott, Simmons, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Steele, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters. Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Young.
Nay—Mr. Judge.
And the house resumed consideration of

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

s. 323. To extend the power and jurisdiction of the city of Birmingham over and about the fair grounds in the vicinity of said city, in the county of Jefferson, known as the fair grounds of the Birmingham Fair Association, and em-

power the corporate authorities of said city to authorize, regulate and license any business on said fair grounds, during the holding of any fair, exposition or races that may be authorized, regulated or licensed by said city witlnn the corporate limits thereof.

Mr. Henry offered the following amendment which was lost :

Amend by adding to the end of the —— section, the following:

Provided that nothing in this act contained shall be construed as repealing or impairing the existing laws prohibiting the sale of various spirituous or malt liquors in said territory, or as authoriting the sale of vinoiis, spiriiuous or malt liqnors on said fair grounds.

Yeas 31, nays 31.

Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Alexander, Almon, Appleton, Blackwell, Buck, Coleman, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Forman, Foster, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Kemp, Langley, Leigh, Loveless, Northington, Parks, Powell, Purifoy, Sayre, Sparkman, Townsend of Limestone, Wood, Wilson, Young.

Nay——Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Sumter, Avery, Ayres, Bevis, Brown, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Gass, Harrell, Lane, Lee of Barbour, Leslie, Long, Moore of' Madison, Nolen, Parker, Poole, Rather, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Steele, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White.

The bill has read the third time at length and passed— yeas 52, nays 7.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Avery, Ayres, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Forman, Foster, Harrell, Howle, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Lane, Lee of Barbour, Leslie, Long, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Pettus, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rousseau, Sayre, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Townsend ot' Limestone, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Young.

Nays—Messrs. Almon, Bain, Davis of Lamar, Guthrie, Henry, Loveless, Wilson.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

The senate has concurred in the report of the conference committee on the bill

s. 88. To prohibit the selling, giving away or otherwise disposing of alcoliolic liquors within three miles of Hebron Baptist charch in Pickens county and other places therein named,

And has reconsidered the vote by which it concurred in the conference report on s. 219, and the conference report has been withdrawn from the senate. The bill is returned herewith to the house.

The senate has adopted resolutions requesting the return to the senate from the house of H. B. 658 and H. B. 681.

W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE.

On motion the house acceded to the request of the senate for the return to the senate of H. 658 aud H. 681.

On motion of' Mr. Harrell the house reconsidered the vote by which it concurred in the conference report on s. 219, and Mr. Harrell obtained leave to withdraw from the house the conference report on said bill,

And the house resumed consideration of

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

s. 455. To create a separate school district in the county of St. Clair to be called “Cook Springs" public school district and to define the boundaries thereof,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 62, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Bass, Bevis, Blackwell, Brown, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Forman, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Hill, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Parker, Pea-Cock, Pettus, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Townsend of Limestone,Watters, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Young.

s. 378. To incorporate the Montgomery Loan and Trust Cornpany,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 57, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Alexander, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Harrell, Hill, Howle, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Pettus, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Screws, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Townsend oi'Limestone, ïucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker:

The senate has concurred in the house amendment to the bills:

s. 445. To loan and appropriate the two and thrce per cent f'und now in the treasury;

s. 471. To require the money paid by all persons for state and county license in Walker county, to retail liquor in the year 1889, to be refended to such persons or their legal repsentatives when the use of suuh licenses was prevented by prohibitory acts of the legislature,

And non-concurs in the house amendments to the bill

s. 58. To amend tlie charter of the city of Montgomery and the various acts amendatory thereof,

And accedes to the request of the house for a committee of conference on the bill,

s. 200. To regulate the planting and taking of oyslers in the waters of Alabarna.

Committee on the part of the senate, Messrs. Handley, Williams and Nesmith.

W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE.

On motion the house insisted on its amendments to

s. 58. To amend the charter of ths city of' Montgomery and the various acts amendatory thereof,

And requested a conference committee thereon,

Committee on part of the house, Messrs. Hill, Sayre and Screws.

And the house resumed consideration of

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

s. 297. To grant certain rights-of-way to the Montgomery and Sylacauga Railroad Company,

Was read the third line at length and passed—yeas 54, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Alexander, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Bass, Burford, Clayton, Coleman, Crews, Davidson, Forman, Foster, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Howle, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of' Baldwin, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Watters, Whatley, White, Wlison, Young.

s. 405. To amend section (3) three, four (4), seven (7) eight (8), eleven (11), twelve (12), and thirteen (13) of an act to incorpnrate the town of Dadeville, in Tallapoosa county, approved January 16, 1879,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 55, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Ayres, Bain, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Forman, Gass, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harris, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Oonecuh, Leslie, Lewis, Longshore, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Scott, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Steele, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Whatley,White, Wilson, Young.

s. 490. To establish an Industrial School in the State of Alabama for the destitute children, descendants of Confederate soldiers and sailors,

Was read the third time at length and lost—yeas 56, nays 0.

Yeas—-Messrs. Adams, Alnion, Aniaaon of Sumter, Amason ot Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Bass, Bishop, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman,

Cooper, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Forman, Gass, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Lewis, Lougshore, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Quarles, Raiusay, Sayre, Scott, Simmons, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Rnssell, Sparkman, Steele, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Webb, Whatley, Wilson, Young.

s. 471. To require the money paid by all persons for state and county license in Walkercounty to retail liquor in the year 1889, to be refunded to such persons or their legal representative when the use of such licenses was prevented by prohjbitory acts of the legislature,

Was taken up.

And amended, and

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 58, nays 3.

Yeas—Messrs. Alexander, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Fornian, Foster, Gilchrist, Harrell, Harris, Howle, Johnson,Jones, Judge, Kelly, Lane, Langley, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Long. Longshore, Moore of Madison, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rousseau, Screws, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Steele, Townsend of Limestone, Watters, Whatley, Wilson.

Nays—Messrs. Adams, Kemp, Scott.

s. 194. For the relief of W. L. Rowe, sheriff of Tallapoosa county,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 58, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adamp, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Burfbrd, Clayton, Cooper, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Foster, Gordon, Harrell, Harris, Hill, Howle, Jackson, Jones, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leslie, Long, Lovelers, Moore of' Madison, Northington, Parker, Peacock, Powell, Qnarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Screws, Srnith of Dallas, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Wade, Whatley, Wood, Young.

s. 300. To incorporate the town of River Falls, in Covington county, Alabama, and to authorize it to cut a canal, and issue bonds for certain purposes,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 62, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Averv, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Forman, Foster, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Long, Longshore, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Steele, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Wade, Watters, Webb, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

s. 454. To authorize the mayor and council of Dadeville to issue bonds of said city for an amount nof'. exceeding five thousand dollars for the purpose of purchasing a lot in said city and erecting and improving school buildings thereon,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 59, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, AIexander, Amason of Sumter, Amason of ïaiïapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Barnett, Bass, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cornelius, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Foster, Gass, Gathrie, Harrell, Harris, Hill, Howle, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leslie, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Quarles, Ramsay, Roussean, Simmons, Smith of Dallas, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Walters, Webb, Wliite, Wood, Wilson, Young.

s. 110. To amend sections 19 and 20 of the code of 1886,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 57, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Clayton. Coleman, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Foster, Gass, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Howle, Jackson, Judge, Kelly, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Parks, Poole, Powell, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Scott, Screws, Smith of Dallas, Sparkman, Steele, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Young.

s. 154. To amend section 3216 of the code,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 53, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Appleton, Avery, Bain, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clayton, Coleman, Davis of Fayette, Forman, Foster, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Howle, Hufhain, Jackson, Judge, Kelly, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Ramsay, Scott, Srnith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Landerdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, White, Wilson, Young.
s. 487. To incorporate the Alabama Iron and Steel Company,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 37, nays 17.
Yeas—Me-ssrs. Speaker, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Gass, Gilchrist, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Judge, Kelly, Lee of' Conecuh, Lewis ,Lewis, Long, Parks, Sayre, Screws, Smilh of Russell, Steele, Townsend of Pike, Wood, Young.
Nays—Messrs. Barnett, Clayton, Coleman, Kelly, Longshore, Loveless, Northington, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Qnarles, Kather, Scott, Tucker of Crenshaw, Webb, Wilson.

RESOLUTIONS

Mr. Brewer offered the following resolution, by unanimous consent:
Resolved by the house, the senate conferring: That the governor be requested to return to the liouse, house bills 741 and 1069.
Which was, on motion, tabled.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker:
The president of the senate having signed the following bills, your signature thereto is requested :

s. 388. To establish a charter for Alabama City, in Etowah county, Alabama;
s. 274. To legalize the marriage of James H. Hafley and Sarah A. Halley, citizens of the county of Limestone, State of Alabama;
s. 90. For the relief of C. D. Martin and others;
s. 446. To amend section twoof an act entitled an act to amend the charter of the Stonewall Insurance Company of Mobile, nnd extend the provisions thereof, approved February 17, 1885;
s. 344. To incorporate the Mobile Transportation Company, and to define the powers of said company.

W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

REPORT FROM COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Speaker:
The committee on enrolled bills report the following bills correctly enrolled:
H. 891. To inccrporate the Alabama, Florida and Chattanooga Railway CJompany;
H. 886. To constitute a separate school district, to be known as the Flint school district, 111 the county of Morgan, and Stateof Alabama, and for the appointment of a board of trustees therefor, and a levy of special tax;
H. 707. To incorporale the town of Springville, with the boundaries hereinafter designated, and to establish a new charter for said town;
H. 357. To prohibit the payment or allowance of claims against the estate of decedents, which have been barred by the statute of limitations in the life ot such decedent;
H. 256. To amend section one of an act to prohibit the sale, or giving away of spirituous or vinous liquors within one mile of Spring Hill church, in Pike county, Alabama, approved February 25th,1875 ;
H. 700. To create and establish a new beat in Lee county, Alabama, to be known and designated as beat No. 14 in said county, having as a precinct, or voting place, Smith's station.
H. 538. To approprihte the sum ot' ten thousand dollars to be expended in the maintenance and improvement of the Medical College of' Alabama. under tlie direction of the board of trustees thereof;

n. 622. To amend sections 4068 and 4069 of the code of Alabama;
H. 601. To make an appropriation for the expenses of encampments of Alabama state troops, for the years 1891 and 1892;
H. 497. To authorize the corporate authorities of the city of Gadsden, to release and surrender the option of the city of Gadsden to redeem the bonds that have been issued by the said corporate authorities known and designated as "sanitary bonds," and to authorize said corporate authorities to issue the remainder of the one hundred thousand dollars of said bonds authorized by act of the general assembly of Alabama, approved February 28, 1887, and also, by act amendatory thereof, approved February 28, 1889, to run no longer than thirty years, approved February, 18, 1889 ;
H. 684. To amend section 4887 (4927) (4459) of the code, so f'ar as the same relates to Sumter county;
H. 1066. To incorporate te the Evergreen Industrial Normal scliool;
H. 226. To amend an act relating to the trials of misdemeanors in Tuskaloosa and other counties therein named, in so far as the same relates to Tuskaloosa county;
H. 69. To amend the charter of the city of Uniontown, county of Perry, State of Alabama;
H. 310. To allow appeals to the supreme court from decisions ot the city and circuit courts in this state, granting or refusing to grant motions for new trials;
H. 1084. To authorize the commissioners of the “Huntsville State Colored Normal and Industrial school" to sell the real property of the school located on Clinton street in the city of Huntsville, Alabama, and re-invest the proceeds of such sale in real estate in or near the city of Huntsville, Alabama;
H. 1069. To authorize the board of mayor and aldermen of the town of Dothan to negotiate a loan for the purpose of improving, grading and draining the streets, avenues and alleys of said town, establisliiug water works, fire department, electric light plant, and the paynient of the towns indebtedness, and for other various improvements of said town;
H. 491. To prevent hogs from running at large in certain portions of Madison county ;
H. 844. To amend an aet entitled an act to prevcnt stock from running at. large in the several beats in Tallapoosa and

Coosa coundes and to authorize an election thereon, approved February 26th, 1887;
H. 751. To confirm, ratify and amend the charter of the Gurleys and Paint Rock Valley Railroad Company ;
H. 401. To provide for the more effecient working, keeping up, repairing and improving the public roads, and bridges in the county of Morgan ; to locate, construct and build within the limits of the county, a system of pnblic roads of a superior grade, to be known and designated as “county roads;"
H. 1092. To authorize the town of Dothan to levy and collect license taxes upon professions, occupations, vocations and businesses practiued or engaged in within said town ;
H. 1068. To regulate the fine and the forfeiture fund in Tallapoosa county, Alabama;
H. 553. To provide a new charter for thetown of Rnssellville;
H. 944. To prescribe and regulate the purcluise of supplies for the several county offices, court-house, jail, alms-house and convict camp of Jefferson county;
C. C. RATHER,
Chairman.

SIGNING OF SENATE AND HOUSE BILLS.

The speaker of the house, in the presence of the house, immediately arter their titles had been publicly read by the clerk, signed the bills the titles of which are set out in foregoing report of the committee on enrolled bills, and the foregoing sehate inessage.
At 6 p. m. the house adjourned till 7:30 p. m. to day.

NIGHT SESSION.

The house met pursuanfc to adjournment.
A qnorum was present.
The house proceeded to consider

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

s. 248. To establish and define the corporate limits of the city of Gadsden,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 61, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker. Adams, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Avery, Bain, Barnett, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Forman, Gass, Gordon, Harrell, Henry,Hill, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Judge, Kemp-Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Qnarles, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend ot' Pike, Tucke-of Lauderdale, Wade. Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Young.

s. 389. To incorporate the Alabama Locomotive Company,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 59, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Araiistead, Avery, Ayree, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Forman, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Hill, Jackson, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Poole, Purifoy, Qaarles, Rather, Rousseau, Screws, Simmons, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Pike, Tucker ot Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker:

The senate has reconsidered the votes by which the bill H. 658. To amend the charter of the town ot Greensboro, Alabama, and acts ameiidina: the same,

Was passed and ordered to a third reading and has amended and passed the bill,

And has amended and passed the bills

H. 681. To incorporate the town of' Seddon in St. Clair county and to establish a charter for the government thereof;

H. 748. To incorporate the Southern Steel Company.

W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The house concurred in the senate amendments to the following bills :
H. 658. To amend the charter of the town of Greensboro, Alabama, and the acts amending the same ;
Yeas 58, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Amason of Sumter, Appleton, Avery, Bain, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Coleman, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Forman, Gass, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Kelly, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Northington, Parker, Patks, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rousseau, Scott, Simmons, Sparkman, Sullivan, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, White, Wilson, Young.
Also,
H. 681. To incorporate the town of Seddon in St. Clair county, and to establish a charter for the government thereof;
Yeas 55, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Almon, Appleton, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Coleman,Cooper, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Finch, Forman. Foster, Harrell, Hill, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peltus, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rousseau, Scott, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Watters, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.
Also,
H. 748. To incorporate the Southern Steel Company;
Yeas 59, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Ayres, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cox, Davidson, Davis ot Lamar, Finch, Forman, Gass, Harrell, Harris, Hill, Howle, Johnson, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northing-

ton, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Ramsay, Rather, Smaw, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

By Mr. Jones, recording secretary.

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR,
MONTGOMERY, February 16th, 1891.

To the House of Representatives :

I return herewith without my approval, and for the re consideration required by the constitution, house bill 886, "To be entitled an act to constitute a separate school district to be known as the Flint school district in the county of Morgan, and State of Alabama, and for the appointment of a board of trustees therefor and a levy of' a special tax."

This bill constitutes a separate school district out of a portion of the territory of Morgan county, and appoints five persons a board of trustees to manage aud control the schools. The l0th section provides that said board of trustees "shall have power to levy an annual tax for school purposes, not to exceed one-half of one per cent on all real and personal property within the bounds of the district," and to appoint tax collectors and tax assessors to assess and collect the tax.

In the case of Schultes vs. Eberly, 82 Alabama 242, the supreme court decided, that a board of trustees organized substantially as provided in this act, "though a public corporation for some purposes, is not a municipal corporation, and that the provisions contained in the act giving the trustees power to levy a tax for school purposes is violative of the constitution."

However much I may regret that our fundamental law does not permit such taxation, there is no alternative left me but to support the constitution, by returning the bill with my objections thereto.

THOS. G. JONES,
Governor.

And the house proceeded to reconsider the bill, H. 886,
And the bill was lost.

Nays 60, yeas 0.
Nays—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Cooper, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Forman, Foster, Gordon, Harrell, Hill, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wilson, Youug.

CONFERENCE REPORT.

Mr. Speaker:
The joint committee of conference upon the disagreement of the two houses upon the house amendments to senate bill 219, recommend the adoption of the house amendments to the bill.
N. STALLWORTH,
L. W. GRANT,
JOHN W. INZER,
Committee of Senate.
Louis HARRELL,
G. W. WHITE,
J. V. SMITH,
Committee of House.
The above conference report was concurred in.
Yeas 56, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Ooleman, C'ox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Forman, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Hill, Hufham, Jackson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Coneuuh, Leslie, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Moore of Madison, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Purifoy, Quarles, Rousseau, Screws, Smaw, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Watters, Webb, White, Wilson, Young.

CONFERENCE REPORT.

Mr. Speaker:

The conference committee to whom was referred the disagreement of the two houses on senate amendments to house bill No. 598, have had the same under consideration, and recommend as follows:
First, that the house concnr in the senate amendments striking out Wilcox and Conecuh counties.
Second, that tbe house concur in the senate amendments adding the counties of Macon, Talladega and Bullock, and beat 9 of Hale county.
Third, that the senate amendment addmg Perry county, be amended so as to include only Oak Grove, Perryville and Radfordville beats in Perry county.
W. W. QUARLES,
G. P. WHITE,
T. K. JONES,
On the part of the House.
W. D. DOWNEY,
W. M. LACKEY,
NORFLEET HARRIS,
On the part of the Senate.
The above conference report was concurred in.
Yeas 58, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Forman, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Judge, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Long, Loveless, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Scotl, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone,Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.
And the house resumed consideration of .

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

s. 262. To extend the corporate limits of the cify of

Montgomery, in the State of Alabama, and to provide for dividing said limits into wards,
Was read the third tiine at length and passed—yeas 54, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa. Appleton, Ayres, Bain, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Brewer, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Forman, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hill, Huf ham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Quarles, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Smith of Dallas, Sparkman, Sullivan, Townsend of Pike, Walters, Whatley, Young.

RECONSIDERATION.

s. 36. To make the office of commissioner of agriculture elective,
Was taken up.
The vote by which the bill was passed and ordered to a third reading was, by unanimous consent, reconsidered.
The vote by which the following amendment was adopted was, by unanimous consent, reconsidered :
Amend by adding to section one of the bill the following,
“Provided, That the present commissioner shall continue in office until his successor is elected and qualified, and the present commissioner shall continue in office until the 1st day of December, 1892, when his Bnccessor shall be qualified."
And, on motion, said amendment was laid upon the table, and the bill
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 65, nays 2.
Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Forman, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Lons, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Northington, Parker, Parks, Pettus, Poole, Purifoy, Quarles. Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Smith of Russell,

Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend ot Pike, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.
Nays—Messrs. Almon, and Finch.
s. 24. To protect chickens and other poultry on the premises in the night time,
Was taken up.
By unanimous consent—
The vote by which the bill was passed and ordered to a third reading was reconsidered.
Mr. Sullivan offered an amendment;
Which was adopted, and the bill
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 33, nays 20.
Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Buck, Davis of Fayette, Gass, Harrell, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Parker, Pettus, Poole, Purifoy, Quarles, Rousseau, Scott, Screws, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade.
Nays—Messrs. Adams, Avery, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Coleman, Cox, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Forman, Howle, Long, Longshore, Northington, Parks, Sayre, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.
And the honse resumed consideration of

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

s. 467. To amend section 677 of the code of Alabama,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 61, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Ayres, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Forman, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Hill, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Kelly, Kemp, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Pettus, Poole, Purifoy, Quarles, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Townsend of Limestone, Townspnd of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.
s. 289. To designate the officers at the penitentiary walls,

to provide for their appointment, removal, and compensation,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 58, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Appleton, Ayres, Bevis, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Forman, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Johnson, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Norfchington, Parker, Pettus, Poole, Purifoy, Quarles, Rousseau, Scott, Screws, Smaw, Sparkman, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker :
The senate has non-concurred in the report of the conference committee on the bill,
s. 200. To regulate the planting and taking of oysters from the waters of Alabama;
Has discharged the committee, and appointed a new committee of conference.
Committee on the part of the senate—
Messrs. Wiley, Haudley, and Williams,
And requests the appointment of a new committe on the part of' the House

And has amended as therein shown, and as amended has passed the bill
H. 514. To permit the proprietor of Shelby Springs to sell spirituous, viuous or malt liquors on his premises during the summer;
And concurs in the house amendments to the bill
s. 24. To protect chickens and other poultry on the premises in the night tiine ;
And has concurred in the second report of the conference committee on the bill
s. 219. To amend the charter of the city of Greenville and the various acts amendalory thereof;
Aud accedes to the request of the house for a committee of conference on the bill

s. 58. To amend tlie charter of the city of Montgomery and the various acts amendatory thereof.

Committee on the part of the senate—

Messrs. Wiley, Compton, and Hundley.

And has amended and passed the bill

H. 11. To establlsh a separate school district in Dale county, to be known as Dean's School District.

W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The house concurred in the senate amendments to the following bills:

H. 514. To permit the proprietor of Shelby Springs to sell spirituous, vinous or malt liquors on his premises during the summer.

Yeas 54, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar. Forman, Gass, Guthrie, Hufham, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Screws, Simmons, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Towusend of Limestone, Wade, Watters, Webb, White, Wilson, Young.

Also,

H. 11. To establish a separate school district in Dale county, to be known as Dean's School District.

Yeas 55, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Adams , Almon , Amason of' Sumter, Amason of' ïallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Bevis,Bishop,Blackwell, Brewer, Burford, Clanton,Coleman, Cooper, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Finch, Gass, Guthrie. Harris, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Kelly, Kemp, Langiey, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Peitus, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Simmons, Steele, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Whatley, Wood.

CONFERENCE REPORT.

Mr. Speaker:

Your committee of conference on the disagreement of the two houses to house amendment to senate bill No. 200, have had the matter under consideration, and beg leave to report as follows:

We recommend that the senate concur in the house amendment.

W. S. LEWIS,

W. BREWER,

J. M. FOSTER,

Committee on part of House.

DAN WILLIAMS,

W. W. NESMITH,

Committee on part of Senate.

On motion—

The house non-concurred in the above conference report.

The committee was discharged, and a new conference committee consisting of

Messrs. Kelly, Brown, and Long,

Was appointed.

And the house resumed consideration of

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

s. 461. To ratify the consolidation of' the Mobile and Mississippi River Railroad Company wilh the Mississippi River and Mexican Gulf Railroad Company, under the name ot'the Mobile, Wesson and Mississippi Rivei Railroad Company,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 59, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Bain, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Forman, Gass, Guthrie, Harris, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Nolen, Nortbington, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Quarles, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Smith of Russell. Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White. Wood, Wilson, Young.

s. 369. To require the counly treasnrer of Winston county to register all claims against the county which have not heretofore been registered as required by law,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 55, nays 0.
Yeas—Mess.s Almon, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Forman, Gass, Henry, Hill, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leslie, Lewis, Parker, Parks, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Scerws, Simmons, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.
s. 456. To increase the fees ofjustices of the peace and notaries public having like powers in the county of Autauga,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 57, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Almon. Amason of Tallapoosa, Avery, Ayres, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton. Clayton, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Lewis, Long, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus,Powell, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.
s. 458. To authorize railroad companies chartered under the laws of the state of Alabama, whose capital stock is owned by a railroad corporation chartered under the laws of another state to sell to such corporation owning its slock all of its property, road-bed, rights and franchises,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 52, nays 2.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Coleman, Cooper, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Gass, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Hufham, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rather, Roussean, Screws, Sparkman, Steele, Sul-

livan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.
Nays—Messrs. Clayton, Tucker of Crenshaw.
s. 269. To make an appropriation for the benefit of the State Agricultural Society for the year 1891,
Mr. Lee of Barbour offered the following amendment, which was tabled,
Amend by adding to the end of section 1, the following words, to-wit: "Provided that said twenty-five hundred dollars shall be applied to the liquidation of the indebtedness against said agricultural society now existing and to no other purpose.
Mr. Long moved to table the bill.
Carried
Yeas 35, nays 25.
Yeas.—Messrs. Alnion, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Ayres, Bass, Coleman, Cooper, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Forman,Guthrie, Harrell, Hill, Johnson, Langley, Leigh, Lons, Loveless, Norlhington, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Purifoy, Rather, Rousseau, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.
Nays—Messrs. Speaker, Avery, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Clanton, Finch, Henry, Hufham, Lane, Lee of Barbour, Lewis, Longshore, Nolen, Parker, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Sparkman Steele, Townsend of Limestone, Webb, White.
s. 463. To prohibit justices of the peace and notaries public with the jurisdiction of justices of the peace from sen tencing defendants to hard labor for costs,
Was read tne third time at length and passed—yeas 52, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Ayres, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clayton, Cooper, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Gutlirie, Harrell, Henry, Hill, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Judge, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Sparkman, Steele, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Webb, Wood, Young.

CONFERENCE REPORT.

Mr. Speaker:
Your committee of conference on the disagreement of the two houses to house amendments to senate bill No. 200, have had the matter under consideration and beg leave to report the following amendment to said house amendment, viz : Strike out llie word "five" wliere tlie same occurs in said amendment and insert in lieu thereof the word "ten," and as thus amended recommend the adopfcion of the house amendment.

A. A. WILEY,
DAN WlLLIAMS,
V. A. HASDLEY,
On part of Senate.
M. B. KELLY,
H. N. BROWN,
T. L. LONG,
On part of House.

The above report was concurred in.
Yeas 55, nays 0.
Messrs. Speaker, Adams. Almon, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Howle, Jones, Kelly, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Nolen, Norlhington, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Kamsay, Rousseau, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan. Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of' Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Whatley.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker :
The senate has concurred in the report of the conference committee on the bill
s. 200. To regulate the planting and taking of oysters from the waters of Alabama,
And requests the return of H. 309.

W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The house acceded to the request of the senate for the return of H. 309,
And the house resumed consideration of

BILLS ON THIRD BEADING.

s. 237. To amend certain sections of' the charter of the town of Oxford, and to give said town of Oxford power to isssue bonds,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 53, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs Speaker, Almon, Appleton, Ayres, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Forman, Gordon, Harrell, Harris, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Baldwin, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rather, Rousseau, Screws, Smith of Dallas, Sparkman, Sullivan, White, Wilson, Young.
s. 65. To provide for the assessment of state and county taxes on property witoin the corporate limits of the city of' Anniston,
Was read fche third time at leugth and passed—yeas 52, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bass, Bevis, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Cooper, Davis of' Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Hill, Kelly, Langley, Lee of Barbonr, Lee of Conecuh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Pnritby, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Scott, Smaw, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.
s. 48. To repeal section 3210 and to amend sections 3211, 3212, 3214, 3215, 3216 and 3217 of the code relating to the condemnalion of' lands Ibr public uses,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 30, nays 22.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Appleton, Avery, Barnett. Bass, Bishop, Brewer, Brown, Coleman. Cooper, Cox, Davis of

Fayette, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Kelly, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Parks, Peacock, Pettus,Powell,Purifoy, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Sparkman, Steele, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade.

Nays—Messrs. Adams, Almon, Bevis, Blackwell, Buck, Clanton, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Forman, Guthrie, Harris, Hill, Johnson, Langley, Parker, Sayre, Screws, Simmons, Tucker of Lauderdale, Whatley, Yonng.

s. 403. To confirm the incorporation and organization of the Gadsden and Attalla Union Railway Company,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 55, nays 1.

Yeas—Messrs. Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Cooper, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Davis of Winston, Finch, Foster, Gass, Gordon, Guthrie, Harris, Howle, Jackson, Jones, Kelly, Lane, Langley, Leigh, Leslie, Long, Longshore, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Ramsay, Rousseau, Screws, Simmons, Sparkman, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

Nay—Mr. Clayton.

s. 464. To incorporate the Alabama City Land and Development Company,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 58, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Bain, Bass, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Burford, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette. Davis of Lamar, Finch, Forrnan, Gordon, Harrell, Henry, Hill, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Langley, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock. Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Sayre,Scott, Screws, Smaw, Steele, Sullivan, Wade, Webb, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker :

The senate has amended as therein shown,and as amended has passed the biil;

H. 309. To fix the compensation of the sheriff of Calhoun county for ex-officio services.

W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The house concurred in tlie senate amendment to
11. 309. To fix the compensation of the sheriff of Calhoun county, for ex-officio services ;
Yeas 53, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Forman, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Kelly, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Screws, Simmons, Steele, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Young.
And the house resumed consideration of

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

s. 252. To authorize justices of the peace and notaries public with ex-officio powers as justice of the peace in beats 16, 17 and 22 Jefferson county to exercise exclusive jurisdiction in said beats ;
On motion of Mr. Long, the bill was tabled.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker:

The president of the senate having signed the following bills, your signature thereto is requested:
s. 406. For the relief of' James E. Kennedy, sheriff of Dallas county;
s. 323. To extend the police power and jurisdiction of the city of Birmingham over and about the fair grounds in the vicinity of said city in the county of'Jefferson, known as

the fair grounds of the Birmingham Fair Association, and to empower the corporate authorities of said city to authorize, regulate and license any business on said fair grounds during the holding ot any fair, exposition or races that may be authorized, regulated or licensed by paid city within the corporate liniits thereof';
s. 471. To require the money paid by all persons for state and county license in Wdlker connty to retail liqnor in the year 1889, to be refunded to such persons or their legal representatives when the use of such license was prevented by prohibitory acts uf the legislature;
s. 219. To amend the charter ot' the city of Greenville and the various acts amendatory thereof;
s. 467. To amend an act to amend section 677 of the code of Alabama.

W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

REPORT FROM COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Speaker :
The committee on enrolled bills report the following bills correctly enrolled :
H. 879. To further enlarge the powers, rights, franchises and privileges of the East Birmingham Land and Railroad Company, a corporation having its principal place of business in the city of Birmingham in this state ;
H. 1020. To establish and provide for the maintenance of a quarantine by improved methods against the introduction of yellow fever, and other infectious and contagious diseases in tbe State ot' Alabama ;
H. 514. To permit Ihe proprietor of Shelby Springs to sell spirituous, vinous or malt liqnors on his premises during the summer;
H. 589. To declare the board of education of the separate school district of the city of Tuscumbia, the successors in office of the trustees ot' ïuscumbia Male Academy and to authorize said board of education to sell and convey certain real estate belonging to the trustees of the Tuscumbia Male Academy for school purposes.

C.C. RATHER,
Chairman.

SIGNING OF SENATE AND HOUSE BILLS.

The Speaker of the House, in the presence of the house, immediately after their titles had been publicly read by the clerk, signed the bills, the titles of which are set out in the foregoing report ot' the committee on enrolled bills, and the foregoing senate message.
Mr. Davis of Fayette, at 11:15 p. m., moved to adjourn.
Carried.
Yeas 28, nays 22.
Yeas—Messrs. Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Barnett, Brewer, Glayton, Davis of Fayette,Forman, Harris, Kelly, Langley, Lee of Conecuh, Long, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Purifoy, Sayre, Scott, Steele, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.
Nays—Messrs. Speaker, Alrnon, Biahop, Blackwell, Brown, Coleman, Cooper, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Hill, Howle, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Poole, Rather, Screws, Simmons, Sparkman, Webb.
And the house adjourned till 9 a. m. Wednesday next.

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FIFTIETH DAY.
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
WEDNESDAY, February 18, 1891.

The hoase met pursuant to adjourument.
Prayer by Rev. Dr. Burkhead of the city.
A quorum was present.
The journal of Monday was read and approved.
Mr. Amason of' Tallapoosa nioved to take from the table s. 269. To make an appropriation for the benefit of the State Agricultural Society for the year 1S91.
Carried.
Yeas 58, nays 17.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Arnason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa. Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop. Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clayton;

Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davis of Fayette, Forman, Foster, Gass, Henry, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Loe ol Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Quarles, Rousseau, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of' Russell, Sparkman, Steele,Siillivan,Townsend of Limestone, Webb,White.
Nays—Messrs. Appleton, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Howle, Northington, Poole, Sayre, Tucker of Crenshaw, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.
The bill was read the third time at length and passed—
yeas 43, nays 28.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Avery, Ayres, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Cooper, Davis of Fayette, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Henry, Hufham, Jackson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Lane, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Quarles, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Sniith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb.
Nays—Messrs. Appleton, Barnett, Bass, Clayton, Coleman, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Howle, Johnson, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Loveless, Northington. Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Sayre, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

SPECIAL ORDER.

s. 473. To further regulate the Alabama Stafce ïroops,
Was taken up.
On motion ofMr. Bass—
The bill and amendmeuts were
Tabled.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

By Mr. Jackson, private secretary

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR,
MONTGOMERY, February 18,1891.
To the House of Representatives :
I respectfully ask your attention to the following senate

bills.which stand on your calendar with a favorable report, and are now ready for passage :

s. 462. This is a short bill, designed for the better protection of' the capitol grounds and building, and it is believed there will not be the slightest objection to any of its provisions.

Senate bill 468. "To cede to the United States jurisdiction over the lands at Mt. Vernon barracks and Ft. Morgan." This bill was drawn up by me and introduced at the request of the War Department. The United States a number of Indians on the Mt. Vernon reservation, and it is essential to the proper eare and discipline ofthem by the United States authorities that the reservation shonld be subject to the laws and jurisdiction of the United States. As it is now, there is no adequate provision to prevent the introduction of whiskey among the Indians or to punish the violation of'many of the regulations established for their government. The War Department has extended many courtesies to the State of Alabama. There cannot be the least objection to the provisions of this bill, and similar bills are passed every day in different states of the Union.

As the state is interested in both of these bills, I ask the courtesy of the house for it that they may be taken up and put upon their passage immediately.

Whether or not the joint resolution of The General Assembly declining to make any appropriation for the World's Columbian Exposition while there was a likelihood of the passage of the "Force Bill" was the cause of the defeat of that measure—as to wluch there is room for difference of opinion—I submit to your better judgment whether or not, in view of the language used in the joint resolution, the state is committed to some recognition of the World's Fair, now that it is certain that the "'Force Bill" will never become a law.

THOS. G. JONES,
Governor.

Which, on motion, was referred to a committee consisting of

Messrs. Brown, Btewer, and Davis of Fayette.

And the house proceeded to the consideration of

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

s. 399. To regulate and define the fees and compensation.

of judges of probate in this state in certain cases and for certain services,
Was taken up.
Mr. Brewer moved to table the bill.
Lost.
Yeas 23, nays 45.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Amason of' Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Avery, Ayres, Bevis, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clayton, Cooper, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Finch, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Hill, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Langley,Leigh,Meador,Moore of Madison, Nolen, Pettus, Sayre, Scott, Serews, Smaw, Smith of' Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Sleele, Sullivan, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Young.
Nays—Messrs. Adams, Alexander, Almon, Appleton, Bain, Baruett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Coleman, Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Forman, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Lane, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Long, Loveless, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Simmons, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, White, Wilson.
Mr. Lee of Conecuh offered an amendment,
Which was adopted.
Yeas 38, nays 38.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Avery, Ayres, Bevis, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clayton, Cooper, Cox, Davidson. Davis of Fayette, Finch, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Henry, Hill, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Langley, Leieh, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Pettus, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.
Nays—Messrs. Adams, Alexander, Almon, Appleton, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop. Blackwell, Burford, Clanton, Coleman, Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Forman, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Lane, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Long, Loveless, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Simmons, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, White.
Mr. Lee of Gonecuh ofiered the following amendments :
2d. Amend section 1 of the bill by adding after the word

"judges," in line 3, the worda: "In counties having twenty-five thousand inhabitants as shown by the census of 1890."
3d. Amend by adding at the end of section 1 the following words:
"And in counties having less than twenty five thousand inhabitants as shown by the censes of 1890, probate judges for such services for each one hundred words,thirteen cents, and for taking each acknowledgement of probate of deed or other conveyance, twenty-five cents."
Which, on motion ot' Mr. Pettus, were
Tabled.
Mr. Pettus offered the following amendment:
Provided, ïhat the provisions ot' this act shall not apply to the counties of Dallas, Hale, Jefferson, Blount, Sumter, Coosa, Morgan, Marion, Mobile, Montgomery, Barbour, Russell, Greene, Perry, Madison, Tuskaloosa, Marengo, Autauga, Lauderdale, Choctaw, Chambers, Etowah, Fayette, Butler, Talladega, Franklin, Colbert, Tallapoosa, Randolph,Cleburne, Lawrence, Lamar.
Mr. Sullivan moved to table the bill and amendments.
Carried.
Yeas 53, nays 37.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Avery, Ayres, Bevis, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clayton, Cooper, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Finch, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Henry, Hill, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Langley, Leigh, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Pettus, Poole, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Young.
Nays — Messrs. Adams , Alexander , Almon , Appleton, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Coleman, Cornelius, Crews, Davis of Lamar, Forman, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Hufham, Jackson, Lane, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Long, Loveless, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Towell, Simmons, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, White.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker:

The senate has passed the following house bills :
H. 711. To establish the Sylvan agricultural district to

authorize the erection of an outside fence and to dispense with inside fences, and to levy taxes to erect said fence and to defray all the current expenses of said district;

H. 470. To amend an actentitled an act for the preservation of game animals and birds in the counties of Tuskaloosa and Calhoun, approved February 27, 1889, so far as the same applies to Tuskaloosa county, Crenshaw county, Lee county and Calhoun county ;

H. 665. To incorporate the Birmingham Trust and Security Company ;

H. 837. To make the fees of' bonded constables in the county of Choctow the same as sheriffs tees when they perform the same or similar service;

H. 641. To validate the bonds issued by the corporate authorities of' the city of Anniston, bearing date June 1st, 1887 ;

H. 483. To repeal an act entitled an act. to authorize and require tlie commissioners court of Crenshaw county, to dispose of moneys arising from fines, forfeitures and convict labor, approved February 4th, 1889;

H. 892. For the relief of the estate of Mary W. Hunter ,

H. 821. To repeal section 1 of an act entitled an act to prohibit the sale, giving away, or otherwise disposing of vinous, spirituous or malt, liquors, intoxicating bitters or cordials, or limits preserved in alcoholic liquors within five miles of Village Springs Academy, Blount county, and other places therein named, and known as the “Omnibus Bill ;"

H. 879. To further enlarge the powers, rights, franchises and privileges of the East Birmingham; Land and Railroad Company, a corporation having its principal place of business in the city of Birmingham, in this state ;

H. 1054. For the relief of F. M. Harrison, T. D. Hendricks, R.F. Grimes, W. J. Fleming, William King, J. B. Lolley, Sarah Barbaree, Luke Farmer, S. Spurlock, P. G. Simmons and T. W. Carroll, settlers on the public lands of the state, in Coffee county ;

H. 699. To provide for the election of a county treasurer of Macon county by the qualified voters thereof, at the election for state and county officers in August, 1892 ;

H. 852. To authorize Mary V. Churchwell, widow of' David Churchwell, deceased, to sell land at private sale, belonging to the estate of said David Churchwell, deceased ;

H. 732. To estabhsh three separate school districts in

Cullman couuty, to be known as the Jones Chapel school district, the county line school district, the Good Hope school district in Cullman county, Alabarna, and to provide for an election of a board of trustees for each of said school districts, with certain duties and powers ;

H. 736. To amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled an act to preserve order at the Asberry camp-ground, in the county of Monroe, and at Spring Hill camp ground, in Butler connty, and at Pottersville and Ramage Springs camp-ground, in Pike county, and at Tabernacle and Andrew's Chapel carnp-ground, in the county of Pickens ;

H. 1004. To amend sections one and two of an act entitled an act for the preservation of a:arne animals and birds in the counties of Sumter and Chilton, approved February 23, 1887, so far as the same relales to Sumter county ;

H. 510. To establish a unifonn series ol' standard school books to be used in the the public schools in Marshall county;

H. 1005. To authorize the courtof county commissioners of Jefferson county to purchase claims against the fine and forfeiture fund of said county ;

H. 670. To remove the disabilities of non-age of John S. Pollard, a minor;

H. 761. To exempt the secretary of the chamber of commerce of the city of Mobile from jury duty ;

H. 689. To fix the compensation of county commissioners of Calhoun county, Alabama ;

H. 477. To cnnfirm, ainend and enlarge the charter of the trustees of the Hospital of United Charities of Birmingham, Alabama, aud to confer additional powers on said corporation ;

H. 840. To authorize the mayor and board of aldermen of the town of' Eutaw to pass an ordinance requiring temporary merchants doing business in said town, to first take out a license therefor;

H. 749. To increase, enlarge, extend, confirm, establish aud ratify the charter and corporate powers of Crear's Normal College, of Lamar county, Alabama ;

H. 702. To regulate the granting of licenses to sell vinous or spiritnous liquors in the county of Marshall, state of Alabama;

H. 520. To amend an act entitled an act for the preservation of game animals, birds and fish in Macon county, approved February 11, 1889;

H. 293. To change the time of taking up the criminal docket in the circuit court of Marion county;
H. 625. To relieve Thomas W. Oliver, junior, of Montgomery county, Alabama, of the disabilities of non-age.;
H. 526. To declare William H. Betts, Luke Coley, A. D. McNeil, William Lane, Jordan M. Crawford and B. T. Johnson of the county of Conecuh, citizens of Monroe county ;
H. 558. To confer certain powers, rights and privileges in the State of Alabama upon the Atlanta and Birmingham railroad company, a corporation chartered under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Georgia;
H. 655. To define and regulate the liability of persons, parnerships and corporations operating in the county of Escambia ditches or canals for the purpose of floating logs or timber therein;
H. 829. To amend an act entitled an act, to define and prescribe a lawful fence in certain portions of the county of Madison, approved February 28, 1889;
H. 871. To incorporate the Corning Land Industrial and Trust Company;
H. 422. To authorize the mayor and councilmen of the town of Avondale, to issue bonds ot said town, for an amount not exceeding fifteen thousand dollars for the purpose of building a school-house, paying floating debt of the town, improving streets, constructing sewers, and making other permanent improvements in said town, and in buying a lot and building a school-house for colored school;
H. 376. To create a separate school district of certain fractional townships in Dallas county;
H. 991. To create a separate school district, in the city of Florence, Alabama, to define the boundaries thereof and provide for the maintenace of schools therein;
H. 826. To change the name of tlie Ashland Educational Company and to grant additional powers;
H. 949. To authorize and empower the board of trustees of the Scottsboro Collegeand Normal School to sell and convey the property and franchises of said institution ;
H. 881. To declare certain lands in Greene county in this state, now belonging to T. U. Cobb, Mary Cobb, Mary E. Walker and Amenia J. Upchurch, a district in which stock shall be prevented from running at large and to provide that the provisions of an act, entitled an act to authorize the commissioners court of Greene county to establish districts

in which stock may be prevented from running at large, approved February 17, 1885, shall be applicable to said district;

H. 857. To amend section (2) of an act to amend an act entitled an act to create a separate school district in Jackson county, to be known as Pleasant Grove, out of a part of township 5, Range 6 east, approved February 15th, 1889 ;

H. 714. To provide for a registration of all claims against the fine and forfeiture fund of Franklin county ;

H. 589. To declare the board of education of the separate school district ot the city of Tuscumhia the successors in office of the trustees of the Tuscumbia Male Academy and to authorize said board of education to sell and convey certain real estate belonging to the trustees of the Tuscumbia Male Academy for school purposes;

H. 999. To establish a charter for Ihe city of Bridgeport;

H. 997. To ratify and confirm the charter and incorporation of the Talladega Gas, Light aud Water Company, and the acts done thereunder ;

H. 958. To incorporate the Eastlake Water and Electric company and to confer upon said company certain corporate powers;

H. 923. To amend section one of an act, approved January 16, 1879, and entitled an act to amend an act, entitled an act to amend section 12 of an act to establish a new charter for the town of Union Springs, Alabama, approved February 1, 1876;

H. 743. To confirm the incorporation of the Shakespear Club of Birmingham, Alabama, and the change of the name of said club for the Alabama Club, and to enlarge the powers and capacities of said club;

H. 979. To amend the preamble and section 1 of an act to prescribe the civil jurisdiction, and to regulate the practice in civil cases in the city court of Mobile, approved December 12, 1888;

H. 322. To incorporate "Cleburne Institute," Edwardsville, Cleburne county, Alabama ;

H. 1036. To provide for the disposition of cases now in the Inferior court of Cullman county;

H. 810. To ainend section 2 of an act to incorporate the Anniston Loan and Trust Company of Anniston, Alabama, approved February 28, 1889;

H. 651. To provide for the protection and preservation of game animals and birds in Fayette county;

H. 693. To authorize the commissioners court of Covington county to set aside a special tax for the pay of grand and, petit jnries in said county ;
H. 1010. For the payment of five coupons of Class A Bonds destroyed by fire;
H. 360. To amend section 1583 (2008) of the code of Alabama;
H. 931. To equalize the disbursement of t'he school fund in Clay county, Alabama;
H. 827. For the relief of R. S. Gray of Clay county;
H. 959. To provide for the incorporation of the town of Eastlake in the county of Jefferson and to define the powers of such corporation;
H. 988. To authorize and empower the court of county commissioners of the counties of Monroe and Escambia to levy and collect a tax on all dogs owned or kept in said counties;
And requests the return of the house bills 743 and 821;
And has passed the bills :
H. 205. To create the office of inspector of mines, and pre scribe the duties of said office;
H. 1055. To authorize the governot to cause to be instituted, in the name of the state, proceedings for the acquirement by condemnation of any lands, right-of-way, or material needed for the use of of the penitentiary, or the maintenance or operation of the hard labor system of the State;
H. 550. To improve the penitentiary and the convict system of Alabama;
H. 937. For the relief of the Ladies' Memorial Association of Montgomery;
And has amended as therein shown, and passed the bill
H. 628. To authorize the mayor and aldermen of the city of Girard, to establish a system of public schools in said city.

W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE.

On motion the honse acceded to the request of the senate for the return of the house bills 743 and 821.
The house concured in the senate amendment to
H. 628. To authorize the mayor and aldernen of the city of Girard to establish a system of public schools in said city.
Yeas 55, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Alexander, AImon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Ayres, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buford, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Forman, Gass, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Judge, Kelly, Langley, Lee of Barbour,Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Long, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Parker, Parks, Pettus, Powell, Sayre, Scott, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Steele, Suilivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Webb, White Young.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

By his private secretary, Mr. Jackson.
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR,
MONTGOMERY, February 18, 1891.

To the General A ssembly :
I have approved the bill to establish the city court at Gadsden and notify you thereof nowbecause the 11th section provides that immediately after the approval of the act a solicitor for said court shall be elected on joint ballot of the general assembly.
THOS. G. JONES,
Governor.
Which was referred to the committee on rules.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE.

Mr. Speaker :

The special committee to whom was referred the message of the governor have had the same under consideration, and recommend that the house suspend the regnlar order of business and take up for consideration the bills mentioned in said message in the order in whicli they are named.
H. H. BROWN,
Chairman.

The above report was adopted and the committee was discharged,

And the house resumed consideration of

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

s. 462. For the better protection of the capitol and grounds and for the preservation of order therein,
Was read the third time at leugth and passed—yeas 62, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Almon, Amason of' Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bevis, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of' Lamar, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Harrell, Harris, Howle, Hufham,Jackson,Johnson, Judge, Kelly, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Long, Longshore, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Pettus, Powell, Sayre, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Riissell, Sparkman, Steele, Townsend of Limestone, Wade, Webb, Whatley, Young.
s. 468. To cede to the United States jurisdiction over the lands of Mount Vernon barracks and Fort Morgan,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 60, nays 4.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Ayres, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gass, Guthrie. Henry, Jackson, Kelly, Langley, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Parks, Pettus, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Smavv, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Lunestone, ïownsendof Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Young.
Navs—Messrs. Alexander, Bain, Crews, Northington.
S. 282. To amend section 2908 of the code of 1886;
Mr. Smith of Russell, offered an amendment, which was adopted,
And the bill was read the third time at length and passed — yeas 55, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Alexander, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Gilchrist, Harrell, Henry,

Howle, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Pettus, Ramsay, Scott, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

s. 92. To amend section 4571 (4546) ot' the code,

Was read the third time at lenglh and passed—yeas 56, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Rpeaker, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Quarles, Sayre, Scott, Smaw, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Wood, Wilson, Yonng.

s. 264. To amend section 4631 of the code,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 57, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Avery, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Sayre, Scott, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limeetone, Townsend of Pike, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Young.

s. 319. To establish a reformatory for boys under the age of seventeen years;

Mr. White offered an amendment to strike out section 9 ;

Tabled.

The bill was read the third time at length and lost—yeas 28, nays 53.

Yeas—Messrs. Amason of Sumter, Avery, Bevis, Blackwell, Brown, Clanton, Cooper, Cornelius, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Winston, Edwards, Foster, Gordon, Henry, Howle,

Johnson, Judge, Kelly, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Pettus, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Sparkman, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Webb.

Nays—Messrs. Speaker, Appleton, Ayres, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Brewer, Buck, Burford, Clayton, Coleman, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Forman, Gass, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Hill, Hufham, Jackson, Jones, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Loveless, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Sayre, Scott, Simmons, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade,Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

Mr. Brewer, from the committee on rules, submitted the following resolution, which was adopted :

Resolved by the House, the Senate concurring, That the two houses meet at the hour of 9 o'clock p. m. this day for the purpose of electing a solicitor for the city court of Gadsden as required by senate bill 117.

Mr. Brewer, from a special committee, submitted the following report:

To the President of the Senate. and Speaker of the House of Representatives ;

The undersigned, constituting the joint committee of the two houses to examine the offices of the state auditor and state treasurer, beg leave to report as follows :

That they examined the amount of money in the treasury, with the assistance of three experts, and by actual count ascertained that on the 30th day of Jannary, 1891, there was, in the vaults of the state treasury, the sum of $212,883.16, which sum is 23 cents in excess of the amount with which the treasurer was chargeable at that date.

Owing to the multiplicity of our duties as members of the general assembly, and the late date at which the committee on the part of the house was raised, this committee was unable to make that thorough examination ot the two offices which the statute contemplates. Indeed, it is proper to say that there are but three or four men in the state who are experts on the subject of the allowances and payments that should be made in the oflice ot the auditor, and almost any examination on the part of a legislative committee is, as to that department, a mere formality, and always will be unless the services of one of such experts can be secured.

Hence, we feel it to be our duty to saggest, that as your committee has not been able, for want of time, to examine the said offices as the statute requires, that perhaps it would be well for the omission to be supplied at an early day by the governor, who can require the state examiner to complete the work which this committee begun ; and this suggestion is made, not for want of confidence in the management of the said two offices by the excellent and worthy gentlemen who fill the place of heads of the two departments, but merely because this committee has lailed t'or the reason stated to finish their labors in respect thereto.

So far as this committee extended their investigation they feel it incumbent on them to say that they found everything satisfactory and accurate.

Respectfully,

W. A. HANDLEY,
Chairman.
L. W. GRANT,
W. L. DOWNEY,
Senators.
W. BREWER,
S. M. ADAMS,
W. S. Lewis,
Representatives.

Which was adopted, and the committee was discharged.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker :

The president of the senate having signed the following bills, your signature thereto is requested :

s. 48. To repeal section 3210 and to amend sections 3211, 3212, 3214, 3215, 3216, 3217 of the code, relating to the condemnation of lands for public uses ;

s. 289. To designate the officers at the penitentiary walls and to provide for their appointment, removal and compensation.

s. 250. To prevent stock from running at large in certain parts of Roanoke beat No. 10, in Randolph county ;

s. 24. To protect chickens and other property on the premises in the night time, in the county of Mobile;

8. 36. To make the office of commissioner of agriculture elective;

s. 65. To provide for the assessment of state and county taxes within Ihe corporate limits of the city of Anniston ;
s. 154. To amend section 3216 of the code;
s. 194. For the relief of W. L. Rowe, sheriff of Tallapoosa county;
s.263. To provide for the refunding of taxes improperly paid;
s. 239. To incorporate Blount College, in Blount county, Alabama;
s. 241. To authorize and empower the mayor and aldermen of the city of Huntsville to improve and repair the side-walks of the city ot Huntsville, Alabama, at the cost of parties whose property abuts such side-walks ;
s. 359. To relieve George T. Preer, of Lee connty, of the disabilities of non-age;
S. 284. To prevent the running at large of stock in certain parts ot Elmore county ;
s. 297. To grant certain rights-of-way to the Montgomery and Syalacuga Railroad Company;
s. 299. To incorporate the Autauga Volunteer Hook and Ladder Company No. 1, of the town of' Prattville;
s. 369. To require the county treasurer of Winston county, to register all claims against the county, which have not heretofore been registered as required by law ;
s. 378. To incorporatc the Montgomery Loan and Trust Company;
s. 382. For the relief of persons who have paid for and taken out a Mquor license for the year 1891, improperly;
s. 403. To confirm the incorporation and organization of "The Gadsden and Attalla Union Railway Company;"
s. 423. To fix the time of holding the circuit court in the counties of Randolph and Bibb, in the fifth judicial circuit of the State of Alabama ;
s. 445. To loan and appropriate the two and three per cent. fund now in the treasury ;
s. 456. To increase the fees of justice of the peace and notaries public, having like powers, in the county of Autauga ;
s. 463. To prohibit justices of the peace and notaries public with the jurisdiction of justices ot'the peace, from sentencing defendants to hard labor for costs ;
s. 487. To incorporate the Alabama Iron and Steel Company;
s. 490. To establish an industrial school in the State of

Alabama for the destitute children, descendants of confederate soldiers and sailors;
s. 269. To make an appropriation for the benefit of the State Agricultural Society for the year 1891;
s. 117. To establish the city court of Gadsden.

W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

REPORT FROM COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Speaker :

The cornmittee on enrolled bills report the following bills correctly enrolled:
H. 481. To provide for tlie snpport of the indigent soldiers and sailors of the late confederate states army and navy who are now bona fide citizens of Greene county, Alabama;
H. 825. For the relief of the estate of Mary W. Hnnter;
H. 1054. For the relief of F. M. Harrison, T. D. Hendricks, R. F. Grimes, W. J. Flemming, William King, J. B. Lolley, Sarah Barbaree, Luke Farmer, S. Spurlock, P. G. Simmons and J. W. Carroll, settlers on the public lands of the state, in Coffee county ;
H. 837. To make the fees of bonded constables in the county of Choctaw the same as sheriffs fees when they perform the same or similar service;
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H. 826. To change the name of the Ashland Educational Company and to grant additional powers ;
H. 979. To amend the preamble and section 1 of an act to prescribe the civil jurisdiction, and regulate the practice in civil cases in the city court of Mobile, approved December 12, 1888;
H. 732. To establish three separate school districts in Cullman county, to be known as the Jones Chapel school district, the county line school district, the Good Hope school

district in Cullman couuty, Alabama, and to provide for an election of a board of trustees for each of said school districts, with certain duties and powers ;

H. 655. To define and regulate the liability of persons, partnerships and corporations operating in the county of Escambia, ditches or canals for the purpose of floating logs or timber therein ;

H. 545. To require the commissioner's court of Jefferson county to pay for assistance to the solicitor for said county in suppressing crime, out of certain funds in the county treasury;

H. 829. To amend an act entitled an act to define and prescribe a lawful fence in certain portions of the county of Madison, approved Febmary 28, 1889.

H. 997. To ratify and confirm the charter and incorporation of the Talladega Gas Liglit and Water Company and the acts done thereunder;

H. 670. To .iemove the disabilities of non-age of John S. Pollard, a minor;

H. 249. To require all fines and forfeitures in criminal cases in the county of Jefferson to be paid in lawful money;

H. 651. To provide for the protection and preservation of game animals and birds in Fayette county ;

H. 1039. To regulate the bonded indebtedness of Pickens and Tallapoosa counties;

H. 689. To fix the compensation of county commissioners of Calhoun couuty, Alabama;

H. 20. To prevent the keeping of cock-pits and publicly fighting cocks in the State of Alabama;

H. 11. To eslablish a separale school district in Dale county to be known as Dean's school district;

H. 988. To authorize and empower the court ot county commissioners of the counties ot' Monroe and Escambia to levy and collect a tax on all dogs owned or kept in said counties ;

H. 711. To establish the Sylvan Agricultural District, to authorize the erection of an outside fence and to dispense with inside fences, and to levy taxes to erect said fence and to defray all the current expenses of said district;

H. 644. To validate the bonds issued by the corporate authorities of the city of Anniston, bearing date June 1st, 1887;

H. 1053. To regulate the trtal of misdemeanors in St. Clair county ;

H. 881. To declare certain lands in Greene county, in this state, now belonging to T. W. Cobb, Mary Cobb, Mary E. Walker, Amenia J. Upchurch, a district in which stock shall be prevented from running at large, and provide that the provisions of an act entitled an act to authorize the commissioners court of Greene county to establish districts in which stock may be prevented from running at large, approved February 17, 1885, shall be applicable to said district;

H. 422. To authorize the mayor and councilmen of the town of Avondale to issue bonds of said town for an amount not exceeding fifteen thousand dollars for the purpose of building a school house, paying floating debt of the town, improving the streets, constructing sewers, and making other permanent improvents in said town, and in buying a lot and building a school house for colored school ;

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H. 625. To relieve Thomas W. Oliver, junior, of Montgomery county, Alabama, of the disabilities of non-age;

H. 852. To authorize Mary F. Churchwell, widow of David Churchwell, deceased, to sell land at private sale belonging to the estate of said David Churchwell, deceased;

H. 714. To provide for a registration of' all claims against the fine and forfeiture fund of Franklin county :

H. 761. To exempt the secretary of the chamber of commerce of the city of Mobile from jury duty;

H. 526. To declare William H. Beits, Luke Coley, A. D. McNeil, William Jane, Jordan M. Crawford and B. T. Johnson, of the county of Conecuh, citizens of Monroe county ;

H. 827. For the relief ot' R. S. Gray, of Clay county;

H. 1004. To amend sections one and two of an act entitled an act for the preservation of game animals and birds in the counties of Sumterand Chilton, aaproved February 23. 1887, so far as the same relates to Sumter county;

H. 991. To create a separate school district in the city of Florence, Alabama, to define the boundaries thereof and provide for the maintenance of schools therein;

H. 1010. For the payment of five coupons of' Class A bonds destroyed by fire ;

H; 376. To create a separate school district of certain fractional townships in Dallas county ;
H. 322. To incorporate "Cleburne Institute," Edwardsville, Cleburne county, Alabama ;
H. 763. To amend sections 1 and 3 of an act entitled an act to preserve order at the Asberry Camp Ground, in the county of Monroe, and at Spring Hill Camp Ground, in Butler county, and at Pottersville and Ramage Spring Camp Ground, in Pike county, and at Tabernacle and St. Andrew's Chapel Camp Ground, in the county of Pickens;
H. 810. To amend section two of an act to incorporate the Annston Loan and Trust Company, of Anniston, Alabama, approved February 28, 1889 ;
H. 959. To provide for the incorporptiou of the town of Eastlake, in the county of Jefferson, and to define the powers of such corporation ;
H. 696. To amend an act to incorporate the town of Brewton, in Escambia county;
H. 923. To amend section one of an act approved January l6, 1879, and entitled "An act to amend an act entitled an act to amend section 12 of an act to establish a new charter for the town of Union Springs, Alabama, approved February 1, 1876;"
H. 293. To change the time of taking up the criminal docket in the circuit court of Marion county ;
H. 520. To amend an act entitled an act for the preservation of game animals, birds and fish in Macon county, approved February 11,1889;
H. 762. To amend section 7 of an act entitled an act to regulate the mode of selecting, drawing and empaneling grand and petit jurors for tlie county of Mobile, approved February 20, 1883, and likewise to amend sections 2 and 5 of an act entitled an act to amend sections 4, 5, 13 and 17 of an act entitled an act to regulate the mode of selecting, drawing and empaneling grand and petit jurors for Mobile county, approved February 20, 1883, and to amend as well sections 1, 2 and 5 of an act approved February l6,1885, entitled an act to amend sections 6, 8, 10, 11 and 13 of an act entitled an act to regulate the mode of selecting, drawing and empaneling grand and petit jurors fbr Mobile county, approved February 20, 1883, approved February 24, 1887;
H. 1001. To establish a new charter for the town of Clayton, in Barbour county ;

H. 206. To amend sections 4 and 11 of an act entitled an act to establish tlie criminal court of Jefferson county ;
H. 823. To amend sections 4 and 6 of an act entitled an act to pvevent stock from running at large in the several beats of Randolph and Calhoun counties, and to authorize elections therein ;
H. 973. To fix the times and places for holding the courts in tlie third judicial cireuit of the State of Alabania;
H. 411. To establish a cliarter for the town of Oneonta:
H. 971. Concerning the organization and perpetuity of a voluntary association to be known as the Order of Columbia, a secret society having a secret ritual, and providing laws for governing the same;
H. 558. To confer certain powers, rights and privileges in the State of Alabama upon the Atlanta and Birmingham Railroad Company, a corporation chartered under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Georgia;
H. 1005. To authorize the court of county commissiouers of Jefferson county to purchase claims against the fine and forfeiture fund of said county ;
H. 699. To provide for the election of a county treasurer of Macon county by the qualified voters thereof at the election for state and county officers in August, 1892;
H. 318. To amend and revise the charter of the town of Oxanna;
H. 999. To establish a charter for the city of Bridgeport;
H. 148. To amend an act to establish the city court of Anniston, approved February 25, 1889, by amending certain sections therein;
H. 748. To incorporate the Southern Steel Company.
H. 760. To establish a charter for the town of Albertville, in Marshall county, Alabama,
H. 360. To amend sectiou 1583 (2008) of the code of Alabama;
H. 681. To incorporate the town of Seddon in St. Clair county and to establish a charter for the government thereof;
H. 658. To amend the charter of the town of Greensboro, Alabama, and acts amending the same,
H. 876. To anthorize the commissioners courts of Choctaw and Clarke counties to establish districts in which stock may be prevented f'rom running at large.

C. C. RATHER,
Chairman.

SIGNING OF SENATE AND HOUSE BILLS.

The speaker of the house, in the presence of the house, immediately after their titles had been publicly read by the clerk, signed the bills the titles of which are set out in foregoing report of the committee on enrolled bills, and the foregoing senate message.
At 1:30 p. m. the house adjourned till 3 p. m. to-day.

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AFTERNOON SESSION.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.
A quorum was present.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker :
The senate has amended and passed the bills:
H. 244. To allow the constables of beat No. 36, in Dallas county, the constables in and of beats 9, 21 and 37, in Jeff'erson county, and 1 and 4 in Henry county, Alabama, to appoint deputies;
H. 986. ïo amend section 3 of an act entilled an act to establish a new charter for the city of Talladega, approved Februarv 28. 1887,

W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE

The house concurred in the senate amendments to the following bills:
H. 244. To allow the constables of beat No. 30. in Dallas county, the constables in and of beats 9, 21 and 37, in Jefferson county, and 1 and 4,in Henry county, Alabaina, to appoint deputies.
Yeas 56, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman,

Cooper, cox, Davidson, Davia of Lamar, Guthrie, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Judge, Kelly, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Punfoy, Quarles, Sayre, Scott, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Rousseau,

H. 986. To amend section 3 of an act entitled an act to establish a new charter fnr the city of Talladega, approved February 28, 1887.

Yeas 57, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker. Adains, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Arnason of TaHapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Forman, Poster, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Kelly, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leslie, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Parker, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Sparkman, Steele, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

CONFERENCE REPORT.

Mr. Speaker :

Your committee of conference on the disagreement of the two houses touching the house amendments to senate bill 58, has had the same under consideration, and beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That the senate concur in house amendments numbered respectively 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10; and,

2. That the ho»ise recede from its amendments numbered respectively 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 ;

And that the bill as amended be passed.

A. A. WILEY,
J. C. COMPTON,
OSCAR R. HUNDLEY,
On part of Senate.

WALTON HILL,
A. D. SAYRE,
B. H. SCREWS,
On part of House.

The above conference report was concurred in.
Yeas 54, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker.AppIeton, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Forman, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Harrell, Hill, Howle, Jackson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Lane, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Northington, Parker, Parks, Pettus, Powell, Quarles, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watlers, Whatley, Wilson, Young.

MESSAGE FBOM THE GOVERNOR.

By Mr. Jackson, private secretary.
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR,
MONTGOMERY, February 18th, 1891.
To the House of Representatives :
I trust that a frank expression of views on a public question which must be determined by you, and in which, as the executive, I am also concerned, will not be taken as any evidence of an undue desire on my part to press recommendations upon you.
Circumstances also make it proper for rne to say that after seventeen years of service with the state troops, it is not presumption in me to believe that I am as conversant with the wants and needs of the service, and what will tend to benefit or harm it, as any member of that organization, or as any other person who has not given it the same amount of study.
In the early part of the session a bill was prepared by me, which passed the senate, and is pending in your honorable body:
"To further regulate the Alabama State Troops."
The causes which led to the introduction ofthis bill were these:
Under the existing law the three regiments are not at all compactly organized, and there is great and useless expense

for transportation of companies in reaching regimental headquarters, to go into camps of instruction. Until very recently the headquarters of the regiments were Mobile, Montgomery and Selma; and as the regiments are organized, there have been instances where a company had to be transported from Tuskegee, through Montgomery, to Mobile, and from Alexander City, through Montgomery, to Mobile, although there were regimental headquarters at Montgomery. All the troops from North Alabama had to go either to Selma or Mongomery, and some of them to go outside of the state in order to reach regimental headquarters. My object for asking for authority to form a fourth regiment was to make the disposition of the troops more compact, and have the permanent organization of a regiment in North Alabama, which would not be disturbed by the accident of the election by the regiment of its commanding officer, who might reside elsewhere.

In the bill, as originally drawn, authority was asked to receive eight more companies. This was afterwards changed to five. There are several communities in the slate which have no companies, and earnestly desire them for their moral effect in preserving order, and inviting capital and immigration. There are portionsof'the "Black Belt" which desire companies for police purposes. Under existing laws, all these applications had to be denied.

It is objected that if these companies are allowed, it will add a few more to divide the fund received at encampments. This expense and the expense of the quarterly allowance, if they should earn it, would be more than counterbalanced in the saving of the transportation, and the increased efficiency ot' the service.

There is in the bill provision for the increase of the staff. It was done to enable me to promoie some of the meritorious young men in the state's service, who for years have stood guard and responded to every call of the state, and I believed the efficiency of tlie service would be promoted thereby. Personally, I care nothing for this section of the bill, and am willing for it to be stricken out if there is any objection to it.

The provision as to the inspector of rifle practice was to increase the efficiency of the men as marksmen. It is an office that exists in every state, and will not cause any additional expense ; but it is not material if the main objects of the bill can be accomplished.

There was also a provision in the bill authorizing the formation of Gatling gun detachments, provided there should not be over one in each regiment.
This, in the end, will do away with the cumbersome batteries and the cost of keeping them np.
There is a provision in the bill authorizing the governor to disband companies when inefficient, on report of the inspector. Now, that cannot be done except on the report of the colonel, and there are few instances where such a request has been made, and many instances where they ought to have been made.
The last section of the bill provides that when an army officer is detailed for service with the state troops the governor may place him on duty on his staff. The War Department has lately detailed a valuable officer for this service, and it would add to his efficiency if the legislature wou1d permit such provision.
With no end in view but the good of the state, and certainly with no purpose of impairing the efficiency of the state troops, I felt it a duty to the people of Alabama to draw this bill, and as there seems to he some misapprehension as to its scope and effect, to frankly lay the matter before you, and ask that the bill be considered.

THOS. G. JONES,
Governor.

Mr. Pettus moved to take from the table and put on passage the bill referred to in the governor's message.
Lost.
And the.house proceeded to consider

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

s. 170. To establish a new charter for the city of Decatur,
Was taken upand on motion amended, and was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 58, nays 1.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Amasonof Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Crews, Cox, Davis of' Lamar, Forman, Gass, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Hill, Hufham, Jackson, Judge, Kelly, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Moore of Madison, Northington, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Ramsay, Rather, Rousseau, Sayre, Scott, Smith of

Dallas, Sparkman, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Webb, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

s. 81. To fix the legal rate of interest in this slate.

Mr. Adams offered an amendment which was adopted and the bill was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 36, nays 31.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Buck, Burford, Coleman, Davidson, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Jackson, Jones, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Oonecuh, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Parks, Peacock, Purifoy, Simmons, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wood, Wilson.

Nays—Bishop, Brewer, Brown, Clayton, Crews, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Hill, Johnson, Leigh, Leslie, Long, Moore of Madison, Northington, Pettus, Poole, Sayre Scott, Screws, Smith of Dallas, Sparkman, Steele, Whatley,White, Young.

RECONSIDERATION.

By unanimous consent the votes by which

s. 240. To establish a charter for the town of Gurleys in Madison counly,

Was passed and was ordered to a third reading were reconsidered.

Mr. Blackwell offered an amendment which was adopted and the bill was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 59, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Buck, Burtbrd, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Crews, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harris, Henry, Hill, Johnson, Judge, Kelly, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leslie, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan,Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Young.

s. 133. To provide for paying the accounts of sheriffs against the state,

Was read the third timeat length and passed—yeas 53, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clayton, Coooper, Cornelius, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Forman, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Kelly, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leslie, Lewis, Loveless, Northington, Parker, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Sayre, Screws, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Sullivan, ïownsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker ot' Lauderdale, Watters, Webb, White, Wood, Wilfon, Young.

s. 472. To authorize the city of New Decatur to levy and collect, license taxes, upon professions, occupations, vocations and businesses, practiced or engaged in within said city,

Was read the third tiine at length and passed—yeas 57, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Alexander, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Clayton, Coleman, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Gass, Gilchrist, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hill, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Lee of Conecuh, Leslie, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

s. 106. To regulate garnishments against salaries and wages of persons employed,

Mr. Sayre offered a substitute. Numerous amendments were offered.

Mr. Long moved to table the bill and amendments. Carried.

CONFERENCE REPORT.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

The committee of conference to whom was referred the matter of difference of the two houses on H. B. 433 have agreed to recommend that the senate recede from its amendment as to section 11, so that said section shall read as follows, to-wit:

SECTION 11. Be it further enacted, That the court of county revenue of Wilcox county, shall annually appropriate out of the general fund of Wilcox county for the period of two years, the sum of seven hundred and fifty dollars annually for the said period of two years, which shall be awarded on the second Mondays ot' April and Novernber ot' each year to the person or persons offering claims against the fine and forfeiture fund ot said coanty at the highest rate of discount, due advertisement to be given, by publication in a newspaper of said county.

SoL. D. BLOCH,
W. L. DOWNEY,
J. R. COWAN,
Committee on part of the Senate.
JOHN PURIFOY,
W. BREWER.
A. D. SAYRE,
Committee on part of House,

The above conference report was concurred in.
Yeas 55, nays 0.
Nays—Messrs. Adams, Alexander, Appleton, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius,Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Foster, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Hill, Howle, Jones, Kelly, Lane, Langley, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Quarles, Sayre, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Wade, Watters, Whatley,White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker:

The senate has concurred in the house amendment to the bill

s. 282. To amend section 2908 of the code of 1886,

And has passed withoufc amendinent the bills :

H. 981. To authorize the mayor amd councilmen of' Troy, to erect and maintain a system of electric lights and to issue bonds in payment thereot in an amount not exceeding $20,000 (twenty thousand dollars.)

H. 767. To amend an act to authorize the commissioners court of Perry to establish or abolish districts in said county in which stock may be prevented from running at large, approved February Ï5th, 1889 ;
H. 1095. To amend section eight of an act entitled an act to incorporate the town of Auburn, Lee county, Alabama, approved February 23, 1875.
H. 765. To declare the Montgomery Shooting Club a social club within the meaning of section 4053 of the code of Alabama;
H. 359. To amend section 5 of an act entitled an act to regulate the circuit court of Henry connly approved February 17,1885;
H. 656. To prohibit the driving of live animals into or the placing of the dead bodies of animals in any ditch or canal, operated for the purpose of floating logs or timber, within the limits of the county of Escambia;
H. 998. To incorporate the state aaving association and define its powers and authority ;
H. 954. To establish the legal weigbts of agricultural products in this state
And has amended and passed the bills:
H. 325. To regulate the trials of' misdemeanors in Geneva county ;
H. 61. To regulate the election of municipal officers in the city of Montgomery,
And non concurs in the house amendment to the bill
s. 81. To fix the legal rate of interest in this state,
And has.concurred in the report of the conlereifee committee on the bill
H. 433. To provide a fund for the payment of witnesses for the state in the cireuit and county conrts of Wilcox county and to prescribe their compensation.

W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SENATE ME8SAGE.

The house concnrred in the senate amendments to the following bills:
H. 325. To regulate the trials of misdemeanors in Geneva county.
Yeas 54, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amapon of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Ayres, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Finch, Foster, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Hufham, Jackson, Jones, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Peacock, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Sayre, Smaw, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Watters, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.

Also,

H. 61. To regulate theelection ol' municipal officers in the city of Montgomery.

Yeas 56, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Sp,eaker, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Baas, Bevis, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Forman, Foster, Gilchrist, Gordon, Harrell, Henry, Hill, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Peacock, Pettus, Purifoy, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Sparkman, Sullivan, Wade, Watters, Webb, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

On motion the house receded from its amendment to 8. 81. To fix the legal rate of interest in this state,

And the house resumed consideration of

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

s. 285. To incorporate the Anniston Banking and Loan Association, of Anniston,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 58, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Armistead, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Bevis, Biehop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Finch, Foster, Gilchrist, Gulhrie, Harrell, Harris, Howle, Jones, Kelly, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leslie, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Sayre, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Wade, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

s. 452. To amend section 1 of an act entitled an act to prohibit the sale, giving away, or otherwise disposing of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, intoxicating bitters, or cordials, or fruits preserved in alcoholic liquors, in all places in Jefferson, Walker, Talladega, Autauga and Fayette counties, except in incorporated towns and cities having police regulations, approved February 16, 1889,
Mr. Brewer offered an amendment,
Which was adopted, and the bill
Was read the third time at length and lost—yeas 8, nays 46.
Yeas—Messrs. Bain, Brewer, Brown, Burford, Forman, Lewis, Kelly, Long, and Townsend of Limestone.
Nays—Messrs. Alexander, Almon, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Barnett, Bass, Blackwell, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of' Lamar, Finch, Foster, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Sparkman, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wood, Young.
s. 425. To incorporate the town of Vienna, in the county of Pickens and State of Alabama,
Was read the third time at lenpth and passed—yeas 55, nays 2.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Barnett, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Finch, Foster, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Hill, Jackson, Jones, Kelly, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Sayre, Screws, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Watlers, Webb, Whatley,
White, Wood, Wilson.
Nays—Messrs. Johnson, and Young.
s. 489. To authorize Ihe governor to issue to John B. Manning a new state coupon bond for five hundred dollars in lieu and stead of Class "A" bond number 7255,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 58, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Almon, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Finch, Foster, Gass, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Jonea, Kelly, Lane, Langley, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Webb, White, Wood, Wilson, Young:,

On motion of Mr. Pettus—

s. 252. To authorize justices of the peace and notaries public with ex-officio powers as justice of the peace in beats 16, 17 and 23, in Jefferson county, to exercise exclusive jurisdiction in said beats,

Was taken from the table.

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 51, nays 4.

Yeas—Messrs. Alexander, Almon, Appleton, Avery, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Forman, Guthrie, Henry, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Northington, Parker, Parks, Pearock, Pettus, Sayre, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Webb.

Nays—Messrs. Davis of Lamar, Powell, Whatley, Young.

S. 439. To amend section 1 of an act to establish a normal school for the instruction of white male and female teachers at Troy, in Pike county, Alabama.

On motion of Mr. Northington—

The bill was tabled.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker :

The senate has passed without amendment the bills:

H. 619. To ret'und to George G. White and Charlton Alexander $107.55 erroneously paid by them into the state Treasury for purchase of certain lands previously sold by the state;

H. 582. To prevent camp hunting in Blount county, Alabama ;

H. 568. To amend section 7 of an act entitled an act incorporate Howard College, in Marion, Perry county, approved December 29, 1841;
H. 783. To incorporate the Brotherhood of Dependent Neighbors ;
H. 814. To repeal an act entitled an act to amend section 5049 of the code of 1876, as far as it relates to Clay county ;
H. 617. For the relief of parties whose lands have been sold for taxes;
H. 987. To amend section 3878 of the code, so far as the same relates to Cherokee and Etowali counties;
And has amended and passed the bill:
H. 307. To ratify and amend the incorporation of the "Birmingham Bar Association," of Birmingham, Alabama; and to enlarge the powers thereof;
And concurs in the house amendment to the bill,
s. 240. To establish a charter for the town of Gurleys, in Madison county;
And has arnended and passed the bill :
H. 308. To dispose 01 l'-inds whicli liave been sold for its taxes and bid in for the stat,e ;
And has passed the following bills :
H. 945. To amend sections 7, 10 and 20 of an act entitled an act to create a new charter for the city of Florence, Alabama, approved February 28, 1889;
H. 399. To amend section nine (9) of an act entitled an act to establish the city court of Decatur, approved February 8, 1889;
H. 736. To authorize the substitution of the bonds of the county officers, justices of the peace, notaries public, con stables, executors, administrators and guardians in Franklin county :
H. 610. To amend sections 2 and 16 of an act entitled an act to amend an act entitled an act to establish the city court of Birmingham, which was approved February 28, 1889;
H. 803. To amend an act entitled an act to amend sections 463 and 529 ofthe code of Alabama, approved February 28, 1889 :
H. 929. To establish a separate scliool district in Cherokee county, and to define the boundaries thereof;
H. 811. To extend the jurisdiction of the notary public and ex officio justice of the peace in ward number four of the

city of Anniston, so as to cover the corporile limits of the city of Anniston ;
H. 1072. To amend section two of an act entitled an act to amend the charter of the First Presbyterian church of Talladega, Alabama;
H. 980. To divide the county of Randolph into four commissioners' districts, aud to prescribe the term of office of members of said court;
H. 792. To regulate the trial of misdemeanors in the county of Macon;
H. 394. To amend 458 of the code ;
H. 672, To incorporate the Alabama Military Institute at Tuskegee, Macon county, Alabama ;
H. 936. To provide for the collection of a license on transient persons doing business as merchants in the county of Greene, and defining who are transient merchants within the meaning of this act;
H. 870. To permit and provide for the incorporation of separate school districts in the county of Tuskaloosa ;
H. 943. To authorize the city of Birmingham and the county of Jefferson to provide an armory for the military companies of said city ;
H. 872. To amend section 1 of an act approved February 12, 1879, entitled an act to establish the Warrior Agricultural District," to provide for the securing of the same and the management of its affairs ;
And has amended and passed the bills :
H. 398. To establish a separate school district to be known as the Hartselle school district, in Morgan county, Alabama, and for the election of aboard of trustees for said school district, with certain powers and privileges ;
H. 743. To confirm the incorporation of the Shakespeare Club of Birmingham, and the change of the name of the said club to the Alabama Club, and to enlarge the powers and capacities of said club;
H. 821. To repeal section one of an act entitled an act to prohibit the sale, giving away,or otherwise disposing of vinous, etc., etc. ;
And has concurred in the report of the conference committee on the bill,
H. 598. To prevent hunting on land without written consent of owner or his agent in Dallas, Madison, Autauga, Macon, Sumter, Talladega, Bullock and Perry counties, and beat No. nine in Hale county ;

And has concurred on the house amendment to the bill,
s. 170. To establish a new charter for the city of Deeatur;
And has concurred in the conference committee report on the bill,
s. 58. To amend the charter of the city of Montgomery and the various acts amendatory thereof.

W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The house concurred in the senate amendments to the following bills :
H. 307. To ratify and amend the incorporation of the Birmingham Bar Association, of Birmingham, Alabama, and to enlarge the powers thereof.
Yeas 57, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Almon, Appleton, Armistead, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cornelius, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Foster, Gilchrist, Harris, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Purifoy, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Watters, Webb, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.
Also,
H. 308. To finally dispose of lands which have been sold for its taxes and bid in for the state.
Yeas 60, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams. Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, C1anton, Cooper, Cornelius, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Forman, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Harrell, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Sayre, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson. Young.

AIso,

H. 398. To establish a separate school district to be known as the Hartselle scliool district, in Morgan county, Alabama, and for the election of a board of trustees for said school district with certain powers and privileges.

Yeas 58, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Avery, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Forman, Foster, Gilchrist, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Kelly, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Longshore, Moore of Madison. Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, While, Wood, Wilson, Young.

Also,

H. 743. To confirm the incorporation of the Shakespeare Club, of Birmingham, and the chauge of the name of the said club to the Alabama Club, and to enlarge the powers and capacities of said club.

Yeas 58, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Alexander, Amason of Sumter, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Ayres, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell. Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Foster, Gilchrist, Harris, Henry, Hill, Hufham, Jackson, Johson, Jones, Kelly, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Moore of Madsion, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Purifoy, Quarles, Sayre, Scott, Screws. Simmons, Smaw, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of'Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

Also,

H. 821. To repeal section one of an act entitled an act to prohibit the sale, giving away, or otherwise disposing of vinous, <fec., &c.

Yeas 56, nays 1.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Amason of Tallapoosa, Avery, Ayies, J3ain, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Forman, Foster, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Hill, Howle, Hufham, Kelly, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis,

Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock. Pettus, Purifoy, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Smith of Dallas, Smith of Russell, Sparkman, Steele, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Watters, Webb, Whatley, Wilson, Young.
Nay—Mr. Long.
And the house resumed cousideration of

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

s. 815. To aid state and county agricultural fairs.
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 38, nays 15.
Yeas--Messrs. Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Avery, Barnett, Bass, Brewer, Brown, Clayton, Cooper, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Gilchrist, Guthrie, Henry, Hufham, Johnson, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Longshnre, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Parker. Pnrks, Peacock, Pettus, Purifoy, Ramsay, Scott, Smaw, Smith of Dallas, Steele, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, White.
Nays—Messrs. Appleton, Bain, Blackwell, Cornelius, Forman, Harrell, Harris, Hill, Jones, Kelly, Langley, Long, Poole, Sayre, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker:
The president ot' ttie senate liaving signed the following bills, your sisnature thereto is reqiiested:
s. 200. To regulate the planting and taking of oysters in the waters of this state ;
s. 262. To extend the corporate limits of the city of Montgomery, in the State of Alabama, and to provide for dividing said limitsinto wards ;
s. 300. To incorporate the town of River Falls, in Covington county. and to authorize said town to issue bonds and cut a canal;
s. 389. To incorporate the Alabama Locomotive Company;
s. 454. To authorize the mayor and council of Dadeville to issue bonds of said city for an amount not exceeding five

thousand dollars for the pnrpose of purchasing a lot in said city and erecting and improving school buildings thereon ;
s. 455. To create a separate school district in the county of St. Clair, to be called Cook's Springs Public School District, and to define the boundaries thereof;
s. 478. To incorporate the Limestone Oil and Gas Company;
s. 405. To amend sections 3, 4, 7, 8, 11, 12 and 13 of an act entitled "An act to incorporate the town of Dadeville, in Tallapoosa county," approved January 16,1879;
s. 458. To authorize railroad conipanies chartered under the laws of the State of Alabarna, whose capital stock is owned by a railroad corporation chartered under the laws of another state, to sell to such corporation owning its stock all of its property, road-bed, rights and franchises.

W.L. CLAY,
Secretary.

REPORT FROM COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Speaker :

The committee on enrolled bills report the following bills correctly enrolled:
H. 477. To confirm, amend and enlarge the charter of the trustees of the Hospital of United Charities of Birmingham, Alabama, and to confer additional powers on said corporation ;
H. 749. To increase, enlarge, extend, confirm, establish and ratify the charter and corporate powers of Crear's Normal College, of Lamar county, Alabama ;
H. 874. To incorporate the Corning Land, Industrial and Trust Company ;
H. 840. To authorize the mayor and board of aldermen of the town of Eutaw to pass an ordinance requiring temporary merchants doing business in said town, to first take out a license iherefor;
H. 702. To regulate the granting of licenses to sell vinous or spiritnous liquors in the county of Marshall, state of Alabama;
H. 510. To establish a uniform series of standard school books to be used in the free public schools in Marshall county

H. 857. To amend section (2) of an act to amend an act entitled an act to create a separate school district in Jackson county, to be known as Pleasant Grove, out of' a part of township 5, Range 6 east, approved February 15th, 1889;
H. 693. To authorize the commissioners court of Covington county to set aside a special tax for the pay of grand and petit jnries in said county;
H. 949. To authorize and empower the board of trustees of the Scottsboro College and Normal School to sell and convey the property anl franchises of said institution ;
H. 870. To permit and provide for tlie incorporation of separate school districts in the county of' Tuskaloosa ;
H. 665. To incorporate the Birmingham Investment and Security Company;
H. 640. To aufhorize W. D. Caddell to make title deeds to certain lands in Bibb county ;
H. 1036. To be entitled an act to provide for the disposition of cases now in the inferior courts of Cullman county;
H. 309. To fix the compensation of the sheriff of Calhoun county for ex officio services;
H. 470. To amend an act entitled an act for the preservation of game animals and birds in the counties of Tuskaloosa and Calhoun, approved February 27, 1889, so far as the same applies to Tuskaloosa county, Crenshaw county, Lee county and Calhoun county ;
H. 550. To improve the penitentiary and the convict system of Alabama;
H. 1055. To authorize the governor to cause to be intstituted, in the name of the state, proceedings for the acquiremeut by condemnation of any lands, right-of-way, or material needed for the use of of the penitentiary, or the maintenance or operation of the hard labor system of the State;
H. 937. For the relief of the Ladies' Memorial Association of Montgoinery;
H. 943. To authorize the city of Birmingham and the county of Jefferson to provide an armory for the military companies of said city ,
H. 628. To authorize the mayor and aldermen of the city of Girard, to establish a system of public schools in said city.
H. 980. To divide the county of Randolph into four commissioners' districts, and to prescribe the term of office of members of said court;
H. 936. To provide for the collection of a license on tran-

sient persons doing business as merchants in the county of Greene, and defining who are transient merchants within the meaning of this act;
H. 394. To amend 458 of the code ;
H. 398. To establish a separate school district to be known as the Hartselle school district, in Morgan county, Alabama, and for the election of a board of trustees for said school district with certain powers and privileges.

C. C. RATHER,
Chairman.

SIGNING ON SENATE AND HOUSE BILLS.

The Speaker of the House, in the presence of the house, immediately after their titles had been publicly read by the clerk, signed the bills, the titles of which are set out in the foregoing report of committee on enrolled bills, and the foregoing senate message.

At 6 p. m. the house adjourned till 7:30 p. m. to-day.

NIGHT SESSION.

The house met pursuant lo adjournment.
A quorum was present.

RESOLUTION.

Mr. Brewer offered the following resolution, which was adopted:
Resolved, That the senate be requested to return to the house s. 81.
Adopted.
The house proceeded to consider

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

s. 358. To empower William C. "Ward as the administrator of the estate of John B. Boddie, deceased, to sell the property of said estate without order of court and to borrow money by mortgaging the property of said estate to pay debts,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 57, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Bain, Barnett. Bass, Bevis, Brewer, Brown, Clanton, Clayton, Colsman, Cooper, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Finch, Forman, Gass, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Kelly, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Quarles, Sayre, Steele, Townsend of Limestoue, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

s. 443. To provide for the payment of the costs of appeal in certain criminal cases.

Was read the third tinie at length and passed—yeas 52, nays 1.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Appleton, Barnett, Blackwell, Brown, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Forman, Gass, Gordon, Gnthrie, Harrell, Henry, Hill, Howle, Johnson, Jones, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Lewis, Long, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Quarles, Roussaau, Sayre, Screws, Simmons, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan. Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Landerdale, Watters, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson.

Nay—Mr. Alexander.

s. 384. To regulate the drawing of a jury for the July term of the county court of Lawrence county,

Was read the third time at lengtli and passed—yeas 55, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Adams, Almon, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Bain, Baniett, Bass, Bevis, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Clanton, Clayton, Cooper, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Forman, Gass, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Johnson, Judge, Kelly, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Quarles, Sayre, Smaw, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

s. 488. To confirm the incorporation and organization of the Florence Investment Company, and to declare and define the powers of said company,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 56, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Bain, Barnett, Bevis, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Howle. Jackson, Johnson, Kelly, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Quarles, Rousseau, Sayre, Screws, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker :
The senate has adopted a joint resolution requesting the governor to return house bill 398 to the senate;
And has amended as therein shown, and as amended has adopted the joint resolution relative to meeting in joint convention to elect a solicitor for the Gadsden city court;
And by request of the bouse, the senate returus s. 81 to the house.

W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE.

On motion, the house adopted the senatejoiut resolution requesting the governor to return H. 398 ;
And the house concurred in the senate amendment to the house joint resolution relative to the election of a solicitor for the city court of Gadsden.
Mr. Northington moved to reconsider the vote by which s. 81 was passed;
Carried.
On motion of Mr. Northington, the bill was laid on the table,
And the house resumed consideration of

BILLS ON THIRD READING

s. 482. To confirm the incorporation and organization of

the Alabama Banking and Trust Company, and to increase and enlarge the powers of said company,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 55, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Alexander, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Gass, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lewis, Long, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Quarles, Rousseau, Sayre, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.
Mr. Wehb moved to take from the table
s. 106. To regulate garnishments against salaries and wages of persons employed,
With all pending amendments ;
Carried.
Mr. Webb moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was ordered to a third reading;
Carried.
The substitute offered by Mr. Sayre was adopted with the following bill:
S. 106. To regulate the issue of garnishments returnable before justices of the peace, and the proceeding thereon.
Mr. Brown offered an amendment, which was adopted.
The bill was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 36, nays 21.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Forman, Gass, Gordon, Harris, Henry, Jones, Judge, Kelly, Lee of Barbour, Northington, Peacock. Pettus, Poole, Powell, Sayre, Sullivan, Webb.
Nays—Messrs. Alexander, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Barnett, Bass, Guthrie, Hill, Langley, Lee of Conecuh, Long, Loveless, Nolen, Parker, Poole, Scott, Screws, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.
The house resumed consideration of

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

s. 115. To declare the town of Jacksonville in Calhoun

county, a watering place within the meaning of section 4053 of the code of 1886,
Was read the tliird time at length and passed—yeas 57, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker. Alexander, Arnason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Brown, Buck, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davis of' Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Forman, Gass, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Jackson, Jones, Kelly, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Quarles, Sayre, Screws, Sparkman, Steele. Sullivan, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.
H. 497. To fix the time of holding the chancery court in the county of Etowh, State of Alabama,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 58, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Forman, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Hill, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Lons, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Quarles, Sayre, Scott, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Tucker of Crenshaw, Watters, Webb, White, Wood, Wilson, Yuung.
s. 397. To incorporate the Colored Normal College of Lamar county,
Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 54, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Barnett, Bevis, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Gass, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell,Henry, Howle, Johnson, Kelly, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Quarles, Sayre, Scott, Simmons, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.
s. 440. To refund license money to J. E. Ray of Tallapoosa county,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 50, nays 3.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Bain, Barnett, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Forman, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Jackson, Johnson, Kelly, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Long, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Powell, Quarles, Sayre, Screws, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Watters, Webb, Wood, Young.

Nays—Messrs. Gass, Scott, Simmons.

S. 339. To prevent stock running at large in beat 4, in Lee county;

Mr. Bass moved to amend the bill by providing that its provisions should apply to beat 7 as well as beat 4 in Lee county.

Carried.

The bill was read the third time at length and passed— yeas 52, nays 5.

Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Finch, Forman, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Hufham, Johnson, Kelly, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Long, Loveless, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Scott, Steele, Townsend ot' Limestone, Watters, Webb, Wood, Wilson, Young.

Nays—Messrs. Northington, Simmons, Sullivan, Tucker of Crenshaw.

s. 349. To regulate and define the salaries of teachers in the public schools of the State of Alabama,

Was, on motion of Mr. Northington laid on the table.

s. 347. To incorporate Sheffield Savings and Trust Company,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 55, nays 2.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Finch, Gass, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Lane, Langley, Lee ot' Bar-

bour, Leigh, Long, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Powell, Purifoy, Sayre. Screws, Simmons, Smaw, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Young.

Nays—Messrs. Blackwell, Brewer.

s. 348. To incorporate National Banking Investment and Trust Company,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 55, nays 0.

Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton. Avery, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Forman, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Kelly, Lane, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Long, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Quarles, Sayre, Scott, Simmons, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Whatley, Wilson, Young.

s. 492. To amend sections 18 and 19 of an act entitled an act to amend an act entitled an act, to vacate and amend the charter and dissolve the corporation of the city of Opelika, and to provide for the application of the assets thereof in discharge of the debts of said corporatiou, approved February 19th, 1883, and to provide for the compromise of its railroad bonded indebtedness, approved February 14th, 1885,

Was read the third time at lenglh and passed-r-yeas 55, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Bain, Barnett. Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cox, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Forman, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Hill, Jackson, Johnson, Kelly, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Long, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Sayre, Screws, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale,Webb, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.

s. 500. To incorporate the North Alabama Oil and Gas Pipe Line Company,

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Appleton, Armistead, Avery, Bain, Barnelt, Bass, Bishop, Brewer, Brown, Glan-

ton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Forman, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Hill, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Long, Loveless, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Qnarles, Sayre, Scott, Simmons, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Wood, Wilson, Young.

s. 402. To confirm the incorporation and organization of the Gadsden and Attalla Railroad Company,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 57, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Bain, Barnett, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davis of Fayette, Davis of' Lamar, Finch, Forman, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Hill, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Long, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Pike, Tncker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

S. 438. To amend an act approved February 17, 1885, entitled an act, to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act to define the corporate limits of the city of Wetumpka, approved February 23, 1883,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 54, nays 0.

Yeas—Mesars. Speaker, Alexander, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Coriielins, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Edwards, Finch, Forman, Foster, Harrell, Henry, Hufham, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Long, Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Sayre, Scott, Simmons, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Webb. Whatley, Wilson, Young.

s. 395. To prevent stock from running at large in the several beats or districts in Marengo couuty and to authorize an election thereon,

Was read the Ihird tiine at length and passed—yeas 59, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Amason of Tallapoosa, Avery, Ayres, Baniett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Forman, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kemp, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Loiig. Longshore, Loveless, Nolen, Northinglon, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Webb, Whatley, White, Wood, Wilson, Young.

s. 499. To authorize the court of county commissioners of Perry couiity to establish one or more ferries across the Cahaba river in Perry county,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 55, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Bain, Barnett, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Forman, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Uenry, Jackson, .Tohnson, Jones, Kelly, Lane, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Long, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Smith of Dallas, Sparkman, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Webb, White, Wood, Young

s. 107. For the relief of John W. Miller, a citizen of Bibb county,

Was amended and was read the -third time at length and passed—yeas 56, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Bain, Barnett, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gordon, Guthrie, Henry, Howle, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Long, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Powell, Quarles, Sayre, Screws, Simmons, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young.

s. 475. To incorporate the Commercial Savings Bank of Birmingham, Alabama,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 55, nays 0.

Yeas—Mepsrs. Speaker, Alexander, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Forman, Gass, Gulhrie, Harrell, Henry, Hill, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Kelly, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Long, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Quarles, Sayre, Screws, Simmons, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Pike, Tucker ol Crenshaw, Wade, Webb, While, Wood, Wilson, Young.

s. 422. To authorize the election of township superintendents in St. Clair county,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 58, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Back, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Howle, Hufham, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Lane, Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Long, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Sayre, Screws, Simmons, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Webb, Young.

s. 322. To confirm and amend the incorporation of the Iron State Building and Loan Company,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 55, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Lane, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Long, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Sayre, Scott, Simmons, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Lauderdale, Young.

s. 386. To amend section 2 of an act entitled an act to authorize the corporate authorities of the town of New Decatur in the county of Morgan to negotiate a loan for the improvement of the streets and of the sanitary coalition of the said town and to issue bonds for the payment of said loan, approved February 13,1889,

Was read the thiid time at length and passed—yeas 85, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bisliop, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Hill, Howle, Kelly, Lane, Lee of Barbour, Leslie, Long, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Quarles, Sayre, Screws, Simmons, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wade, Watters, Webb, Whatley, Young.

s. 87. To allow husband or wife to testify for or against each other in all cases,

Was taken up.

The amendment offered by the committee was lost,

And the bill was tabled.

s. 355. To authorize and empower the commissioners court of Jefferson county, Alabama, to pay to the judge of the tenth judicial circuit of Alabama $500.00 annually,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 55, nays 3.

Yeas—Messrs. Alexander. Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelins, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Hill, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Kelly, Lane, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Leslie, Long, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Tucker of' Crenshaw, Webb, Whatley, Wilson.

Nays—Messrs. Brewer, Townsend of Pike, Young.

s. 113. To regulate and prescribe the manner of electing county commissioners, in the counties of Lamar, Fayette, Marion and Franklin,

Was read the third time at length and passed—yeas 57, nays 0.

Yess—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Forman, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry,

Hill. Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Lee of Barbour, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Sayre, Simmons, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Whatley, Wilson, Young.

s. 444. To refund to Robert McKee certain moneys paid by him into the state treasury,

Was taken np;

And, on motion of Mr. Long, was indefinitely postponed.

s. 310. To provide for heating, ventilating, lighting, repairing and furnishing the capitol and improving the capitol grounds.

Was taken up.

Mr. Alexander moved to lay the bill on the table;

Carried.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker:

The senate has passed without amendment the bills:

H. 716. To authorize the deeds, contracts, conveyances, or other instruments to be recorded again in Franklin county;

H. 1093. To require the commissioners court of roads and revenue for the county of Chambers, to cause road ovcrseers in said county to have loose stones removed fromroads of said county, so far as the same may be practicable ;

H. 741. To authorize the town of Columbia in Henry county, to borrow money and issue bonds for the purpose of constructing waterworks and electric lights and to regulate the price of water and ligbts with the citizens of the town who use the same;

H. 613. To amend section 4591 of the Code ;

H. 773. To confer upon the mayor of the city of Tuskaloosa jurisdiclion, concurrent with the county court of Tuskaloosa county, of the offenses of vagrancy, violation of Sunday laws, assaults, assaults and batteries and affrays in which no stick or other weapon is used, abusive language, cruelty to animals and public drunkenness, when committed in the corporate limits of the city of Tuskaloosa;

H. 1108. To amend section 4038 of the code of Alabama ;

H. 1110. To amend section 4036 of the code of'Alabama ;
H. 1109. To amend section 3039 of' the code of Alabama ;
H. 1064. To amend section 4 of an act entitled an act to authorize the commissioner's court, or court, or board of county revenues of the counties of Marengo, Sumpter, Moutgomery, Hale, Dallas, Autauga, Wilcox, Lowndes, Russell, Monroe, Lawrence and Perry to establish or abolish districts in which stack may be prevented from running at large, approved February 28, 1881 ;
H. 1041. To empower the auditor to extend the time for the collection and absolute release from payment of certain taxes charged against William Rollins, tax collector of Franklin county, Alabama;
H. 393. To provide tur the collection of' taxes from persons removing from one county to another during the tax year ;
H. 742. To authorize the justices of the supreme court to use a portion of the library fund in the purchase of law books for the office of the attorney general ;
H. 790. To authorize and direct the auditor to correct an error in the assessment for taxation for the year 1890, of the rolling stock of the Nashville, Florence and Sheffield Railroad Company ;
H. 738. To amend an act approved February 24,1887, entitled an act to amend section three of an act entitled an act to amend an act, approved January 28, 1870, to incorporate the town of Columbia, Henry county;
H. 751. To amend section one of an act entitled an act for the preservation of game in Limestone, Cullman and Madison counties, approved February 26, 1887 ;
H. 740. To authorize the town of Columbia, in Henry county, Alabama, to assess and collect a license tax from persons, companies, or corporations, doing business in said town;
H. 921. To protect and regulate the manner of catching and taking fish in any of the creeks in Hale county within a certain distance from where said creeks empty in the Warrior river;
H. 715. To authorize the refiling of claims against estates of deceased persons in Franklin county;
H. 645. To divide township 6, range 14, in Covington county, into two school districts ;
H. 632. To amend an act entitled an act for the protection of dogs, approved February 12, 1887 ;

H. 640. To authorize W. D. Caddell to make title to certain lands in Bibb county;
H. 607. To amend section 521 of the code, so far as the same relates to Jefferson county, Alabama ;
H. 737. For the relief of E. K. Freeman, clerk of the circuit court of Franklin couniy, Alabama;
H. 421. To create a board of education for the town of Avondale and to prescribe the powers and duties of same;
And has amended and passed the biils :
H. 139. For the relief of state witnesses in the counties of Tuskaloosa, Bibb, Chilton, Calhoun, Washington, Crenshaw, Fayette, Lauderdale, Colbert, Chambers, Pike, Cleburne, Etowah, Escambia, Covinston, Clay, Lamar, Conecuh, Randolph, Blount, Lawrence, Baldwin, St. Clair, Limestone and Morgan, in cases in which the slate fails;
H. 398. To establish a separate school district to be known as the Hartselle School District in Morgan county, Alabama, and for the election of a board of trustees for said school district with certain powers and privileges;
And has concurred in the honse amendnient to the bills:
s. 339. To prevent stock from running at large in beat four in Lee county;
s. 107. For the relief of John W. Miller, a citizen of Bibb county.

W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The house concurred in the senate amendment to the bills:
H. 139. For the relief of state witnesses in the counties of Tuskaloosa, Bibb, Chilton, Calhoun, Washington, Crenshaw, Fayette, Lauderdale, Colbert, Chambers, Pike, Cleburne, Etowah, Escambia, Covington, Clay. Lamar, Conecuh, Randolph, Blount, Lawrence, Baldwin, St. Clair, Limestone and Morgan, in cases in which the state fails.
Yeas 59, nays 0.
Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Armistead. Avery, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brown, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Crews, Cox, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Hill, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Lane,

Langley, Lee of Barbour, Leigh, Long, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parks, Peacock, Pettus. Powell, Purifoy, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Pike, Webb, White, Wood, Wilson. Young.

Also,

H. 398. To establish a separate school district to be known as the Hartselle school district, in Morgan county, Alabama, and for the election of a board of trustees for said school district with certain powers and privileges.

Yeas 58, nays 0.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Amason of Tallapoosa, Avery, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Finch, Forman, Gass, Guthrie, Harrell, Hill, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Lane, Lee of Barbour. Leigh, Long, Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Poole, Powell, Purifoy, Sayre, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Webb, Whatley, White, Wilson, Young.

RESOLUTION.

Mr. Lee of Conecuh, offered the following resolution :

Resolved, That the house pass no more bills during the session.

Adopted.

JOINT SESSION OF THE HOUSE AND SENATE.

At 9:40 o' clock p. m. the two houses met in the hall of the House of Representatives in joint session to elect, by joint ballot, a solicilor for the Gadsden city court.

The joint session was called to order by the president of the senate, who directed the secretary of the senate to call the roll of the senate.

The following senators answered to their names, being a majority of the Senate of Alabama, viz. :

Slessrs. President, Bradley, Berry, Bloch, Cowan, Compton, Davie, Downey, Grant, Godfrey, Handley, Haralson, Harris of Hale, Hayes, Hundley, Inzer, Lackey, Milner, Minge, Parker, Parks, Reynolds, Skeggs, Smith of Autauga, Smith of Mobile, Stallworth, Wiley, Williams—28.

The speaker of the house directed the clerk of the house to call the roll of the house, when the following members answered to their names, being a majorily of' the house of representatives of Alabama, viz. :

Messrs. Speaker, Amason of'ïallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Burford, Clanton, C'layton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gilchrist, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Harris, Henry, Howle, Johnson, Kelly, Lane, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Long, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Limestone, Tucker of Crenshaw, Tucker of Lauderdale, Watters, Webb, Wood, Wilson, Young.—61.

The president of the senate announced that there being a quorum of the General Assembly of Alabama present, the convention was ready tu proceed with the election of a solicitor for the Gadsden city court, for which purpose the joint convention was held, aud that nominations were in order.

Mr. Milner, of the snnate, placed in nomination for solicitor of the Gadsden city court, Hon. Benjamin F. Pope, of Gadsden.

Those who voiced for Mr. Pope, of the senate, are:

Messrs. President, Bradley, Berry, Bloch, Cowan, Compton, Davie, Downey, Grant, Godfrey, Handley, Haralson, Harris of Lee, Hayes, Hundley, Inzer, Lackey, Milner, Minge, Parker, Parks, Reynolds, Skeggs, Smith of Autauga, Stallworth, Wiley, Williams—27.

And of the house:

Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Tallapoosa. Appleton, Avery, Bain, Barnefct, Bass, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Burford, Clanton, Clayton, Coleman, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Forman, Foster, Gasa, Gordon, Guthrie, Harris, Hill, Howle, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Lane, Lee of Barbour, Lee of Conecuh, Loug. Loveless, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Scott, Screws, Simmons, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Pike, Tucker ot' Webb, Whatley, Wood, Wilson, Young—62.

The speaker of the house then proclaimed that Hon. Benj. F. Pope having received a majority of all the votes cast, was

duly and constitutionally elected solicitor for the Gadsden city court for the time prescribed by law.
The president of the senate then announced that the object of the joint convention having been accomplished, the convention was dissolved.
The senate then retnrned to the senate chamber, and the house proceeded with the regular order of business.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR

By Mr. Jones recording secretary,

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR,

MONTGOMERY, February 18th, 1891.

To the House of Representatives:

I return herewith without my approval H. 640, "to authorize W. D. Caddell, to make titles to certain lands in Bibb county." The body of the act provides that all deeds made by Caddell, executor of Susan Caddell, to certain described lands, "shall be binding and valid Loth in law and equity."
I am not infonned, and have been unable to learn, owing to the absense of the member wlio introduced tlie bill, the reasons which it is supposed justify its passage, nor do I know the terms of the will or the power granted the executor. A sale by the executor necessarily concerns, it may be, the interest and title of heirs or devisees and perhaps creditors. They are entitled to a day in court.
If the will gives the power to sell, it should be followed, and the legislature ought not undertake to change the testators directions. If it does not give such power, those interested in the estate should have the right to insist that the sales be made in accordance with the general law, and under the safeguards which it provides in such cases.

THOS. G. JONES,
Governor.

RECONSIDERATION.

The house proceeded to reconsider
H. 640. To anthorize W. D. Caddell, to make titles to certain lands in Bibb county,
And the bill was lost—nays 53, yeas 0.

Nays—Messrs. Speaker, Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Avery, Bain, Barnett, Bevis, Bishop, Blackwell, Brewer, Brown, Buck, Clanton, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Davis of Lamar, Finch Gorman, Gass, Gordon, Guthrie, Harrell, Henry, Johnson, Lee of Barbour, Long, Loveless, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Northington, Parker, Parks, Peacock, Pettus, Powell, Purifoy, Quarles, Sayre, Scott, Screws Simmons, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Watters, Whatley, Wood, Young.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

By Mr. Jones, recording secretary,

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR,

MONTGOMERY, February 18, 1891.

To the House of Representatives:

I return herewith without my approval house bill 870, "To permit and provide for the incorporation of separate school districts in the county of Tuskaloosa."

The commedable purpose intended to be accomplished by the bill I regret to find, are commingled with a provision in the 13th section which authorizes the trustees “to levy a tax not to exceed one-half of one per centum upon the taxable property, real and personal," in the school districts which may be tbrmed under the law,fbr school purposes.

Under the constifcution the legislature has no power to confer such a right upon the school trustees. This has been more than once decided by the highest court in Alabama, the last and authoritative expounder of its constitution. See Schultes vs. Eberly, 82 Ala. 242.

I am aware that some of my "predecessors have approved similar bills, bnt this was before the question had been definitely and linally settled by tlie decisions of our supreme court.

Thos. G. JONES,
Governor.

RECONSIDERATION.

The house proceeded to consider

H. 870. To permit and provide for the incorporation of separate school districts in the county of Tuskaloosa;

And the bill was lost—yeas 33, nays 28.

Yeas—Messrs. Speaker, Alexander, Bain, Barnett, Bass, Bevis, Brewer, Burford, Cooper, Cornelius, Crews, Davidson, Davis of Fayette, Forman, Foster, Gass, Gordon, Harrell, Jackson, Jones, Lane, Langley, Lee of Conecuh, Loveless, Northington, Parker, Parks, Powell, Scott, Simmons, Townsend of Pike, Tucker of Crenshaw, Wilson.

Nays—Messrs. Amason of Tallapoosa, Appleton, Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Clayton, Davis of Lamar, Finch, Henry, Hill, Howle, Johnson, Lee of Barbour, Long, Moore of Madison, Nolen, Pettus, Purifoy, Sayre, Smith of Dallas, Sparkman, Steele, Sullivan,Tucker of Lauderdale, Webb, Whatley, Wood, Young.

RESOLUTIONS

Were offered as follows :

By Mr. Clayton—

Resolved, That this house tender to Hon. N. N. Clements heartfelt thanks for his patience, ability, and impartiality as speaker;

Adopted.

By Mr. Quarles—

Resolved, That this house tender hearty thanks to all the clerks and employees for their courteous and f'aithful discharge of duty;

Adopted.

By Mr. Brown—

Resolved, That the thanks of this house are due and heartily tendered to the clergy of the city of Montgomery for their valuable services in opening the daily session with prayer;

Adopted.

By Mr. Sullivan—

Resolved, that the thanks of the house are due the press of the state for their generous attentions in furnishing their members with their respective pnblications ;

Adopted.

By Mr. Guthrie—

Resolved, That the thanks of this house are due and are hereby extended to the Mobile Daily Register and the Birmingham Daily News for the supply of their daily issues during the present session;

Adopted.

ted.

By Mr. Brown—
-Resolved, by the house, the senate concurring, That a joint committee of three on the part of the house and two on the part of the senate be appointed to wait on the governor and ascertain if he has anything further to communicate to the general assembly;
Adopted.
And the speaker appointed Messrs. Brown, Moore of Madison, and Forman.
By Mr. Avery—
Resolved, That the thanks of the house are due the reporters of' the daily press for their impartial and faithful reports;
Adopted.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker :

The senate has adopted a joint resolution relative to the appointment of a committee to wait upon the governor to ascertain if he has any further communication to make to the general assembly.
Committee on the part of the senate: Messrs. Inzer and Handley.

W. L. CLAY,
Secretary.

SENATE MESSAGE.

The house concurred in the senate joint resolution relative to raising a joint cornmittee to wait on the governor, and the speaker appointed as said comrnittee, on part of the house, Messrs. Brown, Moore of Madison, and Forman.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Mr. Speaker:

The president of the senate having signed the following bills, your signature thereto is requested :
s. 237. An act to amend certain sections of the charter of the town of Oxford, and to give said town of Oxford power to issue bonds;

s. 472. To authorize the city of New Decatur to levy and collect license taxes upon professions, occupations, vocations and businesses practiced or engaged in, within said city ;
s. 354. To better provide for the establishment and working of' the public roads in this state;
s. 170. To establish a new charter for the city of Decatur;
s. 88. To prohibit tlie selling, giving away or otherwise disposing of alcoholic, vinons or malt liquors, or other intoxicating drinks or beverages, or fruits preserved in alcoholic liquors within three rniles of the Hebron Baptist church, in Pickens county, and other places in other counties therein named, and known as the Omnibus Prohihition Act;
s. 58. To amend the charter of the city of Montgomery, and various acts amendatory thereof;
s. 240. To establish a charter for the town of Gurleys, in Madison county;
s. 488. To confirm the incorporation and organization of the Florence Investment Company, and to declare and define the powers of said company ;
s. 355. To authorize and require the commissioners court of Jefferson county, Alabama, to pay to the judge of the tenth judicial circuit five hundred dollars annually;
s. 475. To incorporate the Commercial Savings Bank of Birmingham, Alabama;
s. 492. To amend sections 18 and 19 of an act entitled an act to amend an act entitled an act to vacate and amend the charter and dissolve the corporation of the city of Opelika, and to provide for the application of the assets thereof, in discharge of the debts of' tlie said corporation, approved February 19, 1883, and to provide for the compromise of its railroad bonded indebtedness, approved February 14, 1885 ;
s. 107. For the relief of John W. Miller, a citizen of Bibb county, Alabama;
s. 464. To incorporate the Alabama City Land and Development Company;
s. 114. To incorporate the Alabama, Florida and Mississippi Railroad Company, and to further the construction of said railroad;
s. 386. To amend section two of an act entitled an act to authorize the corporate authorities of the town of New Decatur, in the county of Morgan, to negotiate a loan for the improvenent of the streets and of the sanitary condition of said town, and to issue bonds for the payment of said loan, approved February 13th, 1889;

s. 438. To amend an act approved February 17th, 1885, entitled an act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act to define the corporate limits of the city of Wetumpka, approved February 23rd, 1883 ;
s. 500. To incorporate the North Alabama Oil and Gas Pipe Line Company;
s. 499. To authorize the court of county commissioners of Perry county to establish one or more ferries across the Cahaba river in Perry county;
s. 106, To regulate the issue of garmshments returnable before justices of the peace and the proceedings thereon;
s. 422. To authorize the election of township superintendents in St. Clair county ;
s. 403. To confirm the incorporation and organization of the Gadsden and Attalla Railroad Company;
s. 397. To incorporate the Colored Normal College of Lamar county;
s. 113. To regulate and prescribe the manner of selecting county commissioners in the counties of Lamar, Fayette, Marion and Franklin ;
s. 384. To regulate the drawing of a jury for the July term of the county court of Lawrence county;
s. 339. To prevent stock from running at large in beats four and seven, in Lee county;
s. 425. To incorporate the town of Vienna, in the county of Pickens;
s. 440. To refund the license money to James E. Ray, of Tallapoosa connty;
s. 215. To aid state and county agricultural fairs ;
s. 443. To provide for the payment of costs of appeal in certain criminal cases;
s. 347. To incorporate Sheffield Savings and Trust Oompany;
s. 348. To incorporate National Banking Investment and Trust Company;
s. 482. To confirm the incorporation and organization of the Alabama Banking and Trust Company, and to increase and enlarge the powers of said company;
s. 497. To fix the time of holding the chancery court in the county of Etowah, state of Alabama.
s. 489. To authorize the governor to issue to John B. Manning a new state coupon bond for five hundred dollars in the lieu and stead of class "A" bond No. 7255;

s. 395. To prevent stock from running at large in the several beats or districts in Marengo county, and to authorize an election thereon;
s. 92. To amend section 4571 (4546) of the code:
s. 110. To amend sections 19 and 20 of the code of 1886;
s. 133. To provide for paying the accounts of sheriffs against the state;
s. 253. To authorize justices of the peace and notaries public with ex-officio powers as justices of the peace in beats 16 and 17 and 22, Jefferson county, to exercise exclusive jurisdiction in said beats ;
s. 264. To amend section 4631 of the code;
s. 282. To amend section 2908 of the code of 1886 ;
s. 283. To establish a new charter for the town of Carrollton;
s. 285. To incorporate the Anniston Banking and Loan Association of Anniston, Alabama;
s. 418. To authorize the mayor and councilmen of Troy in Pike county to erect and maintain or otherwise provide a system of water works for the city of Troy and issue bonds in payment therefor in an amount not exceeding fifty thousand dollars ;
s. 248. To establish and define the corporate limits of the city of Gadsden;
s. 461. To ratify the consolidation of the Mobile and Mississippi River Railroad Company with the Mississippi River and Mexican Gulf Railroad Company;
s. 462. For the better protection of the capitol and grounds and for the preservation of order therein;
s. 468. To cede to the United States jurisdiction over the lands of Mount Vernon Barracks and Fort Morgan ;
s. J. R. To authorize the treasurer to use the t'ees paid into the treasury for exchange of registered bonds to provide new blank bonds;
s. 161. To amend section one of an act entitled an act to establish a new charter for the town of Evergreen, in Conecuh county, approved February 5th, 1881 ;
s. 115. To declare the town of Jacksonville, in Calhoun county, Alabama, a watering place, within the meaning of section 4053 of' the code of 3886 ;
s. 358. To empower William 0. Ward, as the administrator of the estate of John B. Boddie, deceased, to sell the property of said estate without, order of court and to borrow

money by mortgaging the property of the said estate to pay debts.

W. L CLAY,
Secretary.

REPORT FROM COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Speaker:

The committee on enrolled bills report the following bills correctly enrolled:
H. 1095. To amend section eight of an act entitled an act to incorporate the town of Auburn, Lee county, Alabama, approved February 23rd, 1875;
H. 626. To prohibit the driving of live animals into or the placing of dead bodies of animals in any ditch or canal, operated for the purpose of floating logs or timber. within the limits of the county of Escambia;
H. 617. For the relief of parties whose lands have been sold for taxes ;
H. 619. To refund to George G. White and Chariton Alexander $107.55 erroneously paid by them into the state treasury for purchase of certain lands previously sold by the state;
H. 792. To regulate the trial of misdemeauors in the county Macon;
H. 998. To incorporate the State Savings Association and define its powers and authority;
H. 716. To authorize the deeds, contracts, conveyances, or other instruments to be recorded again in Franklin county;
H. 613. To amend section 4591 of the code ;
H. 393. To provide for the collection of taxes from persons removing from one county to another during the tax year;
H. 736. To authorize the subslitution of the bonds of the county officers, justices of the peace, notaries public, constables, administrators and guardians in Franklin couuty ;
H. 742. To authorize the justices of the supreme court to use a portion of the library fund in the purchase of law books for the office of attorney-general;
H. 632. To amend an act eutitled an act for the protection of dogs, approved February 12, 1887;
H. 308. To finally dispose of' lands which have been sold for its taxes, and bid in for the state;

H. 772. To confer apon the mayor of the city of Tuskaloosa jurisdiction concurrent with the county court of Tuskaloosa of the offenses of vagrancy, violations of Sunday laws, assaults and batteries, and affrays in wlucli no stick or other weapon is used, abusive language, cruelty to animals and public drunkenness, when committed in the corporate limits of the city of Tuskaloosa;

H. 921. To protect and regulute the manner of catching and taking fish in any of the creeks in Hale county within a certain distance from where said creeks empty into the Warrior river;

H. 1064. To amend section 4 of an act entitled an act to authorize the commissioners court, or court, or board of county revenues of the counties of Marengo, Sumter, Montgomery, Hale, Dallas, Autauga, Wilcox, Lowndes, Russell, Monroe, Lawrence and Perry to establish or abolish districts in which stock may be prevented Irom running at large, approved February 28/1881;

H. 307. To ratify and amend the incorporation of the Birmingham Bar Association of Birmingham, Alabama, and to enlarge the power thereof;

H. 1108. To amend section 4038 of the code of Alabama;

H. 1110. To amend section 4036 of the code of Alabama ;

H. 751. To arnend section one of an act entitled an act for the preservation of game in Lirnestone, Cullman and Madison counties, approved February 26th, 1887 ;

H. 811. To extend the jurisdiction of the notary public and ex-officio justice of the peace in ward number four of the city of Anniston, so as to cover the corporate limits of the city of Anniston ;

H. 872. To amend section 1 of an act approved February 12th, 1879, entitled an act to establish the Warrior Agricultural District, to provide for the securing of the same and the management of its affairs;

H. 803. To amend an act entitled an act to amend sections 463 and 529 of the code of Alabama, approved February 28th, 1889;

H. 1072. To amend section two of an act entitled an act to amend the charter of the First Presbyterian church ot Talladega, Alabama;

H. 986. To amend section 2 of an act entitled an act to establish a new cliarter for the city of Talladega, approved February 28th, 1887;

H. 929. To establish a separate school district in Cherokee county, and to define the boundaries thereof;
H. 205. To create the office of inspector of mines, and prescribe the duties of said office;
H. 945. To amend sections 7, 10 and 20 of an act entitled an act to create a new charter for the city of Florence, Alabama, approved Febrnary 28th, 1889 ;
H. 399. To amend section nine (9) of an act entitled an act to establish the city court of Decatur, approved February 8th, 1889;
H. 610. To amend sections 2 and 16 of an act entitled an act to amend an act entitled an act to establish the city court of Birmingham, which was approved February 28th, 1889 ;
H. 244. To allow the constable in beat No. 36, in Dallas county, Alabama, to appoint deputies ;
H. 598. To prevent hunting on land without written consent of owner or his agent, in Dallas county, Alabama ;
H. 359. To amend section 5 of an act entitled an act to regulate the holding of the circuit court of Henry county, approved February 17th, 1885;
H. 672. To incorporate the Alabama Military Institute at Tuskegee, Macon county, Alabama;
H. 765. To declare the Montgomery Shooting Club a social club within the meaning of section 4053 of the code of Alabama;
H. 954. To establish the legal weights of agricultural products in this state ;
H. 767. To ainend an act to authorize the commissioners court of Perry county to establish or abolish districts in said county in which stock may be prevented from running at large, approved February 15th, 1889:
H. 821. To repeal section 1 of an act entitled an act to prohibit the sale, giving away or otherwise disposing of vinous, spirituous or malt liquors, intoxicating bitters, or cordials, or fruits preserved in alcoholic liquors within five miles of Valley Springs Academy, Blount county, and other places therein named and known as the 'Omnibus Bill," approved December 10th, 1888, so far as the saine relates to the town of Guin, in Marion county;
H. 987. To amend section 3878 of the code, so far as the same relates to Cherokee and Etowah counties ;
H. 981. To authorize the mayor and councilmen of Troy, to erect and maintain a system of electric lights and to issue

bonds in payment thereof in an amount not exceeding twenty thousand dollars;
H. 582. To prevent camp hunting in Blount county, Alabama;
H. 1093. To require the commissioners court of roads and revenue for the county of Chambers, to cause road overseers in said county to have loose stones removed from roads of said county, so far as the same may be practicable;
H. 61. To regulate the election of municipal officers in the city of Montgomery;
H. 743. To confirm the incorporation of the Shakespeare Club of Birmingham, Alabama, and the change of the name of said club to the Alabama Club, and to enlarge the powers and capacities of said club ;
H. 790. To authorize and direct the auditor to correct an error in the assessment for taxation for the year 1890, of the rolling stock of the Nashville, Florence and Sheffield Railroad cornpany;
H. 607. To amend section 521 of the code, so far as the same relates to Jefferson county.
H. 738. To amend an act approved February 24, 1887, entitled an act to amend section three of an act entitled an act, approved January 38, 1870, to incorporate the town of Columbia, Henry county;
H. 814. To repeal an act entitled an act to amend section 5049 of the code of 1876, as far as it relates to Clay county;
H. 783. To incorporate the Brotherhood of, Dependent Neighbors;
H. 740. To authorize the town of Columbia, in Henry county, Alabama, to assess and collect a license tax from persons, companies, or corporations, doing business in said town;
H. 1041. To empower the auditor to extend the time for the collection, and ahsolute release from payment of certain taxes charged against William Rollins, tax collector of Franklin county, Alabama;
H. 1109. To amend section 4039 of the code of Alabama;
H. 568. To amend section 7 of an act entitled an act to incorporate Howard College, in Marion, Perry county, approved December 29, 1841;
H. 3 39. For the relief of state witnesses in the counties of Tuskaloos, Bibb, Chilton, Calhonn, Washington, Crenshaw, Fay-

ette, Lauderdale, Culbert, Chambers, Pike, Cleburne, Etowah, Escambia, Covington, Clay, Lamar, Conecuh, Randolph, Blount, Lawrence, Baldwin, St. Clair, Limestone and Morgan, in cases in which the state fails;
H. 645. To divide township 6, range 14, in Covington county, into two school districts ;
H. 421. To create a board of education for the town of Avondale, and to prescribe the powers and duties of the same;
H. 741. To authorize the town of Columbia, in Henry county, to borrow money and issue bonds for the purpose of constructing water works and electric lights, and to regulate the price of water and liglits with the citizens of the town who use the same;
H. 715. To authorize the refiling of claims against estates of deceased persons in Franklin county;
H. 737. For the relief of E. R. Freeman, clerk of the circuit court of Franklin county, Alabama ;
H. 325. To regulate the trials of misdemeanors in Geneva county;
H. 433. To provide a fund for the payment of witnesses for the state in the circnit and county court of Wilcox county, and to prescribe their compensation,

C. C. RATHER.
Chairman

SIGNING OF SENATE AND HOUSE BILLS.

The speaker of the house, in the presence of the house, immediately after their titles had been publicly read by the clerk, signed tlie bills, tlie titles of which are set out in the foregoing senate message and the foregoing report of the committee on enrolled bills.
Mr. Brown, from the committee to wait on the governor, reported that they had performed their duty and that the governor had no further communications for the house; and the committee was discharged.
Tlie journal of to-day was read and approved.
The following reinarks were then delivered by the speaker :

Gentlemen of the House of Eepresentatives :

The labors of this session of the legislature are now about

to come to a close, by the limitations of the constitution ; and before pronouncing a fuial adjournment, I desire to say a few words on taking leave of each other.

Your arduous duties here as law-makers are ended. Your work here has now become a part of the public history of the state. How well you have perforrned your duties is not for me to say, but they will be judged critically by their practical application in the future. You have manifested a marked interest and desire to legislate for the good of the state and the interest of the people.

You may possibly have committed errors and mistakes, in your earnest endeavor to advance the prosperity of the state, but I believe you have labored honestly and faithfully in every instance to represent the great interests and wishes of your constituency. If we have committed any mistakes, I am assured they are errors of judgment and not that of any intended wrong. We can not hope to always do right, without some errors being committed. I feel safe in saying to you, gentlemen, that in all my past experience for twenty years of legislation, that I have never seen a better body of men as legislators assembled here. I have never presided over a better body of men than those now comprising this house; and I feel peculiarly honored in being selected by you as your presiding officer.

While my duties have been many and of grave responsibility, and at times of a most delicate nature, in deciding questions, yet I have honestly and faithiully tried to perform them with fairness and impartiality. 1 have honestly endeavored to do justice to all, and render to each niember due courtesy and impartiality, and if at any time I have failed to recognize the rights, or done injustice to any gentleinan on the floor, I assure you it was not intentional, and the only reparation in my power I now make, is saying I regret it.

Our work as representatives of the people in the important trust of legislation is now ended, and we shall at once separate, bid farewell to each other and return to our homes and our constituency, content that our labors shall abide the test of their judgment and the experiment of time.

I beg you, gentlemen, to accept my cordial thanks and gratitude for the generous appreciatioa of my services, and for the kind manner in which it has been expressed. The kind senti-

ment expressed in the resolution just adopted, awakens in my heart the most pleasing thoughts and emotions. I shall treasure them in my memory as a precious recollection of our associations as members of this general assembly. As your presiding officer, I am greatly indebted to you for your forbearance and generous aid in the performance of my arduous and responsible duties in presiding over your deliberation. In acknowledging my obligations to you, I can not refrain from mentioning with gratitude those gentlemen who, from time to time, have so kindly aided me in my tasks, in occupying the chair. To these gentlemen I am greatly indebted, and I tender them my sincere thanks. I can not forget also to mention the able and efficient clerk of the house and his assistants, who by their ability, prornptness and faithfulness to duty, and uniform courtesy, greatly aided the speaker in the dispatch of the public business.

My associations with you, gentlemen, during the labors of this session, have been those of a most pleasant character, and during our intercourse here a friendship has grown up between us that can not soon be forgotten.

I trust, gentlemen, that I have now the confidence and friendship of each one of you, and I can assure you that I will carry with me in my retirement from office the fondest recollection of, and the warmest personal friendship for each one of you. I trust and hope that many of you who now constitute this house will return again as members of the next legislature. It is certain, however, that we will not all meet again.

It is this thought that throws a shadow of sadness over this oceasion. But this attachment that we have here forrned, and the pleasant associations connected with our official duties here, I trust will be remembered by us, and retained among the treasures of the heart. And if, perchance any one of you in after years should recall my name, or think of me in connection with any incident that may have occurred, I trust you will remember it with emotions of kindness, pleasure and friendship.

And now, tendering you again my grateful acknowledgment for the many favors, and the confidence reposed in rne, I heartily wish each one of you, gentlemen, well, and you carry with you my sincere desire for your future success, prosperity and happiness. I now proceed to the performance of the only duty which remains to me, by announcing, as I now do, that

the house of representatives of the state of Alahama stands adjourned sine die.

N. N. CLEMENTS,

Speaker of the house of representatives.

Attest:

BENJ. F. ELMORE,

Clerk of the house of represntatives.

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Wood (by request)—
H. 1. November 14, '90, read first, agriculture.
November 20, '90, adverse report.

Adams—
H. 2. November 14, '90, read lirst, revision of laws.
November 20, '90, reported favorably, read second, calendar.
November 22, '90, read third, passed.

Whatley—
H. 3. November 14, '90, read first, public roads and high-ways.
November 20, '90, reported favorably, rea4 second, calendar.
December 5, '90, adverse report.

Harris—
H. 4. November 14. '90, read first, education.
November 19, '90, reported favorably, read second, calendar.

Cooper—
H. 5. November 14 '90, read first, judiciary.
November 15, '90, reported tavorably, read second.
November 17, '90, read third, passed, ordered senate forthwith.
November 24, '90, signed.

Cooper—
H. 6. November 14, '90, read first, corporations.
November 21, '90, reported favorably, read second, calendar.
November 29, '90, read third, passed.
December 10, '90, signed.
December 10, '90, vetoed, reconsidered, lost.

Northington—
H. 7. November 14, '90, read first, judiciary.
December 4, '90, reported favorably (with sub.), read second.
December 6, '90, substitute adopted, read third, passed. December 10, '90, signed.

Armistead—
H. 8. November 11, '90, read second, judiciary.

Armistead—
H. 9. November 14, '90, read first, judiciary.

Rousseau (with petition)—
H. 10. November 14, '90, read first, agriculture.
November 18, '90, reported favorably, read second.
November 20, '90, read third, passed.
December 1, '90, signed.

Edwards—
H. 11. November 14, '90, read first, education.
December 6, '90, reported favorably, read second.
December 8, '90, read third, passed.
February 16, '91, concurred in senate amendment.
February 8, '91, signed.

Edwards—
H. 12. November 14, '90, read first, temperance.
November 18, 90, reported favorably, read second.
November 20, '90, read third, passed.

Edwards—
H. 13. November 14, '90. read first, corporations.

November 19, '90, reported favorably, read second.
November 20, '90, read third, passed.
December 3, '90, signed.

Smith of Dallas—
H. 14. November 14, '90, read first, appropriations.
November 28, '90, reported favorably (with amendment), read second.
November 29, '90, special order Tuesday next at 12 m.
December 2, amended.
December 3, amended.
December 4, read third, passed.
December 10, '90, signed.

Smith of Dallas—
H. 15. November 14, '90, read first, appropriations.
November 19, '90, favorably withamendment, read second, calendar.
November 20, '90, amended, read third, passed.
November 26, '90, signed.

Quarles—
H. 16. November 14, '90, read first, commerce and common carriers.
November 19, '90, reported adversely, taken up, read second.
January 29, '91, indefinitely postponed.

Quarles—
H. 17. November 14, ‘90, readfirst, judiciary.
December 6, '90, favorably, read second.
February 7, '91, read third, passed.

Quarles—
H. 18. November 14, '90, read first, agriculture.
November 18, '90. reported favorably, read second.

Quarles—
H. 18. November 14, '90, read first, agriculture.
November 18, '90, reported favorably, read second.
November 24, read third, special order, December 27, after journal.
January 27, '91, tabled.

Quarles—
H. 19. November 14, '90, read first, judiciary.

Quarles—
H. 20. November 14, '90, read first, judiciary.
January 26, '91, adversely, read second.
February 2, '91, substitule adopted, read third, passed.
February 18, '91, signed.

Quarles—
H. 21. November 14, '90, read first, judiciary.

Quarles—
H. 22. November 14, '90, read first, judiciary.

Quarles—
H. 23. November 14, '90, read first, education.
November 17, '90, returned and referred to judiciary.
Quarles—
H. 24. November 14, '90, read first, judiciary.
November 15, adversely.
December 8, '90, taken up from adverse report, read second, calendar.

Quarles—
H.25. November 14,'90, read first, judiciary.

Quarles—
H. 26. November 14, '90, read first, revision of laws.
November 21, '90, adverse report.

Quarles—
H. 27. November 14, '90, read first, revision of laws.
November 18, '90, reported favorably, read second.
November 19, '90, read third, passed.
December 1, '90, signed.

Wade—
H. 28. November 14, '90, read first, privileges and elec-

tions.
November 14, '90, reported favorably, read second.
November 20, '90, read third, passed.
December 1, '90, signed.

Wade—
H. 29. November 14, '90, read first, corporations.
November 17, '90, reported favorably, read second.
November 18, '90, read third, passed.
December 12, '90, signed.

Wade—
H. 30. November 14, '90, read first, judiciary.
November 14, '90, reported favorably, read second.
November 19, '90, read third, passed.
November 26, '90, signed.

Davis of Fayette—
H. 31. November 14, '90, read first, local legislation.
November 19, '90, reported favorably, read second.
November 21, '90, read third, passed.
December 8, '90, signed.

Coleman—
H. 32. November 14, '90, read first, temperance.
November 20 '90, reported favorably, read second.
November 22, '90, read third, passed.
December 8, '90, signed.
Avery—
H. 33. November 14, '90, read first, ways and means.
December 6, '90, adverse.

Leslie, (with petition)—
H. 34. Novernber 14, '90, read first, temperance.
Novernber 18, '90, reported favorably, read second.
November 20, '90, read third, passed.

Clanton—
H. 35. November 14, '90, read first,judiciary.
November 17, '90, reported favorably, read second.
November 18, '90, read third, passed.
November 26, 90, signed.

Clanton (with notice and proof)—
H. 36, November 14,'90, read first, judiciary.
December 4, '90, adverse report.
Parks—
H. 37. November 14, '90, read first, local legislation.
November 28, '90, favorably reported, read second. December 10, '90, amended, read third and passed.
January 30, '91, signed.
Henry—
H. 38. November 14, '90, read first, education.
November 18, '90, reported favorably, read second.
November 19, '90, read third, passed.
February 6, '91, concurred in senate amendment.
February 7, '91, signed.
Henry—
H. 39. November 14, '90, read first, judiciary.

Henry—
H. 40. November 14, '90, read first corporations.
November 19, '90, favorably, read second.
November 20, '90, read third, passed.
December 3, '90, signed.
Henry—
H. 41. November 14, '90, read first, education.
November 18, '90, reported favorably, read second.
November 19, '90, read third and passed.
December 5, '90, signed.
Henry—
H. 42. November 14, '90, read first, judiciary.
December 6, '90, favorably, read second.
Henry—
H. 43. November 14, '90, read first, revision of laws.
November 18, '90, reported favorably, amended,
read second.
November 19, '90, read third, passed.

Henry—
H. 44. November 14, '90, read first, revision of laws.
November 18, '90, returned and referred to ways
and means.
December 6, '90, adverse.
Brown—
H. 45. November 14, '90, read first, corporations.
November 18,'90, reported favorably, readsecond.
November 20, '90, read third, passed.
December 2, '90, signed.
Brown—
H. 46. Novemberl4, '90, readfirst, corporations.
November 19, '90, reported favorably, read second.
November 21, '90, read third, passed.
December 9, '90, signed.
Browa—
H. 47. November 14, '90, read first, revision of laws.
November 28, '90, adverse report.
December 8, '90, read second.
Brown—
H. 48. November 14, '90, read first judiciary.
November 26, '90, reported favorably, read second
December 8, '90, amended, read third, passed.
December 10, '90, signed.
Tucker (from Lauderdale)—
H. 48. November 14, '90, read first, judiciary.
November 22, '90, reported favorably, read second.
December 2, '90, read third, passed.
December 8, '90, signed.
Bass—
H. 50. November 14, '90, read first, local legislalion.
November 28, '90, reported favorably, read second.
December 2, '90, amended, read third, passed.
December 8, '90, signed.

Jackson—
H. 51. November 14, '90, read first, judiciary.

November 17. '90, reported adversely.
December 8, '90, read second.
January 24, '91, read third and passed.
February 14, '91, signed.

Young—
H. 52. November 14, '90, read first, local legislation.
November 20, '90, report.ed favorably, read second.
November 23, '90, read third, passed.
December 5, '90, signed.

Sullivan—
H. 53. November 14. '90, read first, revision of laws.
February 14, '91, adverse.

Sullivan—
H. 54. November 14, '90. read first, revision of laws.
December 6, '90, favorably, substitute, read second.
January 20, '91, tabled.

Buck—
H. 55. November 14, '90, read first, revision oflaws.
November 18, '90, reported favorably, read second.
November 19, '90, read third passed.

Buck—
H. 56. November 14, '90, read first, ways and rneans.
November 18, '90, returned and referred to revision
of laws.
February 14, '91, adverse.

Buck—
H. 57. November 14, '90, read first, ways and means.
November 18, '90, returned and referred to judici-
ary.
December 6, '90, adverse.
Lewis—
H. 58. November 14, '90, read first, ways and means.
November 28, '90, adverse.
Lewis—
H. 59. November 14, '90, read first, judiciary.

November 17, ’90, returned and referred to ways and means.
November 20, ’90, adverse report, , read second, calendar.
January 31, ’91, recommitted to ways and means.

Lewis—
H. 60. November 14, ’90, read first, revision of laws.
February 14, ’91, adverse.

Screws—
H. 61. November 14, ’90, read first, local legislation.
December 4, ’90, favorably, amendment, read second.
February 2, ’91, read third and passed.
February 18, ’91, senate amendment concurred in, signed.

Screws—
H. 62. November 14, ’90, read first, judiciary.
November 17, ’90, returned and referred penitentiary and criminal administration.
December 4, ’90, adverse report.

Screws—
H. 63. November 14, ’90, returned and referred penitentiary and criminal administration.
December 4, ’90, adverse report.

Screws—
H. 64 November 14, ’90, read first, judiciary.
November 17, ’90, returned and referred to penitentiary and criminal administration.
December 4, ’90, adverse report.

Screws—
H. 65 November 14, ’90, read first, judiciary.
December 6, ’90, adverse.

Screws—
H. 66 November 14, ’90, read first, judiciary.
December 6, ’90, adverse.

Sayre—
H. 67. November 14,'90, read first, judiciary.
November 22, '90, reported favorably, read second,
calendar.
December 2, '90. read third and passed.
December 10, '90, signed.

Sayre—
H. 68. November 14, '90, read first, judiciary.

White—
H. 69. November 14, '90, read first, revision of laws.
November 28, '90, favorably, read second.
December 5, '90, amended, read third, passed.
February 16, '91, signed.

White—
H. 70. November 14, '90, read first, judiciary.
November 17, '90, reported favorably, read second.
November 18, '90, read third, passed.
November 26, '90, non-concur in senate amend-
ment, conference committee.
December 4, '90, conference report concurred in.
December 9, '90, signed.

White—
H. 71. November 14,'90, read first, reviaion of laws.
November 18, '90, reported favorably, read second.
November 19, '90, read thiid, passed.
December 3, '90, signed.

White—
H. 72. November 14, '90, read first, public roads and high-
ways.
December 6, '90, favorably, amendment, read sec-
ond.
December 10, '90, amended,read third, passed.
January 29, '91, signed.

White—
H. 73. November 14, '90, read first, revision of laws.
November 28, '90, adverse report.

White—
H. 74. November 14, '90, read first, revision of laws.
November 28, '90, adverse report.

White—
H. 75. Noveniber 14, '90, read first, revision of laws.
November 28, '90, adverse report.

White—
H. 76. November 14, '90, read first, revision of laws.
November 18, '90, reported favorably, read second.
November 19, '90, read third, passed.
November 29, '90, signed.

Townsend of Pike—
H. 77. November 14, '90, read first, revision of laws.
November 18, '90, adverse.

Townsend of Pike—
H. 78. November 14, '90, read first, judiciary.

Barnett—
H. 79. November 14, '90, read first, revision of laws.
November 18, '90, adverse.

Barnett—
H. 80. November 14,'90, readfirst, revision of laws.
November 20, '90, adverse report.

Barnett—
H. 81. November 14, '90, read first, judiciary.
January 30, '91, favorably, read second.

Ayres—
H. 82. November 14, '90, read first, local legislation.
January 22, '91, favorably, read second.
January 24, '91, read third, passed.
February 4, '91, concur in senate amendment.
February 6, 91, signed.

Smith of Russell—
H. 83. November 14. '90, read first, judiciary.
November 19, '90, favorably, read second, calendar.
November 20, '90, read third, passed.

November 29,'90, enrolled and signed by speaker.
December 4, '90, vetoed, reconsidered, lost.

Webb—
H. 84. November 14,'90, read first, judiciary.
December 6, '90, reported favorably, read second.
Deceniber 10, '90, special order, January 22, '91.
January 22, '91, aud read third and passed.
February 6, '91, concur in senate amendment.
February 7, '91, signed.

Webb—
H. 85. November 14, '90, read first, judiciary.
November 19, '90, reported adversely.

Webb—
H. 86. November 14, '90, read first, ways and means.
December 5, '90, reported favorably, substitute,
read second.
December 6, '90, substitute adopted,, réad third,
passed.
December 10, '90, signed.
Long—
H. 87. November 14, '90, read first, corporations.
November 22, '90, reported favorably, read second.
December 2,.'90, read third, passed.
January 26, '91, signed.
January 30, '91, returned to senate,concur in senate
amendment.
February 2, '91, by unanimous consent vote con-
curring in senate amendment reconsidered and
non-coucur,conference committee appointed.
February 3, '91, concur in conterence report.
February 4, '9l, signed.
Long—
H. 88. November 14, '90, read first, local legislation.
November 19, '90, reported favorably, read second.
November 21, '90. read third, passed.
December 6, '90, concur in conference report.
December 8, '90, signed.

Long—
H. 89. November 14, '90, read first, education.
November 22, '90, reported lavorably, read secoad, calendar.
December 2, 90, read third, passed.
December 8, '90, signed.

Gordon—
H. 90. November 14, '90, read first, counties aud county boundaries.

Gordon—
A petition of the Antioch Baplist Association.
November 14, '90.
Referred to committee on temperance.

Simmons—
H. 91. November 14, '90, read first, ways and means.
December 6, '90, favorably, amendment, read sec ond.
January 21, '91, amended, read third, passed.
January 30, '91, signed.

Adams—
H. 92. November 14, '90, read first, judiciary.
December 6, '90, adverse.

Lee of Barbour,
H. 93. November 17, read first and referred to temperance.
November 29, '90, favorably, substitute, read second, calendar.
December 10, '90, tabled.

Lee of Barbour—
H. 94. November 17, read first and referred to temperance.
November 29, '90, favorably, substilute, read second.
December 5, '90, substitute adopted, read third, passed.
December 10, '90, signed.

Lee of Barbour—
H. 95. November 17th read first, referred to judiciary.
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Davidson—
H. 96. November 17, read first and referred to commerce and common carriers.
December 14, '91, adverse.

Harris—
H. 97. November 17, read first and referred to temperance.
November 28, '90, favorably, read second, calendar.

Rousseau—
H. 98. November 17, read first, counties and county boundaries.
November 19, '90, reported favorably, read second, calendar.
November 21, '90, read third, passed.
December 5, signed.

Edwards—
H. 99. November 17, read first and referred to judiciary.
December 6, '90, favorably, amendment, read second.
December 8, 90, amended, read third and passed.
January 28, '91, signed.

Edwards—
H. 100. November 17th, read first, judiciary.
November 19, reported favorably, read second.
November 20, '90, read third, passed.
November 29, '90, signed.

Smith of Dallas—
H. 101. November 17th, read and referred to appropriations. January 23d, '91, adverse.

Wade—
H. 102. November 17th, read first, and referred to counties and county boundaries.
November 28, '90, adverse report.

Wade—
H. 103. November 17th, read firsfc and referred to temperance.
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November 20th, reported favorably, read second,
calendar.
November 22, '90, read third, passed.

Davis of Fayette—
H. 104. November 17th, read first, judiciary.
December 6, '90, favorably, read second.
Deeember 9, '90, read third, passed.
February 2, '91, signed.
Jones—
H. 105. November 17, read first, revision of laws.
November 20th, reported favorably, read second.
November 23, '90, read third, passed.
Deceinber 3d, ‘90, signed.
Henry—
H. 106. November 17, read first, judiciary.
December 6, '90, favorably reported, read second.
January 26, '91, read third, passed.
February 6, '91, concur in senate amendment.
February 7, '91, signed.
Henry—
H. 107. November 17th, read first, and referred judiciary.
Dcember 6, '90, favorably, read second.
Henry—
H. 108. November 17th, read first and referred judiciary.
November 15, '90, reported favorably, read second.
November 19, '90, read third, passed.
November 29, ‘90, signed.
Brown—
H. 109. November 17, read first, corporations.
November 21, '90, reported favorably, read second.
November 29, '90, amended, read third, passed.
December 10, '90, senate amendment concurred in.
January 22, '91, signed. February 3, recalled to senate.
February 3, ‘91 concur in senate amendment.
February 6, '91, signed.
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Davis of Lamar—

H. 110. November 18th, read first, judiciary.

November 26, '90, favorably, substitute, read second, calendar.

December 2, '90. substilute adopted, read third and passed.

December 9, '90, signed.

Davis of Lamar—

H. 111. November 17, '90, read first and referred revision of laws.

November 20, '90, adverse report.

Tucker of Lauderdale—

H. 112. November 17, '90, read first and referred to judiciary.

February 10, '91, adverse.

Tucker of Lauderdale—

H. 113. November 17,'90, read first, referred temperance.

November 20, '90, reported favorably, read second, calendar.

November22, '90, read third, passed.

Thrasher—

H. 114. November 17, '90, readfirst, referred local legislation.

November 19, '90,reportedfavorably, read second.

November 21, '90,read third, passed.

December 2, '90, signed.

Young—

H. 115. November 17, '90, read first, referred local legislation.

November 19, '90, reported favorably, read second.

November 21, '90, read third,passed.

December 5, '90, signed.

Young—

H. 116. November 17, '90, read first, referred ways and means.

November 20, '90, reported adversely.

Young—
H. 117. November 17, '90, read first, referred ways and means.
November 22, '90, ailverse, read second, calendar.

Steele—
H. 118. November 17, '90, read first, referred revision of laws.
November 20, '90, adverse report.

Lewis—
H. 119. November 17, '90, read first, commerce and common carriers.
December 6, '90, favorably wilh substitute, read second.
January 20, '91, amended, read third, passed.
February 6, '91, signed.

Lewis—
H. 120. November 17, '90, read first, referred penitentiary and criminal administration.

Lewis—
H. 121. November 17, '90, read first, .judiciary.
December 6, '90, adversely.

Lewis—
H. 122. November 17, '90, read first, ways and means.
November 20, '90, adverse report.

Lewis—
H. 123. November 17, '90, read first, coinnierce and common carriers.
Screws—
H. 124. November 17, '90, read first, commerce and common carriers.
February 9, '91, adverse report.
Screws—
H. 125. November 7, '90, read first, judiciary.
December 2, '90, reported favorably, read seoond, calendar.
February 5, '91, indefinitely postponed.

Screws—
H. 126. November 17, '90, read first, commerce and common carriers. .Novemher 19, '90, reported adversely.

Screws—
H. 127. Novernber 17, '90, read first, judiciary.
November 36, '90, adverse report.

Sayre (by request)—
H. 128. November 17. '90, read first, judiciary.
November 26, '90, favorably, read second.
January 31,'91, read third, passed.
February 16, '91, signed.

Sparkman—
H. 129. November 17, '90, read first, corporations.
Novc'mber 22. '90, reported favorably, read second.
December 2, '90, read third, passed.
January 28, 91, signed.

Sparkman—
H. 130. November 17, '90, read tirst, corporations.
November 22, '90,reported favorably, read second.
December 3, '90, read third, passed.
February 14, '91, signed.

Alexander—
H. 131. November 17, '90, read first, local legislation.
November 20, '90, adverse report.

Alexander—
H. 132. November 17, '90, read first, local legislation.
November 20', '90, reported favorably, read second, calendar.
November 22, '90, read third, passed.

Longshore—
H. 133. November 17, '90, read first, revision of laws.
November 21,'90, favorably, read second, calendar.
November 21, '90, read third, lost.

Forman—
H. 134, November 17, '90, read first, ways and means.
December 6, '90, returned and referred to appropriations.

Forman—
H. 135. November 17, '90, read first, judiciary.

Webb (by request)—
H. 136. November 17, '90, read first, corporations.
November 19, '90, reported favorably, read second, calendar.
November 21, '90, read third, passed, sent to senate without engrossment.
December 3, '90, signed.

Clements—
H. 137. November 17, '90, read first:, education.
November 22, '90, reported favorably, read second.
January 26, '91, read third, passed.
February 4, '91, signed.

Clements—
H. 138. November 17, '90, read first, ways and means.
February 3, '91, adverse.

Foster—
H. 139. November 17, '90. read first, fees and salaries.
November 19, '90, reported favorably, read second.
November 21, '90, amended, read third, passed.
February 18, concur senafce amendment, signed.

Foster (by request)—
H. 140. November 17, '90, read first, ways and means.
November 20, '90, adverse report.

Foster—
H. 141. November 17, '90, read first, local legislation.
November 19, '90, reported favorably, read second.
November 28, '90, amended, read third, passed.
February 5, '91, non-concur in senate amendment.
February 6, '91, committee conference appointed.

February 12, '91, concur in conference report. February 13, '91, signed.
Foster—
H. 142. November 17,'90, read first, fees and salaries.
November 19, '90, reported favorably, read second.
November 22, '90, amended, read third, passed.
December 6, '90, concur in conference report.
December 9, ,90, signed.

Powell—
H. 143. November 17, '90, read first, penitentiary and criminal administration.

Cooper—
H. 144. November 17, '90, read first, local legislation.
November 19, '90, reported favorably, read recond.
Novernber 21, '90, read third, passed.
Decemher 9. '90, signed.

Pettus—
H. 145. November 17, '90, read first, jndiciary.
November 29, '90, favorably, read second. Deccmber 10, '90, read third, passed. February 2, signed.

Brown—
H. 146. November 17, '90, read first, local legislation.
November 20. '90, reported favorably; read second, calendar.
November 22, '90, read third, passed.
January 23, '91, amended and concur in senate amendment.
January 26, '91, signed.

Meador—
H. 147. November 17, '90, read first, education.
November 18, '90, returned and referred to judiciary.

Cooper—
H. 148. November 18. '90, read first, judiciary.
January 29, '91, favorably, read second.

January 31, '91, substitute adopted, amended,
read third, passed.
February 14, '91, concur in senate amendment.
February 18. '91, signed.

Cooper—
H. 149. November 18, '90, read first, judiciary.
Novernber 22. '90, reported favorably, read second.
December 2, '90, read third, passed.
December 10, '90, signed.

Howle—
H. 150. November 18, '90, read first, local legislation.
November 30, '90, reported favorably, read second.
November 22, '90, read third, passed.
December 10, '90, signed.

Tucker of Crenshaw—
H. 151. November 18, '90, read first, local legislation.
November 28, '90, favorably, read second, calendar.
December 8, '90, read third, passed.

Guthrie—
H. 152. November 18, '90, read first, corporations.
November 21, '90, reported favorably read second.
November 29, '90, recommitted to judiciary.
December 6, '90, reported.
January 28, '91, special order, January 31, after
disposal of H. B. 352.
January 31, '91, amended, read third, passed
February 10, '91,
February, '91, returned to senate, concur in
senate amendment.
February 13, '91, signed.

Guthrie—
H. 153. November 18, '90, read first, corporations.
November 21. '90, reported favorably, read second,
calendar.
November 29, '90, read third, passed.
December 10, '90, signed.

Guthrie—
H. 154. November 18, '90, readfirst, education.
November 22, '90, reported favorably, read second.
December 2, '90, read third, passed.
December 10, '90, signed.

Smith of Dallas—
H. 155. November 18, '90, read first, revision of laws.
November 20, '90, returned and referred to ways and means.
December 6, '90, adverse.

Smith of Dallas—
H. 156. November 18, '90, read first, ways and means.
February 3. '91, adverse.

Smith of Dallas—
H. 157. November 18, ’90, read first, ways and means.
December 6, '90, adverse.

Smith of Dallas—
H. 158. November 18, '90, read first, ways and means.
November 28, '90, reported favorably, read second, calendar.
January 31, '91, read third, passed.
February 9, '91, signed.

Pettus—
H. 158. November 18, '90, read first, judiciary.
December 6, '90, adverse.

Appleton—
H. 159. November 18, '90, read first, temperance.
November 20, '90, reported favorably, read second, calendar.
November 22, '90, read third, passed.
December 8, '90, signed.
Finch—
H. 160. November 18, '90, read first, judiciary.
December 6, '90, favorably, read second.
January 28, '91, read third, passed.
February 10, '91, signed.

Jones—
H. 161. November 18, '90, read first, revision of laws.
November 20, '90, reported favorably, read second, calendar.
November22, '90, read third, passed.
December 2, '90, concur in senate amendment.
December 3, '90, signed.

Jones—
H. 162. November 18, '90, read first. revision of laws.
November 20, '90, reported favorably, read second.
November 22, '90, read third, passed.
Decernber 8, ‘90, signed.

Jones—
H. 163. November 18, '90, read first, revision oflaws.
November 20, '90, reported favorably, read second, calendar.
November 22, '90, read third, passed.
December 2, '90, concur in senate ameudment.
December 3, '90, signed.

Avery (with petition)—
H. 164. November 18,'90, readfirst. education.
December 3, '90, favorably, read second.
December 9, ‘90, read third, passed.
January 31, '91, signed.

Parks—
H. 165. November 18, '90, read first, local legislation.
November 28. '90, favorably, read second.
December 9, '90, read third, passed.
February 9, '91, concur in senate amendment.
February 10, '91, passed.
Clanton—
H. 166. November 18, '90, read first, fees and salaries.
November 22, '90, reported favorably with amend-ment, read second, special order after journal November 24.
November 24, recommitted to judiciary to report to-morrow.
November 26, amended, read third, lost.

Novernber 28, '90, reconsidered, amended, read
third, passed.
December 8,'90, signed.

Brown—
H. 167. November 18,'90, read first, judiciary.

Steele—
H. 168. November 18, '90, read first,judiciary.

Sayre—
H. 169. November 18, '90, read first, revision of laws.
November 20, '90, reported favorably, read second,
calendar.
November 22, '90, read third, passed.
December 2, '90, signed.

Gilchrist (with petition)—
H. 170. November 18, '90, read first, temperance.
November 20, reported favorably, read second,
calendar.
Novernber 22, '90. read third, passed.
December 2, '90, non-concur in senate amend-
ment, conference committee.
December 8, '90, concur in conference report.
December 9, '90, signed.

Northington—
H. 171. November 18, '90, read first, commerce and com
mon carriers.
February 14, '91. adverse.

Gass—
H. 172. November 18, '90, read first, judiciary.

Townsend of Pike—
H. 173. November 17. '90, read first, judiciary.
December 6, '90, favorably with amendment, read
second.
January 23, '91, amended.
January24, '91, passed.
February 3, '91, concur in senate amendment.
February 6, '91, signed.

Smith of Russell—
H. 174. November 18, '90, read first, judiciary.
November 22, '90, reported favorably, substitute, read second.
December 4th, substitute adopted, read third, passed.
December 10, '90, signed.

Forman—
H. 175. November 18, '90, read first, fees and salaries.
November 22, '90, reported favorably, read second, calendar. January 26, '91, amended.
January 27, '91, re-committed, revision of laws.
January 29, '91, favorably reported.

Amason of Tallapoosa—
H. 176. November 18, '90, read first, local legislation.
November 20th, '90, reported favorably, read second, calendar.
November 22, '90, read third, passed.
December 5, '90, signed.

Long—
H. 177. November 18, '90, read first, judiciary.
December 6, '90, favorably, read second.
January 28. '91, special order, January 29, after journal.
January 30, '91, indefinitely postponed.

Long—
H. 178. November 18, '90, read first, revision of laws.

Lee of Conecuh—
H. 179. November 18, '90, read first, local lesislation.
November 20th, '90, reported favorably, read second, calendar.
November 22, 90, read third, passed.

Lee of Conecuh—
H. 180. November 18, '90, read first, commerce and common carriers.
December 6, '90, favorably, substitute, read second.

Lee of Conecuh,
H. 180½. November 18, '90, read first, local legislation.
December 5, '90, favorably, read second.
February 6, '91, read third, passed.

Foster—
H. 181. November 18, '90, read first, judiciary.
November 22, '90, reported favorably, read second, calendar.
December 2,'90, read third, passed.

Foster—
H. 182. November 18, '90, read first, judiciary.
November 22, '90, reported favorably, read second, calendar.
December 2, '90, read third passed.
December 10, non-concur senate, amendment, and committee of conference.
Foster—
H. 183. November 18, '90, read first, judïciary.

Foster—
H. 183½. November 18, '90,readfirst, judiciary.
December 6, '90, adverse.

Smith of Russell—
H. 184. November 18, '90, read first, judiciary.
December 6th, '90, favorably, read second.

Cornelius—
H. 185. November 18,'90, readfirst, education.

Whatley—
H. 186. November 18, '90, read first, agriculture.
November 20, '90, favorably with substitute, read second.
December 8, '90, substitute adopted, read third, passed.
February 7, ‘91 , concur in senate amendment.
February 9, '91, signed.
Moore of Baldwin—
H. 187. November 19, '90, read first, temperance.

November 21, '90, reported favorably, read second, calendar.
Davidson—
H. 188. November 19, '90, read first, counties and county boundaries.
January 29, '91, adverse.
Davidson—
H. 189. November 19, '90, read first, judiciary.
December 6, adverse.
Harris—
H. 190. November 19, '90, read first, temperance.
November 28, '90, favorably, read second, calendar.
Northington—
H. 191. November 11, '90, read first, local legislation.
December 5, '90,favorably, read second, calendar.
December 8, '90. read third, passed.
January 28, '91, signed.

Northington—
H. 192. Novernber 19, '90, read first, local legislation.
December 10, reported favorably, read second.

Watters—
H. 193. November 19, 90, read first, ways and means.
November 22, '90, reported favorably, read second, calendar.
December 2, '90, read third, passed.
January 22, '91, signed.

Watters (by request)—
H. 194. November 19, '90, read first, ways and means.
November 28, '90, adverse report.

Rather—
H. 195. Noverriber 19, '90, read first, ways and means.
December 3, '90, adverse report.

Guthrie—
H. 196. November 19, '90, read first, revision of laws.
November 22, '90, adverse report.

Edwards—
H. 197. November 19, '90, read first, revision of laws.
November 28, '90, adverse report.

Edwards—
H. 198. November 19, '90, read first, revision of laws.
November 21, '90, adverse report.

Smith of Dallas—
H. 199. November 19, '90, read first, ways and means.
December 3, '90, adverse report.

Appleton (with petition)—
H. 200. November 19, '90, read first, education.
December 6, '90, favorably, read i-ecoDd.

Appleton—
H. 201. November 19, '90, read first, temperance.
November 21, '90, reported favorably, read second, calendar.

Finch—
H. 202. November 19, '90, read first, local legislation.
November 28, '90, l'avorably, read second, calendar.
December 9, '90, read third, passfcd.

Coleman—
H. 203. November 19, '90, read first, temperance.
November 21, '90, reported favorably, read second, calendar.

Henry—
H. 204. November 19, '90, read first, judiciary.
November 22, '90, reported favorably, read second, calendar.
December 3, '90, read third, passed.
January 22, '91, signed.

Henry—
H. 205. November 19, '90, read first, mining and manufacturing.
February 9, '91, reported favorably, read second.
February 9, '91, recommitted to mining and manufacturing.
February 13, reported.
February 14, '91, substitute adopted, read third, passed.
February 18, signed.

Henry—
H. 206. November 19, '90, read first, judiciary.
December 6, '90, favorably, read second.
February 10, '91, read tbird, passed.
February 6, '91, concur in senate amendment.
February 18, '91, signed.

Brewer—
H. 207. November 19, '90, read first, judiciary.
December 6, '90, favorably, read second.
January 20, '91, read third, passed.
January 30, '91, concur in senate amendment, signed.

Blackwell—
H. 208. November 19, '90, read first, temperance.
November 21, '90, reported favorably, read second.
November 29; '90, indefiuitely postpoiied.

Jackson—
H. 209. November 19, '90, read first.

Jackson—
H. 210. November 19, '90. read first, ways and means.
November 21, '90, returned, referred to education.
January 39, '91, favorably with substitute, read second.
February 3, '91, substitute adopled, read third, passed.
February 6, '91, concur in senate amendment.
February 7, '91, signed.

Kelly—
H. 211. November 19, '90, read first, ways and means.
December 6, '90, favorably with substitute, read second.

Hill—
H. 213. November 19, '90, read first,judiciary.
December 2, '90 favorably, read second, calendar.
February 5, '91, read third, amended, lost.
February 5, '91, motion to reconsider, lost.

Screws—
H. 213. November 19,'90, read first, judiciary.
December 6, '90, adverse.

Screws—
H. 214. November 19, '90, read first, judiciary.
December 6, '90, adverse.

H. 215. November 19, '90, read first, education.
November 22, '90,reported favorably, read second.
December 2, '90, read third, passed.
December 9, '90, signed.

Sparkman—
H. 216. November 19, '90, read first, judiciary.
November 26, ‘90, favorably with substitute, read second.
January 27, '91, read third, passed, reconsidered, recommitted to judiciary.

Barnett—
H. 217. November 19, '90, read first, local legislation.
November 28, '90, reported favorably, read second.
January 23, '91, read third, passed.
February 4, '91, concur in senate amendment.
February 6, '91, signed.

Barnett—
H. 218. November 19, '90, read first, agriculture.
November 22, '90, favorably with amendment, read second, calendar.

December 3, '90, amended, read third, passed.
December 9, signed.

Smith of Russell—
H. 219. November 19, '90, read first, revision of laws.
November 28, '90, favorably, read second.
January 24, '91, amended, read third, passed.
February 4, '91, signed.

Longshore—
H. 320. November 19. '90, read first, judiciary.
December 6, '90, adverse.

Kelly—
H. 221. November 19, '90, read first, revision oflaws.
December 6, reported favorably with substitute, read second.
Kelly—
H. 222. November 19, '90, read first, revision of laws.
November 32. '90, reported favorably, read second.
January 22, '91, reacl third, passed.
February 6, '91, signed.

Lewis—
H. 223. November 19, '90, read first, ways and means.
December 3, reported favorably with substitute, read second.
January 22, '91, substitute adopted, read third, passed.

Lewis—
H. 224. November 19, '90, read first, ways and means.
December 6, '90, adverse.

Lewis—
H. 225. November 19, '90, read first, revision of laws.
November 21, '90, reported favorably, read second.
January 22, '90, read third, passed.
January 30, '91, concur in second senate amendment, committee of conference.
February 6, 91, concur in conference report.
February 9, '91, signed.
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Foster—
H. 226. November 19, '90, read first, local legislation.
Noveniber 28, '90, favorably, read second.
February 3, '91, read third, passed.
February 16,'91, signed.
Foster—
H . 227. November 19, '90, read first, judiciary.
February 3, '91, lavorably, read second.

Purifoy—
H. 228. November 19,'90, read first, judiciary.
December 6, '90, adverse report.

Purifoy—
H. 229. November 19, '90, read first, counties and connty boundaries.
February 14, '91, adverse.

Lee of Conecuh—
H. 230. November 19, '90, read first, revision of laws.
November 28, '90, returned and ret'erred to ways and means.
December 6, '90, tavorably, with substitute, read second.
December 8, '90, substitute adopted, read third, passed.
January 30, '91, signed.

Long—
H. 231. November 19, '90, read first, judiciary.
December 4, "90, reported favorably, with substitute, read second.
Jannary 26, '91, substitute adopted, read third, passed.
February 6, '91, signed.

Long—
H. 232. November 19, '90. read first, judiciary.
December 4, '90, favorably, read second, calendar,
December 8, '90, read third, passed.
January 28, '91, signed.

Long—
H. 233. November 19, '90, read first, judiciary.
December 6, '90, favorably, read second.
December 8, '90, read third, passed.
January 28, '91, passed.

CIayton—
H. 234. November 20, '90, read first, appropriations.
December 6, '90, adverse.

Lee of Barbour—
H. 235. November 20, '90, read first, judiciary.
January 26, '91, favorably, read , second.
February 10, '91,substitute, with amendment, read third, passed.

Hufham—
H. 236. November 20, '90, read first, fees and salaries.
November22, '90, favorably, read second, calendar.
December 3, '90, tabled.

Harrell—
H. 237. Novernber 20, '90, read first, agriculture.
November 24, '90, favorably, read second, calendar.
December 3, '90, read third, passed.
January 22, '91, signed

Cornelius—
H. 238. November 20, '90, read first, judiciary.
November 22, '90, adverse.

Quarles—
H. 239. November20, '90, read first, judiciary.
December 6, '90, favorably, read second.

Quarles—
H. 240. November 20, '90, read first, education.
November 22, '90, favorably, read second.
December 2, '90, read third, passed.
December 10, '90, signed.

Quarles—
H. 241. November 20, '90, read first, agriculture.
November 24, '90, adverse.

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Quarles—
H. 242. November 20, '90, reacl first, judiciary.
February 11, '91, adverse.
Quarles—
H. 243. November 20, '90, read first, revision of laws.
November 28, 90, adverse.
Quarleb—
H. 244. November 20, '90, read first, revision of laws.
November 28, '90,.favorably,read second.
December 9, '90, read third, passed.
February 18, '91, concur in senate amendment.
February, 18, '91,signed.

Northington—
H. 245. November 20,'90, read first, privileges and elections.

Davis of Fayette—
H. 246. November 20,'90, read first, judiciary.
January 28,'91, adverse.
January 29, '91, recommitted to judiciary.
February 10,'91, adverse.
Avery—.
H. 247. November 20, '90, read first, privilegee and elections.
Brown—
H. 248. November 20, '90, read first, corporations.
November 26, '90, favorably, read second.
December 4, '90, read third, passed.
December 10, '90, signed.
Brown—
H. 249. November 20, '90, read first, judiciary.
December 6, '91, favorably, read second.
February 10, '91, read third, passed.
February 16, '91, concur in senate amendment.
February 18, '91, signed.

Brown—
H. 250. November 30, '93, read first, fees and salaries.

Bevis—
H. 251. November 20, '90, read first, revision of laws.
November 28, '90. returned and referred agriculture.
December 4, '90, favorably, read second.
December 10, '90, read third, passed.
January 30, '91, signed.

Screws—
H. 252. November '20, '90, read first, agriculture.
November 24, '90, adverse.

Screws—
H. 253. November 20, '90, read first, revision of laws.
November 28, '90, adverse report.

Sayre—
H. 254. November 20, '90, read first, revision of laws.
November 28, '90, favorably, read second.
January 22, '91, amended, read third, passed.
February 16, '91, signed.

Barnett—
H. 255. November 20, '90, read first, fees and salaries.
November 22, '90, reported favorably, read second.
December 3, '90, read third, passed.
December 9, '90, signed.

Townsend of Pike—
H. 256. November 20, '90, read first, temperance.
November 38, '90, favorably, read second.
February 2, '91, read third, passed.
February 14, '91, concurin senate amendment.
February 16, '91, signed.

Gordon (with petition)—
H. 257. November 20, '90, read first, temperance.
November 24, '90, favorably, read second, calendar.

Longshore (with notice and proof)—
H. 258. November 20, '90, read first, judiciary.
November 26, '90, favorably with substitute, read second.
December 4, '90, substitute adopted, read third, passed.
February 6, '91, signed.

Lee of Conecuh—
H. 259. November 20, '90, read first, agricuiture.
December 9, '90, reported favorably, read second.
January 23, '91, substitute adopted, read third, passed.
February 4, '91, non-concur in senate amendment.
February 5, '91, appoint committee of conference.
February 11, '91, concur in conference report.
February 12, '91, signed.

Whatley (by request)—
H. 260. November 20, '90, read first, revision of laws.
December 6, '90. favorably, read second.
January 26, '91, amended, read third, passed.
February 10, '91, signed.
Edwards—
H. 261. November 20, '90, read first, temperance.
November 28, '90, favorably, read second, calendar.
January 26, '91, reported lavorably, read second.
January 31, '91, recoininitted to temperance.
February 9, '91, read third, passed.

Cooper—
H. 262. Novemher 20, '90, read firsl, ways and means.
November 28, '90, adverse report.
January 22, '91, taken up, read second, calendar.

Cooper—
H. 263. November 20, '90, read first, education.
November 28, '90, favorably, read second, calendar.
Cooper—
H. 264. November 20, '90, read first, corporations.

November 26, '90, favorably, read second.
December 4, '90. read third, passed.
December 10, '90, signed.

Longshore—
H. 265. November 20, '90, read first, revision of laws.
November 28, '90, adverse report.
November 29, '90, taken up, read second, calendar.
February 2, '91, amended.

Clayton—
H. 266. November 20, '90, read first, judiciary.
February 11, '91, adverse.

Cooper—
H. 267. November 21, '90, read first, judiciary.
December 6, '90, adverse.
February 13, '91, reported favorably, read second.
February 14, '91, read third, passed.

Armistead—
H. 268. November 21, '90, read first, ways and means.
January 22, '91, favorably,read second.

Peacock—
H. 269. November 21, '91, read first, temperance.
November 23, '90, favorably, read second, calendar.

Quarles (by request)—
H. 270. November 21, '90, read first. corporations.
November 24, '90, reported t'avorably, read second.
January 31, '91, read third, passed.
February 14, '91, signed.

Quarles—
H. 271. November 21, '90, read firsr, revision oflaws.
November 28, '90, favorably read secoud, calendar.
December 10, '90, read third, passed, motion to reconsider, made special order January 22.
January 22, '91, motion to reconsider tabled.

Parker—
H. 272. November 21, '90, read first, commerce and com-
inon carriers.
February 10, '91, adverse.
Avery—
H. 273. November 21, '90, read first, local legislation.
November 28, '90, favorably with substitute, read
second.
December 9, '90, substitute adopted, read third,
passed.
February 3, '91, concur in senate amendment.
February 4, '91, signed.

Coleman—
H. 273. November 20, '90. lead first, revision of laws.
November 28, '90, favorably with substitute, read
second, calendar.
January 21, '90, amended, read third, passed.
January 30, 91, signed.
Henry—
H. 274. November 21, '90, read first, judiciary.
December 4, '90, reported favorably, read second.
December 8, '90, read third, passed.
December 10, '90, signed.

Henry—
H. 275. November 21, '90, read first, public roads and
highways.
December 6, '90, favorably, read second.
January 20. '91, read third, passcd.
February 9, '91, signed.

Henry—
H. 276. November 21, '90, read first, judiciary.
December 6, '90, favorably, read second.
January 31, '91, read third, passed.
February 14, '91, signed.

Brown (with notice and proof)—
H. 277. November 21, '90, read first, corporations.
December 4, '90, favorably, read second, calendar.

Brown (with notice and proof)—
H. 278. November 21, '90, read first, judiciary.
November 26, '90, reported favorably with amendment, read second.
December 4, '90, amended, read third, passed.
December 10, '90, signed.

Henry—
H. 279. November 21, '90, read first, education.
December 6, '90, favorably, read second.
January 29, '91, read third, passed.
February 11, '91, signed.

Brewer (by request)—
H. 280. November 21, '90, read first, ways and means.
November 28, '90, adverse report.

Simmons (with petition)—
H. 281. November 21, '90, read first, judiciary.
December 4, '90, favorably, read second, calendar.
February 9, '91, read third, passed.
February 10, '91, reconsidered and lost.

Meador—
H. 282. November 21, '90, read first, judiciary.
December 6, '90, favorably, read second.

Kelly—
H. 283. November 21, '90, read first,judiciary.
December 6, '90, adverse.

Screws—
H. 284. November 21, '90, read first, public roads and highways.

Screws—
H. 285. November 21, '90, read first, public printing.
November22, '90, reported favorably, read second,
January 27, '91, read third, passed.
February 2, '91, signed.

Screws (by request)—
H. 286. November 21, '90, read first, revision of laws.
November 28, '90, adverse report.

White—
H. 287. November 21, '90, read first, local legislation.
December 5, '90, favorably, read second.
White—
H. 288. November 21, '90, read first, revision of laws.
November 28, '90, returned and referred to ways and means.
White—
H. 289. November 21, '90, read first, revision of laws.
November 28, '90, returned and referred to ways and means.
February 3, '91, adverse.

Longshore (notice and proof)—
H. 290. November 21, '90, read first, corporations.
November 24, '90, adverse report.
November 29, '90, taken up, read second, calendar.
February 3, '91, read third, lost.

Foster—
H. 291. November 21, '90, read first, penitentiary and criminal administration.

Sayre—
H. 292. November 21, '90, read first, public printing.
November 22, '90, reported favorably, read second, calendar.
January 27, '91, indefinitely postponed.

Young—
H. 293. November 21, '90, read first, judiciary.
December 6, '90, favorably, read second.
February 10, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, '91, signed.

Cornelius—
H. 294. November 21, '90, read first, revision of laws.

November 28, '90. adverse report.
January 23, '94, taken up, read second.
Brown—
H. 295. November 21, '90, read first, penitentiary and criminal administration.
December 4, '90, reported favorably, read second.
Brown—
H. 296. November 21, '90, read first,judiciary.

Brown—
H. 297. November 21, '90, read first, penitentiary and criminal administration.
December 4, '90, favorably, read second, calendar.

Leslie (with petition)—
H. 298. November 21, '90, read first, temperance.
November 19, '90, favorably, read second.

Foster—
H. 399. November 21, '90, read first, judiciary.
February 11, 91, adverse.

Guthrie—
H. 300. November 21, '90, read lirst, judiciary.
December 6, '90, favorably, read second.
December 9, '90, read third, passed.
January 30, '91, signed.

Armistead—
H. 301. November 22. '90, read first, judiciary.
December 6, '90, adverse.

Almon—
H. 302. November 22, '90, read first, temperance.
November 28. '90, favorably with substitute, read second.
January 24, '91, substitute adopted, read third, passed.
February 10, '91,signed.

Wade—
H. 303. November 22, '90, read first, education.
January 30, '91, adverse.

Davis of Fayette—
H. 301. November 22, '90, read first, education.
November 29, '90, favorably, read secocd, calendar.
February 2, '91, amended and recommitted to education.
February 4, 91, reported favorably.

Davis of Fayette—
H. 305. November 22, '90, read first, revision of laws.
Novernber 28, '90, adverse report.

Coleman—
H. 306. November 22, '90, read first, judiciary.
December 6, '90, adverse, called up, read second, calendar.
December 9, '90, read third, lost.

Henry—
H. 307. November 22, '90, read first, judiciary.
December 6, '90, favorably, read second.
February 12, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, concur in senate amendment, signed.

Sayre—
H. 308. November 22,'90, read list, judiciary.
December 6, '90, returned and referred ways and means.
Jannary 22, '91, favorably read second.
February 5, '91, amended, read third, passed.
February 18, concur in senate amendment, signed.

Cooper—
H. 309. November 22, '90, read first, ways and means.
February 4, 91, favorably with substitute, read second.
February 12, '91, amended, read third, passed.
February 16, 91, returned to senate.

February 16, '91, concur in aenate amendment.
February 18, signed.

Clayton—
H. 310. November 22, '90, read first, judiciary.
December 4, '90, favorably, read second.
February 9, '91, read third, passed.
February l6, '91, signed.

Brewer—
H. 311. November 22, '90, readfirst, ways and means.
November 29, '90, favorably, read second, calendar.

Leslie—
H. 312. November 22, '90, read first, corporations.
December 4, '90, favorably, read second.
February 3, '91, read third, passed.
February l4, '91,sigued.

Davidson—
H. 313. November 24,'90,read first, local legislation.
November 24, '90, lavorably, read second, calendar

Davidson, with petition—
H. 314. November 24, '90, read first, education.
December 6, '90, favorably, read second.
December 8, '90, read third, passed.
January 31, '91, signed.

Powell—
H. 315. November 24, '90, read first, education.
November 29, '90,t'avorably read second, calendar.
December 8, '90, read third, paased.
February 2, '91, signed.

Hufham—
H. 316. November 24, '90, read first, judiciary.
January 24, '91, favorably, read second.
January 26, '91, amended, read third, passed.
February 16, '91, signed.

Cooper—
H. 317. November24, '90, read first, judiciary.

December 4, 90, favorably, read second, calendar.
December 5, '90, read third, passed.
December 9, '90, signed.

Cooper—
H. 318. November 24, '90, read first, corporations.
January 24, '91, favorably, read second.
February 10, '91,read third, passed.
February 16, '91, concur in senate amendment.
February 18,'91, signed.

Cooper—
H. 319. November 24, '90, read first, corporations.
December 4, '90, favorably, read second.
January 26, '91, read third, passed.
February 6, '91, signed.

Cooper—
H. 320. November 24, '90, read firat, corporations.
December 4, '90, favorably, read second, calendar.
December 8, '90, read third, passed.
January 31, '91, signed.

Almon—
H. 321. November 24, '90, read first, temperance.
November 28, '90, favorably, read second, calendar.

Almon—
H. 322. November 24, '90, read first, corporation.
January 24, '90, t'avorably, read second.
February 13, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, '91, signed.

Rousseau, with notice—
H. 323. November 24, '90, read first, counties and county boundaries.
January 22, '91, favorably, read second.
January 27, '91,read third, passed.
February 10, '91, signed.

Davis of Fayette—
H. 324. November 24, '90, read first, corporations.
November 28, '90, favorably, read second.

January 29, '91, read third, passed.
February 10. '91, signed.

Coleman—
H. 325. November 24, '90, read first, judiciary.
February 3, '91, favorably, read second.
February 9, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, '91, concur in senate amendment.
February 18, '91, signed.

Avery, by request—
H. 326. November 24, '90, read first, local legislation.
December 10, '90, favorably, read second.
Avery. by request—
H. 327. November 24, '90, read first, fees and salaries.
January 22, '91, favorably, read second.
January 26, '91, read third, passed.
February 6, '91, signed.
Brown—
H. 328. November 21, '90, read first, corporations.
November 26, favorably, read second, calendar.
December 4, '90, amended, read third, passed.
January 22, '91, signed.
Brown—
H. 329. November 24, '90, read first, corporations.
Noverober 26, '90, favorably, read second, calendar.
December 4. '90, read third, passed.
December 10, '90, signed.
Brown—
H. 330. November 24, '90, read first, fees and salaries.
December 2, '90, favorably, read second, calendar.
Davis of Lamar—
H. 331. November 24, '90, read first, fees and salaries.
December 2, '90, favorably with substitute, read second, calendar.
December 10, '90, amended, read third, passed.
January 30, '91, signed.

Smith of Russell—
H. 332. November 24, '90, read first, corporations.
December 1, '90, favorably read second.
January 24, '91, amended, read third, passed.
Februdi'y 7, '91. signed.

Smith of Russell—
H. 333. November 24, '90, read first, corporations.
November 26, '90, i'avorably, read second.
November 29, '90, read third, passed.
Deceinber 8, '90, signed.

Tucker of Lauderdale—
H. 334. November 24, '90, read first, judiciary.
January 28, '91, adverse.

Bass—
H. 335. November 24, '90, read first, temperaoce.
November 28, '90, favorably, read second, calendar.
January 20, '91, read third, passed.
January 30, '91, signed.

Poole—
H. 336. November 24, '90, read first, judiciary.
February 3, '91, favorably, read second.

Hill—
H. 337. November 24, '90, read first, judiciary.
January 27, '91, lavorably, read second.

Sayre—
H. 338. November 24, '90, read first, public printing.
November 28, '90, favorably, read second, calendar.
January 22, '91, read third, passed.
January 30, '91, signed,

Screws—
H. 339. November 24, '90, read first, judiciary.
January 28, '91, adverse.

Kemp—
H. 340. November 24, '90, read first, penitentiary and criminal ndministration.
December 4, '90, favorably, read second.
January 22, '91, amended, read third, passed.
February 2, '91, senate amendinent concurred in.
February 3, '91, signed.

Barnett (by request)—
H. 341. November 24,'90. read first, corporations.
November 28, '90, favorably, read second.
February 10, '91, read third, passed.
February 16, '91, signed.

Longshore (by request)—
H. 342. November 24, '90, read first, judiciary.

Forman (by request)—
H. 343. November 24,'90, read first, corporations.
December 6, '90, favorably wifch amendment, read second.
Long—
H. 344. November 24, '90, read first,judiciary.
December 6, '90, favorably, read second.

Amason of Sumter—
H. 345. November 24, '90, read first, judiciary.
December 6, '90, favorably, read second.

Almon—
H. 346. November 26, '90, read first, corporations.
November 29, '90, favorably, read second.
January 26, '91, read third, passed.
February 5, '91, concnr in senate amendment.
February 7, '91, signed.

Almon—
H. 347. November 26, '90, judiciary.
January 28, '91, adverse.

Leigh (by request)—
H. 348. November 26, '90, read first, temperance.

December 4, '90, favorably, read second.
December 10, '90, read third, passed.
January 31, '91 signed.

Parks—
H. 349. November 2C, '90, temperauce.
November 29, '90, favorably with substitute, read second, calendar.
December 2, '90, substitute adopted, read third, passed. Becember 8, '90, signed.

Clanton—
H. 350. November 26, '90, read first, education.

Clanton—
H. 351. November 26,'90, read first, education.

Lane—
H. 352. November 26, '90, read first, ways and means.
January 22, '91, favorably, read second.
January 28, '91, special order for January 31, '91, immediately after journal.

Leslie (notice, proof, petition)—
H. 353. November 26, '90, read first, temperance.
November 29, '90, favorably, read second, calendar.

Adams—
H. 354. November 26, '90, read first, commerce and common carriers.
February 7, '91, adverse, read second.

Armistead—
H. 355. November 26, '90, read first,judiciary.
January 24, '91, favorably, read second.

Clayton (notice and proof)—
H. 356. November 26, '90, read first, corporations.
December 1, '90, reported favorably, read second.
December 5, '90, read third, lost.

Deceinber 6, '90, reconsidered, passed.
December 10, '90', signed.

Clayton—
H. 357. November 26, '90, read first, judiciary.
December 4, '90, favorably, read second.
February 7, '71. read third, passed.
February 16, '91, signed.

Loveless—
H. 358. November 36, '90, read first, corporations.
December 6, '90, favorably, read second.
December 9, '90, read third, passed.
February 2, '91, signed.
Leslie—
H. 359. November 26, '90, read tirst, judiciary.
January 27, '91, favorably, read second.
February 3, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, signed.

Sayre (by request)—
H. 360. November 26, '90, read first, judiciary.
January 24. '91, favorably, read second.
February 9, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, '91. signed.

Sayre (byrequest, notice and proof)—
H. 361. Novemher 26. '90, read first, judiciary.
December 6, '90, returned and referred to ways
and means.
Sayre (by request)—
H. 362. November 26, '90, read first, accounts and claims.
December 4, '90, favorably, read second.
February 4, '91, read third, passed.
February 16, '91, signed.

Edwards—
H. 363. November 26, '90, read first, judiciary.
December 4, '90, favorably, read second, calendar.

Edwards—
H. 364. November 26, '90, read first,judiciary.
December 4, '90, favorably, read second, calendar.
Rather—
H. 365. Novernber 26, '90, read first, judiciary.
February 10. '91, adverse.
Rather—
H. 366. November 26, '90, read first, corporations.
January 28, '91, lavorably, read second.
January 29, '91, read third, passed.

Davis of Lamar—
H. 367. November 26, '90, read first judiciary.
December 2, '90, favorably with substitute, read second, calendar.
December 3, '90, substitute adopted, read third, passed.
December 9, '90, signed.

Amason of Tallapoosa—
H. 368. November26, '90, read first, temperance.

Long—
H. 369. November 26, '90, rcad first, local legislation.
December 5, '90, favorably, read second.
Decembcr 6, '90, read third, passed.
February 3, '91, concur in senate amendment.
February 4, '91, reconsidered and non-concur, conference committee appointed.
February 5, '91, concur in conference report.
February 6,'91, signed.

Cooper—
H. 370. November 26, '90, read first, education.
December 6, '90, favorably, read second.
January 26, '91, read third, passed.
February 6, '91, signed.
Cooper—
H. 371. November 23, '90, read first, judiciary.
January 28, '91, adverse.

Harrell—
H. 372. November 26, '90, read first, local legislation.
January 23, '91, favorably, read second.
January26, '91, read third, passed.
February 3, '91, concur in seuate amendment.
February 4, '91, signed.

Harrell—
H. 373. November 26, '90, read first, temperance.
November 29, '90, favorably, read second, calendar.

Young—
H. 374. November 26, '90. read first, local legislation.
December 5, '90, lavorably, read second.
January 30, '91, read third, passed.
January 30, '91, signed.

Smith of Dallas, by request—
H. 375. November 26, '90, read first, agriculture.
December 6, '90, adverse report.

Pettus, by request—
H. 376. November 26, '90, read first, judiciary.
January 28, '91, f'avorably, read second.
February 9, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, '91, signed.

Gilchrist, by request—
H. 377. November 26, '90, read first, education.

Clayton—
H. 378. November 28, '90, read first, appropriations.
December 6, '90, favorably, read second.

Cornelius—
H. 379. November 28, '90, read first, judiciary.
February 6, '91, adverse.
February 7, '91, read second.
Edwards—
H. 380. November 28, '90, read first, temperance.
December 1, '90, favorably, read second, calendar.

Edwards—
H. 381. November 28, '90, read first, corporations.
December 2, '90, favorably, with substitute, read second.
December 5, '90, amended, read third, passed.
January 22, '91, enrolled and signed.
January 27, '91, governor requested to return.
February 2, '91, concur in senate amendment.
February 3, '91, signed.

Pettus—
H. 382. November 28, '90, read first, judiciary.
December 1, '90, favorably, read second, calendar.
February 2, '91, indefinitely postponed.

Davis of Fayette—
H. 383. November 28, '90, read first, judiciary.
December 6, '90, returned and referred to fees and salaries.
February 10, '91, reported favorably, read second.

Davis of Fayette,
H. 384. November 28, '90, read first, judiciary.
December 6, '90, returned and referred to fees and salaries.
February 10, '91, reported favorably, read second.

Judge—
H. 385. November 28, '90, read first, ways and means.
December 6, '90, adverse.
January 22. '91, taken up, read second, calendar.
February 9, '91, recommitted, judiciary.

Brown—
H. 386. Noveraber 28. '90, readfirst, judiciary.
December 6, '90, favorably with amendment, read: second.

Brown—
H. 387. November28, ' 90, judiciary.
January 26, '91, favorably, read second.

Lane—
H. 338. November 25, '90, read first, temperance.
December 1, '90, favorably, read second, calendar.
February 9, '91, omnibus committee.

Bishop—
H. 339. November 28, '90, counties and county boundaries.
December 4, '90, favorably, read second, calendar.

Bishop—
H. 390. November 28, '90, read first, local legislation.

Blackwell—
H. 391. November 28, '90, read first, counties and county boundaries.
December 6, '90, favorably with amendment, read second.
Steele—
H. 392. November 23, '91, read first, education.

Young—
H. 393. November 28, '90, read first, ways and mean.
December 6, '90, favorably, read second.
February 9, '91, amended, read third, passed.
February 18, signed.

Young—
H. 394. November 28, '90, read first, ways and means.
December 6, '90. tavorably, read second.
February 9, '91, amended, read third, passed.
February 18, signed.

Lewis—
H. 395. November 28, '90, read first, penitentiary and criminal administration.

Lewis—
H. 396. November 28, '90, read first, ways and means.
December 6, '90, adverse.

Kelly—
H. 397. November 28, '90, read first, judiciary.

Sparkman, with petition—
H. 398. November 28, '90, read first, calendar.
December 6, '90, favorably, read second.
February 13, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, '91, concur in senate resolution requesting governor to return.
February 18, uoncur in senate amendment, signed.

Sparkman—
H. 399. November28, '90, judiciary.
December 9, '90, favorabiy, read second.
Februry 13, '91, rsad third, passed.
February 18, signed.

Sparkman, with petition—
H. 400. November 28, '90, read first, local legislation.
December 3, '90, favorably, read second.
December 4, '90, read third, passed.
December 10, '90, signed.

Sparkman, with petition—
H. 401. November 28, '90. read first, public roads and highways.
December 5, 90, favorably, read second.
February 10, '91, read third, passed.
February 16, '91, signed.

Scott—
H. 402. November 28, '90, read first.
December 5, '90, favorably, read second.
January 24, '91, read third, passed.
February 10, '91, signed.

Foster—
H. 403. November 28, '90, read first, judiciary.
February 11, '91, adverse,

Simmons—
H. 404. November 28, '90, read first, revision of laws.
December 4, '90, adverse report.

Simmons
H. 405. November 28, '90, read first, education.
December 3. '90, favorably, read second.
December 9, '90, read third, passed.
February 5, '91, concur in senate amendment.
February 6, '91, signed.

Simmons, with petition—
H. 406. November 28, '90, readfirst, ways andmeans.
December 3, '90, favorably, read second.

Lee of Conecuh—
H. 407. November 28, '90, read first, local legislation.
December 10, '90, favorably, read second.
January 26, '91, amended, read third, passed.
February 7, '91, concur in senate amendment.
February 9, '91, signed.

White, with petition—
H. 408. February 28, '90, read first, temperance.
December, '90, favorably, read second, calendar.
February 9, '91, omnibus committee.

Lee of Barbour—
H. 409. November 29, '90, read first, temperance.
December 4, '90, lavorably read second, calendar.

Lee of Barbour—
H. 410. November 29,'90, read first, judiciary.

Davidson—
H. 411. November 29,'90, read first, corporations.
December 8, '90, favorably, read second.
January 26, '91, read third, passed.
February 8, '91, signed.

Davidson—
H. 412. November 29, '90, read first, education.
December 6, '90, favorably, read second.

Cornelius—
H. 413. November 29,'90, read first, judiciary.

Cornelius—
H. 414. November 29, '90, read first, judiciary.

Cornelius—
H. 415. November 29,'90, readfirst, judiciary.
January 26, '91, favorably with substitute, read second.
Tucker of Crenshaw—
H. 416. November 29, '90, read first, corporations.
January 23, 91, favorably, read second.
January 27, '91, read third, passed.
February 6, '91, signed.
Quarles—
H. 417. November 29, '90, read first, military.
February 13, '91, adverse.
Smaw—
H. 418. November 28, '90, read first, local legislation.
December 5, '90, favorably, read second.
December 9, '90, read third, passed.
January 26, '91, signed.
Parks—
H. 419. November 29, '90, read first, temperance.
December 4, '90, favorably, read second, calendar.
February 9, 91, omnibus committee.
Parks—
H. 420. November 29, '90, read first, temperance
December 2, '90, favorably, read second, calendar.
February 9, '91, omnibus committee.
Henry—
H. 421. November 29, '90, read first, education.
December 4, 90, favorably, read second, calendar.
February 12, '91, substitute adopted, read third passed.
February 18, signed.
Henry—
H. 422. November 29, '90, read, firstjudiciary.
December 6, '90, favorably, with substitute, read second.

February 10. '91, amended, read third, passed.
February 18, '91, signed.

Brown—
H. 423. November 29, '90, read first, judiciary.

Brown—
H. 424. November 29, '90, read first, judiciary.
December 6, '90, adverse.

Brown—
H. 425. November 29, '90, read first, judiciary.

Brown—
H. 426. November 29, '90, read first, fees and salaries.
December 6, '90, adverse.

Brown—
H. 427. November 29, '90, read first, judiciary.
December 6, '90, favorably, read second.

Brown—
H. 428. November 29, '90, read first judiciary.
January 27, '91, favorably, read second.

Meador (notice and proof)—
H. 429. November 29, '90, read first, revision of laws.
December 4, '90, favorably, read second.
January 31, '90, read third, passed.
February 10, '91, signed.

Lewis—
H. 430. November 29, '90, read first, revision of laws.
December 4, '90, reported favorably, read second.
December 8, '90, read third, passed.
December 10, '90, signed.

Gass (with petition)—
H. 431. November 29, '90, read first, temperance.

Gass (with petition)—
H. 432. November 29, '90, read first, temperance.

Purifoy—
H. 433. November 29, '90, read first, local legislation.
December 5, '90, favorably, read second.
January 23, '91, read third, passed.
February 14, '91, non-concur in senate amend-
ment.
February 16, '91, conference committee appointed.
February 18, '91, conference report coiicurred in.

Northington—
H. 434. November 29, '90, read first, judiciary.
January 28, '91,favorably, read second.

Clayton—
H. 435. November 29, '90, read first, judiciary.
December 1, ’90, favorably, read second.
January 28, ’91, special order 11 a.m. January 29.
January 30, ’91, read third, passed.
February 6, signed.

Moore of Baldwin—
H. 436. December 2, '90, read first, temperance.
December 4, '90, favorably, read second, calendar.
February 9, '91, omnibus committee.

Clayton—
H. 437. December 2, '90, read first, judiciary.

Cooper—
H. 438. December 2, '90, read first, judiciary.

Nolen (with petition)—
H. 439. December 2, '90, read first, agriculture.
December 4, '90, reported tavorably, read second.
December 8. '90, read third, passed.
December 10, '90, signed.
Rousseau—
H. 440. December 2, '90, read first, judiciary.
December 6, '90, reported t'avorably, read second.
December 8, '90, read third, passed.
January 28, '91, signed.

Peltus—
H. 441. December 2, '90, read first, judiciary.
December 6, '90, favorably, read second.

Pettus—
H. 442. December 3, '90, read first, special committee
Dallas delegation.
December 4, '90, favorably, read second, calendar.

Wade—
H. 443. December 2, '90, read first, corporations.
January 23, '91, favorably, read second.
February 7, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, '91, signed.

Wade—
H. 444. December 3, '90, read first, judiciary.
February 5, '91, favorably, read second.

Wade—
H. 445. December 2, '90, read first, education.
December 6, '90, favorably, read second.
December 9, '90, read third, passed.
January 30, '91, signed.

Wade—
H. 446. December 2, '90, read first, temperance.
December 4, '90, favorably, read second, calendar.
February 9, '91, omnibus committep.

Wade—
H. 447. December 2, '90, read first, corporations.
January 22, '91, favorably, read second.
Wade—
H. 448. December 2, '90, read first, judiciary.
December 6, '90, favorably, read second.
January 28, '91, read third, passed.
February 7, '91,signed.

Wade (by request)—
H. 449. December 2, '90, read first, judiciary

Smaw—
H. 450. December 2, '90, read first, local legislation.
December 10, reported favorably, read second.
January 28, '91,read third, passed.
February 7, '91, non concur in senate amendment.
February 12, '91, signed.

Judge—
H. 451. December 2, '90, read first, local legislation.
December 3, reported favorably, read second.
December 4, '90, read third, passed.
January 22, '91, signed.
Judge—
H. 452. December 2, '90, read first, judiciary.
December 4, '90, favorably, read second, calendar.

Clanton—
H. 453. December 2, '90, read first, local legislation.
December 5, '90, favorably, read second.

Parks—
H. 454. December 2, '90, read first, temperance.
December 4, '90, favorably, read second.
December 9, '90, read third, passed.
February 2, '91, signed.

Brown—
H. 455. December 2, '90, read first, judiciary.
December 6, '90, adverse.

Lewis—
H. 456. December 2, '90, read first, temperance.
December 4, '90, favorably, read second, calendar.
February 9, '91, omnibus committee.
Kemp—
H. 457. December 2, '90, read first, judiciary.
December 6, '90, adverse.
December 8, read second.

December 10, read third, passed.
February 5, '91, concur in senate amendrnent.
February 6, '91, signed.
February 7, '91, returned to senate, concur in
senate amendment.
February 9, '91, signed.

Screws (by request)—
H. 458. December 2, '90, read first, judiciary.
December 6, '90. adverse.

Screws (by request)—
H. 459. December 3, '90, read first.
December 9, '90, favorably, read second.
Cox—
H. 460. December 2, '90, read first, temperance.
December 4, '90, favorably, read second, calendar.
January 23, '91, read third, passed.
February 2, '91, signed.

Cox—
H. 461. December 2, '90, read first, temperance.
December 8, '90, favorably, read second.
February 2, ‘91, read third, passed.
February 11, '91, signed.

Barnett—
H. 462. December 2, '90, read first, revision of laws.
January 22, '91, adverse.

Barnett—
H. 463. Decernber 2, '90, read first, fees and salaries.
December 6, '90, favorably, read second.
February 2, '91, read third, passed.

Barnett (by request)—
H. 464. December 2, '90, read first, judiciary.
January 28, '91, adverse.

Forman—
H. 465. December 2, '90, read first, corporations.
December 8, '90, reported favorably, read second.

Amason of Sumter—
H. 466. December 2, '90, read first, judiciary.
January 22, '91, favorably, read second.
January 24, '91, amended, special order January 28, 12m.
January 30, '91,lost.
Amason of Sumter—
H. 467. December 2, '90, read first, temperance.
December 4, '90, favorably, read second.
December 10, '90, read third, passed.
January 31, '91, 1st senate amendment concurred in, 2nd senate amendment non-concurred in.
February 3, '91, signed.
Wilson—
H. 468. December 2, '90, read first, corporations.
December 8, '90, favorably, read second.
January 26, '91, substitute adopted, read third, passed.
February 6, '91, signed.

Langley—
H. 469. December 2, '90, read first, local legislation.
December 5, '90, favorably, read second, calendar.
January 26, '91, read third, passed.
Clementg— .
H. 470. December 2, '90, read first, local legislatlon.
December 5, '90, favorably, read second.
February 3, '91, amended , read third, passed.
February 18, signed.

Judge—
H. 471. December 2, '90, read first, ways and means. .
December 6, '90, adverse.

Parker (by request with petition)—
H. 472. December 2, '90, read first, local legislation.
January 30, adverse.
Clayton—
H. 473. December 2,'90, read first, judiciary.

December 4, '90, favorably with substitute, read second, calendar.
February 2, '91, substitute adopted.
February 4, '91, amended, special order February 7,10 a. m.
February 7, '91, amended.
February 9, '91, indefinitely postponed.

Henry—
H. 474. December 3, '90, special committee—Brown, Smith, Foster. Long, Wade.
December 4, '90, favorably with substitute, read second, calendar.
December 4, '90, special order after journal to-morrow.

Townsend of Limestone—
H. 475. December 3, '90, read first, education.
January 26, '91, reported favorably, read second.

Guthrie (with petition)—
H. 476. December 3, '90, read first, temperance.

Henry—
H. 477. December 3, '90, read first, corporations.
December 8, '90, favorably, read second.
February 7, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, signed.
Henry—
H. 478. December 3, '90, read first, education.
January 27, '91, favorably, read second.
January 29, '91, special order February 2, after journal.
February 2, '91, read third, lost.

Finch (notice and proof)—
H. 479. December 3, '90, read first, judiciary.
February 6, '91, returned and committed to ways and means.
February 10, '91, adverse.

Wood—
H. 480. December 3, '90, read first, agriculture.
December 6, '90, favorably, read second.
December 10, '90, read third, passed.
February 6, '91, concur in senate amendment.
February 6, '91, signed.

Smaw—
H. 481. December 3, '90, read first, local legislation.
December 5, '90, favorably, read second.
December 9 '90, read third, passed.
February 14, '91, non-concur in senate amend-
ment.
February 14, '91, conference committee appointed.
February 16, '91, concur in conlerence report.
February 18, '91, signed.

Tucker of Crenshaw—
H. 482. December 3, '90, read first, local legislation.
December 5, '90, favorably, read second.
February 6, '91, read third, passed.

Tucker of Cronshaw—
H. 483. December 3, '91, read first, revision of laws.
January 22, '91, favorably, read second.
February 12, '91, read third, passed.
February 18,'91, signed.

Tucker of Crenshaw—
H. 484. December 3, '90, read first, revision of laws.
January 22, '91, favorably, read second.

Peacock (by request with petition)—
H. 485. December 3, '90, read first, temperance.

Edwards—
H. 486. December 3, '90, read first, judiciary.

Edwards--
H. 487. December 3, '90, read first, judiciary.
February 11, '91, adverse.

Kemp—
H. 488. December 3, '90, read first, ways and means.
January 23, '91, favorably, read second.
January 31, '91, read third, passed.
February 9, '91, signed.

Jackson—
H. 489. December 3, '90, read first, appropriation.

Bevis—
H. 490. December 3, '90, read first, temperance.
January 22, '90, favorably, read second.
January 29, '91, read third, passed.
February 10, '91, signed.
Bishop—
H. 491. December 3, '90, read first, agriculture.
December 6, '90, favorably, read second.
January 31, '91, read third, passed.
February 16, '91, signed.

Foster (by request)—
H. 492. December 3, '90, read first, judiciary.
January 28, '91, adverse.

Quarles (by request)—
H. 493. December 3, '90, read first, judiciary.

Gilchrist—
H. 494. December 3, '90, read first, agriculture.

Wade—
H. 495. December 3, '90, read first, corporations.
December 8, '90, favorably, read second.
February 14, '91, read third, passed.

Amason of Tallapoosa—
H. 496. December 3, '90, read first,judiciary.
December 6, '90, favorably, read second.

Wade—
H. 497. December 3, "90, read first, corporations.

Dccember 8, '90, favorably, read second.
February 7, '91, lead third, passed.
February 16, '91, signed.

Pettus—
H. 498. December 3, '90, read first, judiciary.
December 6, '90, favorably, read second.
January 28, '91, recommitted to judiciary.
January 28, returned.
January 30, '91, read third, passed.
February 6, '91, Bigned.

Adams—
H. 499. December 4, '90, read first, fees and salaries.
December 6, '90, lavorably, read second.
December 8, '90, special order for January 21,
after journal.
January 21, '91, read third, passed, ordered to
senate at once.

Quarles—
H. 500. Deceinber 4, '90, read first, military. February 6, '91, adverse.
Quarles—
H. 501. December 4, '90, read first, military.
February 6, '91, adverse.

Quarles
H. 502. December 4, 90, read first, military.
February 6, '91, reported favorably, read second.

Appleton (with petition)—
H. 503. December 4,'90, read first, judiciary.
December 6, '90, adverse.

Davis of Fayette—
H. 504. December 4, 90, read first, education.
January 29, '91, favorably, read second.
Jarniary 31, '91, special order for February 2, 11
a. m.
February 2, '91, substitute adopted, read third,
passed.

February 9, '91, concur in senate amendment.
February 10, '91, signed.

Leslie—
H. 505. December 4, '90, read first, corporations.
December 6, '90, reported favorably, read second.
December 8, '90, read third, passed.
December 10, '90, signed.

Leslie—
H. 506. December 4, '90, read first, commerce and common carriers.
February, 9 '91, adverse.
Leslie—
H. 507. December 4, '90, read first, counties and county boundaries.
February 9, '91, adverse.

Tucker of Lauderdale—
H. 508. December 4, '90, read first, judiciary.
Deceinber 6, '90, favorably, read second.
January 24, '91, amended, read third, passed.
February 4, '91, signed.

Jackson—
H. 509. December 4, '90, read first, judiciary.
January 28, '91, adverse.

Bain—
H. 510. December 4, '90, read first, corporations.
January 23, '91, favorably, read second.
January 26, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, signed.

Lewis—
H. 511. December 4, '90, read first, ways and means.

Kelly—
H. 512. December 4, '90, read first,judiciary.

Longshore—
H. 513. December 4, '90, read first, judiciary.

Longshore (by request)—
H. 514. December 4, '90, read first, temperance.
January 32, '91, adverse.
January 30, '91, recommitted to temperance.
January 31, '91, favorably, with substitute, read second.
February 10, '91, substitute amended, read third, passed.
February 16, '91, concur in senate amendment.
February 16, '91, signed.

Forman—
H. 515. December 4, '90, read first, counties and county boundaries.
February 9, '91, adverse.

Webb (with petition)—
H. 516. December 4, '90, read first, temperance.
January 22, '91 adverse.

Hufham—
H. 517. December 5, '90, read first ways and means.
January 22, '91, adverse.

Armistead—
H. 518. December 5, '90, read first, local legislation.
December 6, '90, favorably, read second.
January 26, '91, read third, passed.
February 16, '91, signed.

Brewer—
H. 519. December 5, '90, read first, corporations.
January 26, '91, f'avorably, read second.
January 31, '91, read third, passed.
February 12, '91, concur in senate amendment.
Febrnary 13, '91, signed.

Simmons—
H. 520. December 5, '90, read first, agriculture.
December 9, '90, adverse.
January 22, '91, recommitted to agricullure.
January 23, '91, favorably, read second.

February 10, 91, amended, read third, papsed.
February 18, '91, signed.

Bain—
H. 521. December 5, '90, read first,. education.

Bain—
H. 523. December5,'90, read first, commerceand common carriers.
January 22, '91, adverse.

Sullivan (by request)
H. 523. December 5, '90, read first, appropriations.
December 9, '90, adverse report, read second.

Sullivan (by request, notice and proof)—
H. 524. December 5, '90, read first. judiciary.
February 10,'91, adverse.

Sullivan—
H. 525. December 5, '90, read first, revision of laws.
January 22, '91, favorably read second.

Kemp—
H. 526. December 5, '90, read first, local legislation.
December 10, favorably, read second.
February 10, '91, read third, passed.
Febtuary l8, '91, signed.

Wilson—
H. 527. December 5, '90, read first, revision of laws.
January 22, '91, adverse.

Purifoy—
H. 528. Decemberl5,'90, read first, fees and salaries.
January 22, '91, favorably, read second.
January 26, '91, read third, passed.
February 6, '91, sisned.

Long—
H. 529. December 5, '90 read first, jndiciary.
January 26, '91, favorably, read second.

Long—
H. 530. December 5,'90, read first, judiciary.
January 26, '91, favorably, read second.

Brown—
H. 531. December 5, '90, read first, corporations.
December 6, '90, favorably, with amendment, read second.
February 3, '91, amended, read third, passed.
February 13, '91, concur in senate amendment.
February 16, '91, signed.

Brown—
H. 532. December 5, '90, read first, temperance.
January 26, '91, adverae.

Wood—
H. 533. December 5, '90, read first, agriculture.
December 9, '90, favorably, read second.

Clanton (with notice and petition)—
H. 534. December 5, '90, read first, education.
Jannary 23, '91, favorably, read second.
January 39, '91, read third, passed.
February 7, '91, signed.

Edwards—
H. 535. December 5, '90, read first, local legislation.
January 23, '91, favorably with amendment, read second.

Edwards—
H. 536. December 5, '90, read first.

Clements—
H. 537. December 5, '90, read first, corporations.
December 8, '90, favorably, read second.
January 26, '91, amended, read third, passed.
February 6, '91, passed.

Lewis—
H. 538. December 5, '90, read first, education.
January 20, '91, favorauly, read second.

February 2, '91, amended, read third, passed.
February 13,'91, non-concur senate amendment.
February 14, '91, conferenceconunittee appointed.
February 14, non-concur in report of committee,
new committee appointed.
February 14, '91, concur in second conference report.
February 16, '91, signed.

Meador—
H. 539. December 5, '90, read first, privileges and elections.
Meador—
H. 540. December 5, '90, read first, privileges and elections.

Harrell—
H. 541. December 6, '90, read first, corporations.

Northington—
H. 542. December 6, '90, read first, local legislation.
December 10, '90, favorably, read second.
January 26, '91, read third, passed.
February 6, '91, signed.

Rather—
H. 543. December 6, '90, read first, corporations.
December 8, '90, favorably, read second.
January 23, '91, read third, passed.
February 2, '91, signed.

Loveless—
H. 544. December 6, '90, read first, education.
January 22, 91, favorably, read second.

Brown—
H. 545. Decemher 6, '90, read first, judiciary.
December 9, '90, favorably, read second.
February 7, '91, read third, passed.
February 16, '91, concur in senate amendment.
February 18, '91, signed.

Simmons—
H. 546. December 16, '90, read first, counties and county boundaries.
January 24, '91, favorably, read second.
February 4, '91, read third and lost.

Lewis—
H. 547. December 6, '90, read first, revision of laws.

Screws (by request. with notice and proof)—
H. 548. December 6, '90, read first, judiciary.

Screws (by requpst)—
H. 549. December 6. '90, read first, agriculture.
December 9, '90, adverse.

Amason of Sumter—
H. 550. December 6, '90, read first, penitentiary and criminal administration.
January 27, '91, favorably, read second, special order January 30, after journal.
January 30, 91, special order January 31, after journal.
January 30, '91, postponed and special order for February 4, 12 m.
February 6, '91, amended.
February 7, '91, amended, read third, passed.
February.18, signed.

Long—
H. 551. December 6,'90, read first, judiciary.
December 9, '90, favorably, read second.
February 4, '91, read third, passed.
February 14, '91, signed.

Finch—
H. 552. December C,'90, read first, corporations.
January 28, '91, favorably, read second.
February 10, '91, amended, read third, passed.
February 16, '91, signed.

Smaw—
H. 553. December 6, '90, read first, public roads and highways.

January 27, '91, favorably, read second.
February 2, '91, special order 12 m. February 4.
February 5, '91, amended.

Clayton—
H. 554. December 8, '90, read first, education.
December 10, adverse.
Adams—
H. 555. December 8, '90, read first, penitentiary and criminal administration.

Edwards—
H. 556. December 8, '90, read first, education.
January 27, '91, favorably, read second.

Edwards—
H. 557. December 8, '90, read first, public roads and highways.
January 24, '91, favorably, read second.
February 12, '90, read third, passed.

Clanton—
H. 558. December 8, '90, read first, corporations.
February 5, '91, favorably, read second.
February 9, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, '91, signed.

Brown (notice and proof)—
H. 559. December 8, '90, read first, judiciary.
January 27, '91, favorably, read second.
February 2, '91, substitute adopted, read third, passed.
February 14, '91, signed.

Davis of Lamar—
H. 560. December 8, '90, read first, temperance.
January 22, '91, favorably, read second.
February 9, '91, omnibuscommittee.
Sayre—
H. 561. December 8, '90, read first, judiciary.
January 29, '91, favorably, read second.

Webb (by request)—
H. 563. December 8, '90, read first, appropriations.
January 23, '91, favorably with amendment, read second.
January 26, '91, special order for January 29, 12 rn.
January 30, '91, amended, read third, passed.
February 7, '91, signed.

Amason of Tallapoosa (notice and proof)—
H. 563. December 8, '90, read first, judiciary.
January 28, '91, adverse.

Simmons—
H. 564. December 8, '90, read first, local legislation.
December 10, '90, reported favorably, read second.

Kelly—
H. 565. December 8, '90, read first judiciary.
February 10, '91, adverse.

Avery (by request)—
H. 566. December 9, '90, read first, education.

Avery (by request)—
H. 567. December 9, '90, read first, calendar.

Brown—
H. 568. Decembar 9, '90, read first, corporations.
January23, '91, favorably, read second.
February 13, '91, read third, pasged.
February 18, signed.

Brown—
H. 569. December 9, '90, read first, judiciary.
January 26, '91, reported favorably, read second.
Edwards—
H. 570. December 9, '90, read first, commerce and common carriers.
February 14, '91, adverse.

Kelly (notice and proof)—
H. 573. December 10, '90, read first, judiciary.
January 26, '91, reported favorably, read second.
January 31, '91, read third, passed.
February 9, '91, signed.

Howle—
H. 572. December 10, '90, read first, appropriations.
January 23, '91, adverse.

Lee of Conecuh—
H. 573. December 10, '90, read first, local legislation.
January23, '91, favorably, read second.
January 27, '91, read third, passed.

Henry—
H. 574. December 10, '90, read first, corporations.
February 3, '91, favorably, read second.

Henry—
H. 575. December 10, '90, read first, education.

Adams—
H. 576. December 10, '90, read first, fees and salaries.
January 22, '91, l'dvorably, read sccond.
January 26, '91, special order January 29, after journal.
January 30, '91, recommitted to fees and salarics.
February 10, '91, reported favorably with amendment.
February 14, '91, indefinitely postponed.

Adams—
H. 577. December 10, '90, read first, fees and salaries.
January 22, '91, J'avorably, read second.
January 26, '91, continued special order after H. 576, disposed of.
January 30, '91, recommitted to fees and salaries.
February 10, '91, report amendment.
February 13, '91, indefinitely postponed.

Lee of Barbour—
H. 578. December 30, '90, read first, judiciary.

Brown—
H. 579. December 10, ‘90, read first, judiciary.
January 31, '91, favorably, read second.

Brown—
H. 580. December 10, '90, read first, corporations.
January 23, '91, favorahly, read second.

Brown—
H. 581. December 10, '90, read first, corporations.
January 23, '91, favorably, read second, amend-
ment.

Davidson—
H. 582. December 10, '90. read first, local legislation.
January 30, '91, favorably, read second.
February 6, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, signed.

Clayton—
H. 583. January 20, '91, read first, judiciary.
January 24, '91, favorably, read second.

Clayton—
H. 584. January 20, '91, read first, judiciary.
February 10, '91, favorably, adverse.

Crews—
H. 585. January 20, '9l, readfirst, privileges and elections.
January 29, '91, adverse.

Powell—
H. 586. January 20, '91, read first, commerce and com-
mon carriers.
January 28, '91, favorably, read second.
February 5, '19,read third, passed.
February 14, '91, signed.

Powell—
H. 587. January 20, '91, read first, ways and means.
January 22, '91, adverse.
January 28, '91, taken up, read second.

February 9,'9', recommitted judiciary.
February 10, '91, adverse.

Rather—
H. 588. January 20, '91, read first, corporations.
January 22, '90, favorably, read second.
January 27, '91, read third, passed.
February 5, '91, concur in senate amendment.
February 6, '91, signed.

Rather (notice and proof)—
H. 589. January 20, '91, read first, education.
January 27, '91, favorably, read second.
February 10, '91, read third, passed.
February 16, '91, signed.

Rather—
H. 590. January 20, '91, read first, judiciary.
January 31, '91. favorably, read second.

Rather—
H. 591. January 20, '91, read first, judiciary.
February 10, '91, favorably, read second.

Rather—
H. 592. January 20, '91, read first, local legislation.
January 22, '91, favorably, read second.
February 9,'91, read third, passed.

Edwards—
H. 593. January 20, '91, read first, judiciary.
February 3, '91, favorably, read second.

Edwards—
H. 594. January 20, 91, read first, local legislation.
January 22, '91, recalled, referred to temperance.
January 23, '91, favorably, read second.
February 6, '91, tabled.

Edwards—
H. 595. January 20, '91, read first, temperance.
January 22, '91, favorably, read second.
February 9, '91, omnibus committee.

Edwards (with notice)—
H. 596. January 20, '91, read first, judiciary.
January 22, '91, recalled and referred to temperance.
January 23, '91, f'avorably read second.
February 2, '91, read third, passed.
February 16, '91, signed.

Edwards (with notice)—
H. 597. January 20, '91, read first, local legislation.
January 22, '91, recalled and referred to temperance.
January 23, '91, favorably, read second.
January 27, '91, read third, passed.
February 7, '91, signed.

Quarles—
H. 598. January 20, '91, read first, revision of laws.
January 23, '91, favorably, read secoud.
January 27, '91, amended, read third, passed.
February 14, '91, non concur in senate amendment, conference committee.
February 16, '91, concur in conference report.
February 18, signed.

Quarles—
H. 599. January 30, '91, read first, revision of laws.
January 23, '91, favorably, read second.
January 27, '91, read third, passed.
February 7, '91, signed.

Quarles (with petition)—
H. 600. January 20, '91, read first, appropriations.

Quarles—
H. 601. January 20, '91, read first, appropriations.
January 26, '91, favorably with amendment, read 4, second.
February 6, '91, amended, read third, passed.
February 16, '91, signed.

Appleton (notice and proof with petition)—
H. 602. January 20, '91, read first, fees and salaries.

January 22, '91, favorably, read second.
January 28, '91, read third, passed.
February 6, '91, signed.

Davis of Fayette—
H. 603. January 20,'91, read first, education.
January 30, '91, favorably, read second.

Judge (notice and proof)—
H. 604. January 20, '91, read first, judiciary.
January 22, '91. adverse.

Avery—
H. 605. January 20, '91, read first, ways and means.
January 22, '91, favorably, read second.
January 23, '91, amended, read third, passed.
February 2, '91, signed.

Henry—
H. 606. January 20, '91, read first, fees and salaries.

Henry—
H. 607. January 20, '91, read first. judiciary.
February 11, read second.
February 14, '91, read third and passed.
February 18, '91, signed.

Henry—
H. 608. January 20, '91, read first, judiciary.

Henry—
H. 609. January 20,'91, read first, judiciary.
January 30, '91, favorably, read second.
February 5, '91, read third, passed.
February 11, 91, signed.

Brown—
H. 610. January 20,'91, read first, judiciary.
February 7, '91, favorably, read second.
February 14, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, signed.

Brown—
H. 611. January 20, '91,read first, judiciary.

Brown—
H. 612. January 20, '91, read first, penitentiary and criminal administration.
January 24, '91, favorably, read second.
January 30, '91, amended, read third, passed.
February 2, '91, senate amendment concurred in.
February 3, '91, signed.

Brown—
H. 613. January 20, '91, read first, penitentiary and criminal administration.
January 24, '91, favorably, read second.
February 12, '91, amended, read third, passed.
February 18, signed.

Brown—
H. 614. January 20, '91, read first, judiciary.

Young (notice and proof)—
H. 615. January 20, '91, read first, ways and means.
January 22, '91, favorably, read second.
January 31, '91, read third, passed.
February 9, '91, signed.

Lewis—
H. 616. January 20, '91, read first, revision of laws.
January 22, '91, reported favorably, read second.
January 27. '91, read third, passed.
February 6, '91, signed.

Lewis—
H. 617. January 20, '91, read first, revision of laws.
January 22, '91, reported favorably, read second.
January 31, '91, special order February 5, after journal.
February 5, '91, special order February 6, after journal.
February 6, '91, substitute adopted, read third, passed.
February 18, signed.

Lewis—
H. 618. January 20, '91, read first, revision of laws.
January 22, '91, adverse.
Sullivan (notice and proof)—
H. 619. January 20, '91, read first, judiciary.
January24, '91, favorably, read second.
February 13, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, signed.
Sullivan—
H. 620. January 20, '91, read firsfc, revision of laws.
January 22, '91, adverse.
Parks—
H. 621. January 20, '91, read first, judiciary.
February 10, '91, adverse.
Kemp—
H. 622. January 20, '91, read first, temperance.
January 29, '91, favorably, read second.
February 4, '91, special order 12 m. February 5.
February 5, '91, special order after journal Febru-
ary 6.
February 6, '91, read third, passed.
February 14, '91, concur in senate amendment.
February 16, '91,signed.

Sayre—
H. 623. January 30, '91, read first, revision of laws.
January 24, '91, l'avorab]y, read second.

Sayre—
H. 624. January 20, '91, read first, rcvision or laws.
January 22, ‘91, reported favorably. read second.

Sayre (notice and proof)—
H. 625. January 20, '91, read first, revision oflaws.
January 22, '91, reported favorably, read second.
February 10, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, '91, signed.

Sayre—
H. 626. January 20, '91, read first, temperance.
January 22, '91, favorably, read second.
January 31, '91, special order February 3, 12 m.
February 4, '91, amended, read third, passed.
February 14, '91, signed.

Sparkman (notice and proof)—
H. 627. January 20, '91, read first, ways and means.
January 22, '91, adverse.

Smith of Russell—
H. 628. January 20, '91, education.
January 22, '91, favorably, read second.
February 3, '91, read third. passed.
February 18, '91, senate amendment concurred in, signed.

Wilson—
H. 629. January 20, '91, read first, revision ot'laws.
January 22, '91, adverse.

Long—
H. 630. January 20, '91, read first, commerce and common carriers.
January 28, '91, favorably, read second.
February3, '91, read third, passed.
February 14. '91, signed.

Long—
H. 631. January 20, '91, read first, local legislation.
January 22, '91, favorably, read second.
January 28, '91, read third, passed.
February 14, '91, signed.

Long—
H. 632. January 20, '91, read first, local legislation.
January 22, '91, favorably, read second.
February 11, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, signed.

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Purifoy—
H. 633. January 20, '91; read first, penitentiary and criminal administration.
January 29, '91, favorably, read second.
February 3, '91, amended, read third, passed.

Webb—
H. 634. January 20, '91, read first, local legislation.
January 24, '91, favorably, read second.
January 26, '91, araended, read third, passed.
February 6, '91, signed.

Webb—
H. 635. January 20, '91, read first, temperance.
January 22, '91, favorably, read second.
January 22, '91, recommitted to temperance.

Clayton—
H. 636. January 21, '91, read first, commerce and common carriers.
January 28, '91, favorably, readsecond.

Clayton—
H. 637. January 21, '91, read first, judiciary.
February 3, '91, favorably, read seeond.
February 4, '91, amended, read third, passed.

Clayton—
H. 638. January 21, '91, read first, judiciary.
January 24, '91, favorably, read second.

Adams—
H. 639. Jauuary 21, '91, read first, mining and manufacturing.

Adams—
H. 640. January 21, '91, read first, local legisla'tion.
January 22, '91, returned and referred to judiciary.
February 3, '91, favorably, read second.
February 9, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, signed, vetoed, reconsidered, lost.

Cooper—
H. 641. January 21, '91, read first, judiciary.

February 5, '91, favorably, read second.
February 12, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, '91, signed.

Whatley—
H. 642. January 21, '91, read first, revision of laws.
January 24, '91, favorably, read second.
January 26, '91, read third, passed.
January 27, '91, reconsidered and referred to judiciary.
February 4, '91, signed.
February 7, '91, vetoed, reconsidered, lost.

Whatley—
H. 643. January 21, '91, read first, judiciary.
January 27, '91, adverse.

Rather—
H. 644. January 21, '91, read first, corporations.
January 23, '91, favorably, read second.
January 29, '91, read third, passed.
February 11, '91, concur in senate amendment.
February 13, '91, signed.

Rousseau (with petition)—
H. 645. January 21, '91, read first, education.
January 26, '91, reported favorably, read second.
February 12, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, signed.

Rousseau (with notice)—
H. 646. January 21, '91, read first, ways and means.
February 3, '91, adverse.

Guthrie (with petition)—
H. 647. January 21, '91, read first, temperance.
January 23, '91, favorably, read second.
February 9, '91, omnibus committee.

Quarles—
H. 648. January 21, '91, read first, judiciary.
January 22, '91,adverse.
January 22, '91, called up, read second, calendar.

January 31, '91, special order February 3 at
12 m.
February 11, '91, read third, lost.
February 12, '91, reconsidered, lost.

Parker (with notice and proof)—
H. 649. January 21, '91, read first, local legislation.
January 22, '91, favorably, read second.
February 3, '91, read third, passed.
February 16, '91, signed.

Davis of Fayette—
H. 650. January 21, '91, read first, agriculture.
February 6, '91, adverse.

Davis of Fayette—
H. 651. January 21, '91, read first, local legislation.
January 23, '91, favorably, read second.
February 7, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, '91, signed.

Judge—
H. 652. January 21, '91, read first, Judiciary.
January 24, '91, favorably, read second.
January 24, '91, special order January 26, 12 m.
January 26, '91, read third, passed.
February 2, '91, eigned.

Judge (by request)—
H. 653. January 21, '91, read first, public health.
January 22, '91, favorably, read second.

Loveless—
H. 654. January 21, '91, read first, corporations.
January 26, '91, reported favorably, read second.
January 28, '91, read tliïrd, passed.
February 14, '91, signed.
Loveless—
H. 655. January 21, '91, read first, judiciary.
January 26, '91, reported favorably, read second.
February 7, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, '91, signed.

Loveless—
H. 656. January 21, '91, read first, local legislation.
January 30, '91, favorably, read second.
February 12, '91, amended, read third, passed.
February 18, signed.

Lane—
H. 657. January 21, '91, read first, local legislation.
January 22, ‘91, favorably, read second.
January 23, '91, read third, passed.
January 30, '91, concur in senate amendment.
January 30, '91, signed.

Avery—
H. 658. January 21, '91, read first, corporations.
January 27, '91, favorably, read second.
January 28, '91, read third, passed.
February 16,'91, returned to senate, concur in
senate amendment.
February 18, '91, signed.

Parks—
H. 659. January 21, '91, read first, counties and county
boundaries.

Leslie (with notice and proof)—
H. 660. January 21, ‘91, read first, temperance.
January 23, '91, favorably, read second.
February 3, '91, read third, passed.
February 11, '91, signed.

Leslie—
H. 661. January 21, '91, read first, local legislation.
January 23, '91, favorably, read second.
January 29, '91, read third, passed.
February 11, '91, signed.

Henry (by request)—
H. 662. January 21, '91, read first, local legislation.
January 23, 9'1, adverse.

Henry—
H. 663. January 21, '91, read first, judiciary.

Brown—
H. 664. January 21, '91, read first, local legislation.
January 24, '91, returned and referred to temperance.
February 9, '91, read second.
February 10,'91, adverse.

Brown—
H. 665. January 21, '91. read first, corporations.
January 23, '91, favorably, read second.
February 12, '91, amended, read third, passed.
February 18, signed.

Brown—
H. 666. January 21, '91, read first, corporations.
January 23, '91. favorably, read second.

Brown—
H. 667. January 21, '91, read first, corporations.
January 26, '91, favorably, read second.

Brown—
H. 668. January 21, '91, read first, corporations.
January 24, '91, favorabiy, read second.

Jackson—
H. 669. January 21, '91, read first, corporations.
January 24,'91, favorably, read second.
January 30, '91, read third, passed.
February 9, '91, signed.

Kelly (by request, with notice and proof)—
H. 670. January 21. '91, read first, revision of laws.
January 29, '91, favorably, read second.
February 11, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, '91, signed.

Sullivan—
H. 671. January 21, '91, read first, revision of laws.
February 3, '91, adverse.

Simmons—
H. 672. January 21, '91, read first, education.

January 23, '91, favorably, read second.
February 13, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, signed.

Simmons—
H. 673. January 21, '91, read first, local legislation.
January 22, '91, favorably read second.
January 26, '91, amended, read third, lost.
January 27, '91, reconsidered, read third, passed.
February 5, '91, concur in senate amendment.
February 6, '91, signed.

Hill—
H. 674. January 21, '91, read first, local legislation.
January 31, '91, favorably, read second.
February 11, '91, read third, passed.

Alexander—
H. 675. January 21, '91, read first, judiciary.
February 10, '91, adverse.

White (by request)—
H. 676. January 21, '91, read first, temperance.
January 29, '91, favorably read second.

Barnett (by request)—
H. 677. January 21, '91, read first, corporations.

Townsend of Pike—
H. 678. January 21, '91, read first, temperance.
January 23, '91, favorably, read second.
February '91, omnibus committee.

Smith of Russell—
H. 679. January 21,'91, read first, judiciary.
January 24, '91, favorably, read second,

Longshore—
H. 680. January 21, '91, read first, revision of laws.
January 28, '91, favorably, read second.

Forman (by request)—
H. .681. January 21, '91, read first, corporations.

February 5, '91, favorably read second.
February 9, '91, read third, passed.
February 16, '91, returned to senate.
February 16, '91, concur in senate amendment.
February 18, '91, signed.

Forman (by request)—
H. 682. January 21, '91, read first, temperance.
February 13, '91, favorably, read second.

Forman (by request—
H. 683. January 21, '91, temperance.

Amason of Sumter—
H. 684. January 21, '91, read first, revision of laws.
January 24, '91, favorably, read second.
February 11, '91, read third, passed.
February 16, '91, signed.

Amason of Sumter, (with notice)—
H. 685. January 21, '91, read fi.rst, appropriations.
January 28, '91, favorably, read second.
January 29, '91, read third, passed.
February 7, '91, sigued.

Amason of Tallapoosa—
H. 686. January 21, '91, read first, temperance.
January 23, '91, favorably, read second.
February 3, '91, read third, passed.
February 16, '91, signed.

Lee of Barbour—
H. 687. January 22, '91, read firsfc, revision of laws.
January 24, '91, adverse.
January 26, '91, taken up, read second, calendar.

Lee of Barbour—
H. 688. January 22, '91, revision of laws.
January 24, '91, adverse.
January 26, '91, taken up, read second, calendar.
Cooper—
H. 689. January 22, '91, read first, local legislation.

January 30, '91, favorably, read second.
February 11, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, '91, signed.

Whatley—
H. 690. January 22, '91, read first, judiciary.
January 28, '91, adverse.

Cornelius—
H. 691. January 22, '91, read first, education.
January 26, '91, favorably, read second.
January 27, '91, read third, passed.
February 7, '91, signed.

Wallers (notice and proof)—
H. 692. January 22, '91, read first, ways and means.
January 24, '91, favorably, read second.
January 26, '91, read third, passed.
February 4, '91, signed.

Rousseau—
H. 693. January 22, '91, read first, waya and means.
February 5, '91, favorably, read second.
February 6, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, signed.

Edwards—
H. 691. January 22, '91, read first, temperance.
January 27, '91, favorably, read second.
January 7, '91, passed.
January 26, '91, read second, calendar.
January 26, '91, signed.

Appleton—
H. 695. January 22, '91, read first, public health.

Loveless—
H. 696. January 22, '91, read first, corporations.
February 4. '91, favorably, read second.
February 11, '91, read third, passed.
February 16, '91, concur in senate amendment.
February 18, '91, signed.

Brewer (by request)—
H. 697. January 22, '91, read first, corporations.
January 30, '91, favorably, read second.

Simrnons—
H. 698. January 33 '91, read first, privileges and elections.
January 24, '91, favorably, read second.
January 31, '91, read third, passed.
February 10. '91, signed.

Simmons—
H. 699. January 22, '91, read first, privileges and elections.
January 24, '91, favorably, read second.
February 9, '91, amended, read third, passed.
February 18,'91,signed.

Bass—
H. 700. January 22, '91, read first, local legislation.
January 24, '91, favorably, read second.
February 9, '91, arnended, read third, passed.
February 16, '91, signed.

Bain—
H. 701. January 22, '91, read first, ways and means.
January 24, '91, favorably, read second.
January 31, '91, read third, passed.
February 9, '91, signed.

Bain—
H. 702. January 22, '91, read first, temperance.
January 27, '91, reported favorably, read second.
February 10, '91, substitute adopted, read third, passed.
February 18, signed.

Buck—
H. 703. January 22, '91, read first, revision of laws.
February 3, '91, adverse.

Kelly—
H. 704. January 22, '91, read first, revision of laws.
January 28, '91, favorably, read second.

Kemp (by request)—
H. 705. January 32, '91, read first, judiciary.
January 28, '91, adverse.

Sparkman—
H. 706. January 22, '91, read first, local legislation.
January 24, '91,favorably, read second.
February 2, '91, read third, passed.
February 10, '91, signed.

Forman—
H. 707. January 22, '91, readfirst, corporations.
January 24, '91, favorably, read second.
February 3, '91, read third, passed.
February 16, '91, signed.

Barney—
H. 708. January 22, '91, read first, revision of laws.

Webb—
H. 709. January 22, '91, read first, corporations.
January 24, '91, favorably, read second.

Webb—
H. 710. January 22, '91, read first, corporations.
January 24, '91, favorably, read second.

Foster—
H. 711. January 22, '91, read firsfc, local legislation.
January 30, '91, favorably, read second.
February 13, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, '91, signed.

Davis of Winston—
H. 712. January 22, '91, read first, temperance.
January 27, '91, favorably, read second.
February 3, '91, read third, passed.

Davis of Winston—
H. 713. January 22, '91, read first, corporations.
February 9, '91, reported favorably, read second.
February 11, '91, read third, passed.

Finch—
H. 714. January 22, '91, read first, local legislation.
January 30, '91, favorably, read second.
February 7, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, '91, signed.

Finch—
H. 715. January 22, '91, judiciary.
February3, '91, favorably, read second.
February 13, '91,read third, passed.
February 18, signed.

Finch—
H. 716. January 22, '91, read first, judiciary.
January 27, '91, reported favorably, read second.
February 12, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, signed.

Longshore—
H. 717. January 22, '91, read first, corporations.
January 24, '91, favorably, read second.
February 11, '91, read third, passed.

Rather—
H. 718. January 22, '91, read first, appropriations.
January 28, '91, adverse.

Adams—
H.719. January 23, '91, read first, local legislation.
January 26, '91, reported favorably, read second.
January 28, '91, special order January 29.
January 30, '91, read third, passed.
February 7, '91, signed.

Cooper—
H. 720. January 23, '91, read first, local legislation.
January 26, '91, reported favorably, read second.

Harris—
H. 721. January 23, '91, read first, temperance.
January 27, '91, favorably, read second.
February 9, '91, omnibus committee.

Harris—
H. 722. January 23, '91, read first, temperance.
January 27, '91, favorably, read second.
February 9, '91, omnibus committee.

Howle—
H. 723. January 23, '91, read first, education.
January 27, '91, favorably, read second.
February 6, '91, read third, passed.
February 14, '91, signed.

Almon—
H. 724. January 23, '91, read first, privileges and elections.
January 27, '91, reported favorabiy, read second.

Peacock (with petition)—
H. 725. January 23, '91, read first, temperance.

Davidson—
H. 726. January 23, '91, read first, accounts and claims.

Rousseau (with notice)—
H. 727. January 23, '91, read firstJudiciary.
January 20, '91, reported favorably, read second.

Guthrie (by request)—
H. 728. January 23, '91, read first, judiciary.

Guthrie (by request)—
H. 729. January 23, '91, read first, revision of laws.
January 26, '91, adverse.

Guthrie (by request)—
H. 730. January 23, '91, read first, judiciary.

Guthrie (by request)— .
H. 731. January 23, '91, read first, judiciary.

Guthrie (with petition)—
H. 732. January 23, '91, read first, education.

February 7, '91, favorably, read second.
February 12, '91, substitute adopted, read third,
passed.
February 18, '&l, signed.

Quarles (by request)—
H. 733. January 23, '91, read first, revision oflaws.
January 26, '91, reported favorably, read second.

Tucker of Crenshaw—
H. 734. January 23, '91, read first, temperance.
January 27, '91, favorably, read second.
February 9, '91, omnibus committee.

Loveless—
H. 735. January 23, '91, read first, judiciary.

Finch—
H. 736. January 23, '91, read first, judiciary.
January 27, '91, favorably, read second.
February 7, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, '91, signed.

Finch—
H. 737. January 23, '91, read first, ways and means.
February 4, '91, favorably, with amendment
read second.
February 12, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, '91, signed.
Leslie—
H. 738. January 23, '91, read first, corporations.
January 30, '91, favorably, read second.
February 7, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, '91, signed.

Leslie (by request)—
H. 739. January 23, '91, local legislation.
January 30, '91, favorably, read second.
Leslie—
H. 740. January 30, '91, favorably, read second.

February 11, '91, read tliïrd, passed.
February 18, '91, signed.
Leslie—
H. 741. January 23, '91, read first, corporations.
February 7, '91, favorably, read second.
February 13, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, '91, signed.

Clanton—
H. 742. January 23, '91, readfirst, judiciary.
January 26, '91, reported favorably, read second.
February 13, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, '91, signed.

Henry—
H. 743. January 23, '91, read first, corporations.
February 11, '91, read third. passed.
February 18, '91, returned to senate.
February 18, '91, concur senate amendment, signed

Henry (with notice)—
H. 744. January 23, '91, read first, corporations.
January 31, '91, favorably, read second.
February 5, '91, returned and referred judiciary.

Henry (notice and proof)—
H. 745. January 23, '91, read first, corporations.

Brown (by request)—
H. 746. January 23, '91, read first, appropriations.
January 28, '91, adverse.

Brown (by request)—
H. 747. January 23, '91, read first, temperance.
February 5, 91, adverse.

Brown (notice and proof)—
H. 748. January 23, '91, read first, corporations.
February 4, '91, favorably, read second.
February 9, '91, read third, passed.
February 16, '91, concur in senate amendment.
February 18, '91, signed.

Davis of Lamar (with petition)—
H. 749. January 23, '91, read first, corporation.
February 3, '91, favorably, with substitute, read second.
February 7, '91, substitute adopted, read third, passed.
February 18, signed.

Bevis—
H. 750. January 23, '91, read first, local legislation.
February 11, '91, favorably, read second.

Lane—
H. 751. January 23, '91, read first, local legislation.
January 30,'91, favorably, read second.
February 9, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, signed.

Brewer—
H. 752. January 23, '91, revision of laws.
January 26, '91. adverse.
January 31, '91, read second.
February 5, '91, read third, passed.
February 16, '91, signed.

Blackwell—
H. 753. January 23, '91, real first, public roads and highways.
February 5, '91, favorably, read second.

Blackwell (notice and proof)—
H. 754. January 23, '91, read first, commerce and common carriers.
February 6, '91, favorably, read second.
February 9. '91, substitute, adopted.
February 10, '91, read third, paysed.
February 13, '91,signed.
February 14, '91, recall from governor, concur in senate amendments.
February 16, '91, signed.

Steele—
H. 755. January 23, '91, read first, appropriations.

January 28, '93, favorably, read second.
January 31, '91, read third, passed.
February 9,'91, signed.

Jackson (by request)—
H. 756. January 23,'91, read first, judiciary.
January 26, '91, favorably, read second.

Armistead—
H. 757. January 23, '91, read first, counties and county boundaries.
February 4, '91, favorably, read second.
February 6, '91, amended, read third, passed.
February 6, '91, motion to reconsider tabled.

Young—
H. 758. Jannary 23, '91, rfad first, education.
January 28, '91, favorably, read second.
January 29, '91, read third, passed.
February 11, '91, signed.

Young (with petition)—
H. 759. January 23, '91, read first, ways and means.
February 3, '91, adverse.

Bain—
H. 760. January 23, '91, read first, corporations.
January 31, '91, favorably, read second.
February 11, '91, read third, passed.
February 16, '91, concur in senate amendment.
February 18, '91, signed.

Kelly—
H. 761. January 23,'91, read first, revision of laws.
January 26, '91, favorably, read second.
February 10, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, '91, signed.

Sullivan—
H. 762. January 23, '91, readfirst, revlsionof laws.
January 29, '91, favorably, read second.
February 10,'91, substitute with amendment, read third, passed.
February 18, '91, signed.

Kemp—
H. 763. January 23, '91, read first, local legislation.
February 3, '91, favorably, read second.
February 11, '91. read third, passed.
February 18, '91, signed.
Sayre—
H. 764. January 23, '91, read first, education.
January 30, adverse.

Sayre—
H. 765. January 23, '91, revision of laws.
January 26, '91, favorably, read second.
February 13, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, signed.

Hill—
H. 766. January 23, '91, read first, revision of laws.
January 27, '91, favorably, read second.
February 2, '91, read third, passed.
February 11, '91, signed.

Alexander—
H. 767. January 23, '91, read first, local legislation.
January 30, '91, favorably, read second.
January 14, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, signed.

Longshore—
H. 768. January 23, '91, read first, corporatious.
January 30, '91, favorably, read second.

Ramsay—
H. 769. January 23, '91, read first, public roads and high-
ways.

Foster (by request)—
H. 770. January 23, '91, read first, revision of laws.
January 28, '91, favorably, read second.
February 11, 91, read third, passed.

Foster—
H. 771. January 23, '91, read first, revision of laws.
January 26, '91, favorably, read second.

Foster—
H. 772. January 23, '91, read first, revision of laws.
January 28, '91, favorably, read second.
February 11, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, signed.

Foster—
H. 773. January 23, '91, read first, revision of laws.
January 28, '91, favorably, read second.
February 3, '91, amended, read third, passed.
February 11, 91, signed.

Foster—
H. 774. January 23, '91, read first, public roads and high-ways.
February 11, '91, adverse.

Smith of Russell (by request)—
H. 775. January 23, '91, read lirst, local legislation.
January 30, adverse.

Clayton—
H. 776. January 23, '91, read first, judiciary.
January 27,'91, favorably, read second.

Clayton—
H. 777. January 23, '91, read first, judiciary.
February 3, '91, adverse.

Clayton—
H. 778. January 23, '91, read first, judiciary.
February 3, '91, adverse.
Clayton—
H. 779. January 23, '91, read first, judiciary.
February 3, '91, adverse.

Longshore—
H. 780. January 23, '91, read first, corporations.
January 30, '91, favorably, read second.

Adams—
H. 781. January 23, '91, read first, judiciary.
February 10, '91, adverse.

Adams—
H. 782. January 24, '91, read first, judiciary.

Davidson—
H. 783. Jannary 24, '91, read first, corporations.
January 30, '91, favorably, read second.
February 13, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, signed.

Lee of Conecuh—
H. 784. January 24, '91, read first, ways and means.
February 4, '91, favorably, read second.
February 5, '91, read third, passed.

Clayton—
H. 785. January 24, '91, read first, judiciary.
January 27, '91, favorably, read second.

Johnson (by request)—
H. 786. January 24, '91, read first, corporations.
February 3, '91, tavorably, read second.
February 6, '91, read third, passed.
February 14, '91, signed.

Townsend of Limestone—
H. 787. January 24, '91, read first, fees and salaries.
January 26, '91, returned and referred to judiciary.
January 28, '91, adverse.

Townsend of Limestone—
H. 788. January 24,'91, revision of laws.
January 29, '91, adverse.

Townsend of Limestone—
H. 789. January 24, '91, read first, corporations.
January 31, '91, favorably, read second.

Brewer (by request)—
H. 790. January 24, '91, read first, ways and means.
February 3, '91, favorably, read second.
February 14, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, signed.

Simmons (by request)—
H. 791. January 24, '91, read first, judiciary.
February 6, '91, adverse.

Simmons—
H. 792. January 24, '91, read first, judiciary.
February 6, '91, adverse, read second.
February 11, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, signed.

Sayre—
H. 793. January 24,'91 judiciary.
January 28, '91, favorably, read second.

Sayre—
H. 794. January 24, '91, read first, revision of laws.
January 29, '91, favorably, read second.

Sayre (by request with petition)—
H. 795. January 24, '91, read first, counties and county boundaries.

Henry—
H. 796. January 24, '91, read first, corporations.
January 31, '91, favorably, read second.

Guthrie (with petition)—
H. 797. January 24, '91, read first, education.
February 7, '91, favorably, read second.

Townsend of Pike—
H. 798. January 24, '91, read first, revision of laws.

January 28, '91, adverse.
February 9, '91, recommitted to revision of laws.
February 14, '91, adverse.

Longshore—
H. 799. January 24, '91, read first, judiciary.
February 10, '91, adverse.

Northington (with petition)—
H. 800. January 24, '91, read first, temperance.
January 27, '91, favorably, read second.
February 9, 91, omnibus committee.

Clanton—
H. 801. January 24, 91, read first, local legislation.
January 31, adverse.

Sayre—
H. 802. January 24, '91, read first, revision of laws.
January 29, '91, favorably, read second.
February3, '91, read third, passed.
February 12, '91, signed.

Clanton—
H. 803. January 24, 91, read first, ways and means.
February 4, '91, favorably with substitute, read second.
February 9, '91, amended, read third, passed.
February 18, signed.

Rather—
H. 804. January 24, '91, read first, corporations.
January 31, '91, favorably, read second.
Avery—
H. 805. January 24, 91, read first, education.
January 27, '91, favorably, read second.
Barnett—
H. 806. January 24,'91, read first,judiciary.
February 3, '91, favorably with substitute, read second.

Clayton—
H. 807. January 24, '91, read first, judiciary.
February 3, '91, adverse.

Quarles—
H. 808. January 24, '91, read first, judiciary.

Davidson (by request)—
H. 809. January 26, '91,.read first, education.
February 6, '91, reported favorably, read second.

Cooper—
H. 810. January 36, '91, read first, corporations.
January 30, '91, favorably, read second.
February 10, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, '91, signed.

Cooper—
H. 811. January 26, '91, read first, revision of laws.
Jauuary 28, '91, favorably, read second.
February 11, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, signed.

Harris—
H. 812. January 26, '91, read first, judiciary.
January 28, '91, adverse.

Harris—
H. 813. January 26, '91, read first, special committtee—
Smith of Russell, chairman.
January 27, '91, lavorably, read second.
January 28, '91, read third, passed.
February 7, '91, signed.

Howle—
H. 814. January 26, '91, read first, local legislation.
January 30, '91, favorably, read second.
February 12, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, signed.

Guthrie (with petition)—
H. 815. January 26, '91, counties and county boundaries.
January 29, '91, adverse.

Henry—
H. 816. January 26, '91, read first, corporations.
January '30, '91, favorably, read second.

Brown—
H. 817. January26, '91, read first, judiciary.
February 11, '91, adverse.

Lane—
H. 818. January 26, '91, read first, judiciary.
January 28, '91, adverse.

Poole—
H. 819. January 26, '91, read first, agricultnre.
February 13, '91, adverse.

Bishop—
H. 820. January 26, '91, read first, education.
January 30, '91, favorably, read second.

Young (with petition)—
H. 821. January 26, '91, read first, temperance.
February 3, '91, favorably, read second.
February 13, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, '91, returned to senate, concur in senate amendment, signed.

Sayre—
H. 822. January 26, '91, read lirst, revision of laws.
January 28, '91, favorably, read second.

Ayers—
H. 823. January 26, '91, read first, local legislation.
January 30, '91, favorably, read second.
February 2, '91, read third, passed.
February 16, '91, concurin senate amendment.
February 18, '91, signed.

Pettus—
H. 824. January 26, '91, read first, judiciary.
January 27, '91, favorably, read second.
January 28, '91, read third, passed.
February 6, '91, signed.

Pettus—
H. 825. January 26, '91,read first, judiciary.
January 28, '91, favorably, read second.
February 7, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, '91, signed.

Howle—
H. 826. January 36, '91, read first, corporations.
January 28, '91, favorably, read second.
February 6, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, '91, signed.

Howle (with notice)—
H. 827. January 26, '91, read first, appropriations.
February 5, '91, favorably, read second.
February 10, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, '91, signed.

Howle—
H. 828. January 26, '91, read first, ways and means.
February 3, '91, adverse.

Bishop—
H. 829. January 36, '91, read first, agriculture.
January 30, '91, favorably, read second.
January 31, '91, substitute adopted, read third, passed.
February 8, '91, signed.

Northington—
H. 830. January 26, '91, read first, fees and salaries.

Ayres (with notice and proof)—
H. 831. January 26, '91, read first, judiciary.
January 28, '91, adverse.
February 7, '91, read second.
February 11, '91, read third, passed.

Longshore—
H. 832. January 26, '91, read first, privileges and elections.
January 29, '91, adverse.
January 30, '91, taken up, read second.

1133
January 30, '91, special order February 4, after journal.
February 4, '91, recommitted to judiciary.

Avery—
H. 833. January 26, '91, read first, military.
February 13, '91, adverse.

Foster—
H. 834. January 26, '91, judiciary,
February 4, '91, adverse.

Foster—
H. 835. January 26, '91, read first, judiciary.
February 5, '91, adverse.

Watters—
H. 836. January 26, '91, read first, judiciary.

Watters—
H. 837. January 26, '91, read first, fees and salaries.
January 27, '91, favorably, read second.
February 13, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, '91, signed.

Cooper—
H. 838. January 26, '91, read first, public roads and highways.
January 30, '91, favorably, read second.
February 5, '91, read third, passed.
February 11, '91, signed.

Judge—
H. 839. January 26, '91, read first, judiciary.
January 27, '91, favorably, read second.
January 28, '91, read third, passed.
February 7, '91, signed.

Smaw—
H. 840. January 26, '91, read first, judiciary.
January 27, '91, favorably, read second.
February 7, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, signed.

Sayre—
H. 841. January 26, '91, judiciary.

Cornelius—
H. 842. January 26, '91, read first, local legislation.
January 30, '91, favorably, read second.
February 5, '91, amended, read third, passed.
February 16, '91, signed.

Longshore—
H. 843. January 26, '91, read first, corporations.

Parker—
H. 844. January 26, '91, read first, local legislation.
January 30, '91, favorably, read second.
February 7, '91. read third, passed.
February 16, '91, signed.

Rather—
H. 845. January 26, '91, read first, corporations.
February 3, '91, favorably, read second.

Foster—
H. 846. January 26,'91, read first, privileges and elections.
January 29, '91, favorably, read second.
February 2, '91, read third, passed.

Lee of Conecuh—
H. 847. January 27, '91, read first, temperance.

Adams (by request)—
H. 848. January 27, '91, read first, judiciary.
February 3, '91, favorably, read second.

Davidson (by request)—
H. 849. January 27, '91, read first, temperance.
February 3, '91, adverse.

Northington (with petition)—
H. 850. January 27, '91, read first, temperance.

Northington—
H. 851. January 27, '91, read first, education.

January 30, '91, favorably, read second.
February 10, adverse.

Peacock (notice and proof)—
H. 853. January 27, '91, read first, judiciary.
January 30, '91, reported favorably, read second.
February 6. '91, read third, passed.
February 18,'91, signed.

Nolen—
H. 853. January 27, '91, read first, revision of laws.
January 29, '91, adverse.
February 7, '91, recommitted revision of laws.
February 10, '91, adverse.

Quarles—
H. 854. January 27, '91, read first, revision of laws.
January 30, adverse.

Avery—
H. 855. January 22, '91, read first, corporations.
February 6, '93, reported favorably, read second.

Avery—
H. 856. January 27, '91, read first, revision of laws.
January 29, '91, adverse.

Clanton—
H. 857. January 27, '91, read first, education.
January31, '91, favorably, read second.
February 7, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, signed.
Parks—
H. 858. January 27, '91, read first, education.

Brown—
H. 859. January 27, '91, read first. judiciary.
January 30, '91, reported favorably, substitute, read second.
January 30, '91, special order February 2, at 11 a. m.

February 2, '91, substitute, amendment, read
third, passed.
February 11, '91, concur m senate amfandment.
February 12, '91, signed.
Brown (with notice)—
H. 860. January 27, '91, read first, ways and means.
January 29, '91, favorably, read second.
February 3, '91, read third, passed.
February 11, '91, signed.

Davis of Lamar—
H. 861. January 27, '91, read first, revision of laws.
January 29, '91, favorably, read second.

Tucker of Lauderdale—
H. 862. January 27, '91. read first, education.
January 31, '91, lavorably, read second.
Bass—
H. 863. January 27, '91, read first, local legislation.
February 13, '91, reported favorably, read second.
Bain—
H. 864. January 27, '91, read first, judiciary.
February 3, '91, referred temperance.
February 10, '91, adverse.

Sparkman—
H. 865. January 27, '91, read first, temperance.
February 3, '91, favorably, read second.
February 9, '91, omnibus committee.

Sparkman—
H. 866. January 27, '91, read first, ways and means.
February 3, '91, adverse.

Barnett—
H. 867. January 27, '91, read first, temperance.

Wilson—
H. 868. January 27, '91, read first, federal relations.

February 3, '91, favorably, read second.
February 4, '91, read third, passed.
February 16, '91, signed.
Webb—
H. 869. January 27, '91, read first, ways and means.
February 4, '91, favorably, amendment, read
second.
February 5, '91, amended, read third, passed.
February 12, '91, concur in senate amendment.
February 13, '91, signed.

Clements—
H. 870. January 27, '91, read first, education.
February 3, '91, favorably, read second.
February 5, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, signed.
February 18, vetoed, reconsidered and lost.

Clements—
H. 871. January 27, '91, read first, temperance.
February 3, '91, favorably, read second.
February 5, '91, read third; passed.
Foster—
H. 872. January 27, '91, read first, local legislation.
February 13, '91, favorably, read second.
February 14, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, signed.

Long—
H. 873. January 27, '91, read first, privileges and elec-
tions.
January 29, '91, favorably, read second.
Cooper—
H. 874. January 27, '91, read first, corporations.
January 30, '91, favorably, read second.
February 10, '91, read third, paesed.
February 18, '91, signed.
Parker—
H. 875. January 27, '91,read first, local legislation.
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Watters—
H. 876. January 27, '91, read first, agriculture.
January 28, '91, favorably, read second.
February 6, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, '91, signed.

Rather—
H. 877. January 27, '91, read first, education.

Crews—
H. 878. January 27, '91, read first, revision of laws.
February 3, '91, adverse.

Judge (by request)—
H. 879. January 27, '91, read first, judiciary.
Jauuary 29, '91, favorably, read second.
February 12, '91, read third, passed.
February 16, '91, sigued.

Wade—
H. 880. January 27, '91, read first, corporations.
February 10, '91, adverae.

Judge—
H. 881. January 27, '91, read first, revision of laws.
January 29, '91, favorably, read second.
February 7, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, '91, signed.

Rather (by request)—
H. 882. January 28, '91,read first, local legislation.
January 31, '91, favorably, read second.

Clements—
H. 883. January 28, '91, read first, corporations.
January 30, '91, favorably, read second.
February 14, '91, read third, passed.

Clayton—
H. 884. January 28,'91, read first, judiciary.
January 30, '91, favorably, read second.
February 4, '91, read third, passed.
February 14, '91, signed.

Davidson (with petition)--
H. 885. January 28, '91, corporation.
February 12, '91, favorably, read second.
Sparkman—
H. 886. January 28, '91, read first, corporations.
January 30, '91, favorably, read second.
February 10, '91, read third, passed.
February 16, '91, signed.
February 16, '91, vetoed, reconsidered and lost.
Harrell—
H. 887. January 28. '91, corporations.
January 30, '91, favorably, read second.
February 5, '91, read third, passed.
February 10, '91, signed.
Lee of Barbour—
H. 888. January 28, '91, read first, agriculture.
January 30, '91, favorably, read second.
Lee of Barbour—
H. 889. January 28, '91, read first, fees and salaries.
Lewis—
H. 890. January 28, '91, read first, revision of laws.
February 3, '91, favorably, read second.
February 6, '91. read thirdand passed.
February 16, '91, signed.
Bass—
H. 891. January 28, '91, read first, corporations.
February 3, '91, favorably, read second.
February 9, '91. read third, passed.
February 16, '91, signed.
Hill—
H. 892. January 28, read first, corporations.
February 3, '91, favorably, read second.
Jackson—
H. 893. January 28, '91, read first, judiciary.

February 3, '91, referred to local legislation.
February 11, '91, favorably, read second.

Harris (with petition)—
H. 894. January 28. '91, read first, counties and county boundaries.
February 11, '91, adverse.

Armistead (by request with notice and proof)—
H. 895. January 28 '91, read first, local legislation.
January 31, '91, favorably, read second.

Poole—
H. 896. January 28, '91, fees and salaries.
February 6, '91, reported favorably, read second, amendment.
Rousseau—
H. 897. January 28, '91, read first, ways and means.
February 3, '91,adverse.

Wood (with petition)—
H. 898. January28, '91, read first.
February 6, '91, adverse.

Armistead—
H. 899. January 28, '91, read first, judiciary.
February 3, '91, favorably, read second.
February 6, '91, read third, amended, passed.

Hill—
H. 900. January 28, '91, read first, revision of laws.
February 3, '91, favorably, read second.
February 5, '91, read third, passed.
February 11, '91, signed.

Hill—
H. 901. January 28, '91, read first, revision of laws.
February 3, '91, favorably, read second.

Gilchrist—
H. 902. January 28, '91, read first, agriculture.
February 6, '91, adverse.

Gilchrist—
H. 903. January 38, '91, read first, ways aiid means.
February 3, '91, adverge.
White—
H. 904. January 28, '91, read first, education.
January 30, '91, favorably, read second.

Simmons (notice and proof)—
H. 905. January 28, '91, read first, judiciary.
January 29, '90, reported favorably, read second.

Northington—
H. 906. January 28, '91, read first, fees and salaries.
February 10, '91, reported favorably, read second.

Barnett (with notice)—
H. 907. January 28, '91, read first, ways and means.
February 3, '91, reported favorably, read second.
February 10, '91, read third, passed.
February 16, '91, signed.

Davis of Lamar—
H. 908. January 28, '91, read first, education.
January 30, '91, adverse.

Guthrie (with petition)—
H. 909. January 28, '91, read first, temperance.

Guthrie (by request)--
H. 910. January 28, '91, read first, local legislation.

Jackson—
H. 911. January 28, '91, read first, commerce and common carriers.
February 14, '91, adverse.

Clanton—
H. 912. January 28, '91, read first, judiciary.

Longshore—
H. 913. January 29, '91, read first, corporations.

January 31, '91, favorably, read second.
February 3, '91, amended, read third, passed.
February 11, '91, concur in senate amendment.
February 12, '91, signed.

Longshore—
H. 914. January 29, '91, read first, temperance.

Longshore—
H. 915. January 29, '91, read first, corporations.
January 31, '91, favorably, read second.

Clanton—
H. 916. January 29, '91, read first, public roads and high-
ways.
January 30, '91, favorably, read second, special
order February 3, af'ter journal.
February 4, '91, recommitted to public roads and
highways.
February 5, '91, reported.

Rather—
H. 917. January 29, '91, read first, revision of laws.
February 3, '91, favorably, read second.
February 5, '91, amended, read third, passed.
February 13, '91,signed.

Crews—
H. 918. January 29, '91, read first, judiciary.
February 3, "91, favorably, read second.

Clayton—
H. 919. January 29, '91, read first, judiciary.
February 3, '91, favorably with amendment, read
second. recommitted to judiciary.
February 7, '91, adverse.

Purifoy—
H. 920. January 29, '91, read first, revision of laws.

Avery—
H. 921. January 29, '91, read first, local legislation.

January 31, '91, favorably, read second.
February 7, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, signed.

Cooper—
H. 922. January 29, '91, read first, local legislation.
February 6, '91, reported favorably, read second,
amendment.

Powell—
H. 923. January 29, '91, read first, judiciary.
January 31, '91, favorably, read second.
February 12, '91, amended, read third, passed.
February 18, '91, signed.

Avery—
H. 924. January 29, '91, read first, revision of laws.
February 14, '91, adverse.

Jones—
H. 925. January 29, '91, read first, local legislation.
February 18, '91, adverse.

Moore—
H. 926. January 29, '91, read first, revision oflaws.
February 3, '91, adverse.

Leslie—
H. 927. January 29, '91, read first, corporations.
January 31, '91, favorably, read second.

Leslie—
H. 928. January 29, '91, read first, temperance.

Cornelius—
H. 929. January 29, '91, read first, education.
February 4, '91, favorably, read second.
February 13, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, signed.

Harrell (by request)—
H. 930. January 29, '91, read first, temperance.
February 5, '91, adverse.

Howle—
H. 931. January 29, '91, read first, education.
January 31, '91, favorably, read second.
February 12, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, 91, signed.
Lane—
H. 932. January 29, '91, read firsl, judiciary.
February 11, '91, adverse.
Townsend of Limestone—
H. 933. January 29, '91, read first, local legislation.
February 10, '91, adverse.
Sayre—
H. 934. January 29, '91, read first, revision of laws.
February 3, '91, favorably, read second.
Sayre (by request)—
H. 935. January 29, '91, read first, judiciary.
February 10, '91, adverse.
Judge—
H. 936. January 29, '91, read first, judiciary.
January 30, '91, favorably, read second.
February 12, '91, amended, read third, passed.
February 18, signed.

Screws—
H. 937. January 30, '91, read first, public buildings and institutions.
February 11, '91, adverse.
February 12, '90, read second.
February 14, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, signed.
Simmons (by request)—
H. 938. January 30, '91, read first, agriculture.
Brewer—
H. 939. January 30, '91, read first, revision of laws.
February 3, '91, favorably, read second.

Avery—
H. 940. January 30, '91, read first, penitentiary and criminal administration.
February 4, '91, favorably with amendment, read second.

Rather—
H. 941. January 30, '91, read first, corporations.

Henry—
H. 942. January 30, '91, read first, ways and means.
February 10, '91, adverse.

Henry—
H. 943. January 30, '91, read first, military.
February 6, '91, reported favorably, read second.
February 12, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, signed.
Henry—
H. 944. January 30, '91, read first, judiciary.
February 3, '91, returned and referred to penitentiary aud criminal administration.
February 4, '91, favorably, read second.
February 10, '91, read third, passed.
February 16, '91, signed.

Tucker of Lauderdale—
H. 945. January 30, '90, read first, corporations.
February 6, '91, reported favorably, read second.
February 13, '91, read tbird, passed.
February 18, signed.

Lewis—
H. 946. January 30, '91, read first, revision of laws.
February 3, '91, favorably, read second.

Whatley—
H. 947. January 30, '91, read first, agriculture.
February 6, 91, adverse.

H. 948. January 30, '91, read first, revision of laws.
February 3, '91, favorably, read second.

Parks—
H. 949. January 30, '91, read first, education.
February 3, '91, favorably, read second.
February 7, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, signed.

Buck—
H. 950. January 30, '91, read first, agriculture.
February 7, '91, favorably, read second.
February 9, '91, amended, read third, passed.

Townsend of Pike (by request)—
H. 951. January 30, '91, public health.
February 3, '91, adverse.

Watters—
H. 952. January 30,'91, read first, revision of laws.
February 3, '91, favorably, read second.

Gilchrist—
H. 953. January 30, '91, read first, ways and means.
February 5, '91, favorably, read second.
February 10, '91, amended, read third, passed.
February 16, '91, signed.

Sayre—
H. 954. January 30, '91, read first, revision of laws.
February 3, '91, t'avorably, read second.
February 9, '91, read third, passed.
Febraary 18, '91, signed.

Sullivan (by request)—
H. 955. January 30, '91, read first, revision of laws.
February 14, '91, adverse.

Clanton—
H. 956. January 30, '91, read first, commerce and common carriers.
February 10, '91, favorably, read second.

Cooper (by request)—
H. 957. January 30, ‘91, read first, ways and means.
February 3, '91, adverse.

Brown (notice and proof)—
H. 958. January 30, '91, read first, corporations.
February 6, '91, favorably, read second.
February 9, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, '91, signed.

Brown—
H. 959. January 30, '91, read first, corporations.
February 5, '91, favorably, read second.
February 13, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, '91, passed.

Cornelius—
H. 960. January 31, '91, read first, local legislation.
February 6, '91, favorably, read second.

Howle—
H. 961. January 31, '91,read first, ways and means.

Howle—
H. 962. January 31, '91, read first, judiciary.
February 5, '91, taken up, read second.
February 10, '91, adverse.
Johnson—
H. 963. January 31, '91, read first, revision of laws.

Davis of Fayette—
H. 964. January 31, '91, read first, educaiion.
February 10, adverse.

Davis of Fayette—
H. 965. January 31, '91, read first, education.
February 4, '91, favorably, read second.

Coleman (by request)—
H. 966. January 31, '91, read first, public health.
February 3, '91, favorably read second.
Brown—
H. 967. January 31, '90, revision of laws.
February 3, '91, favorably, read second.
February 3, '91, recommitted to revision of laws.
February 14, '91, adverse.

Brown—
H. 968. January 31, '91, read first, corporations.
February 9, '91, favorably, read second.

Brown—
H. 969. January 31, read first, judiciary.
February 7, 91, favorably, read secdnd.

Brown (by request)
H. 970. January 31, '91, read first, revision of laws.
February 3, '91, adverse.

Tucker of Lauderdale—
H. 971. January 31, '91, read first, corporations.
February 6, '91, favorably,read second.
February 9, 91, read third, passed.
February 16, '91, concurin senate amendment.
February 18, '91, signed.

Brown (with notice and proof)—
H. 972. January 31, '91, read first, corporations.
February 9, '91, favorably, read second.

Clayton—
H. 973. January 31, '91, read first, judiciary.
February 3, '91, lavor;ibly, read second.
February 9, '91, read third, passed.
February 16, '91, concur in senate amendment.
February 18, '91, signed.

Parker (by request)—
H. 974. January 31, '91, readfirst, local legislation.

Parker (by request)
H. 975. January 31, '91,read first, local legislation.
February 6, '91, favorably, read second, amend-mendment.
Parker—
H. 976. January 31, '91, read first, temperance.
February 10, '91, adverse.

Parker—
H. 977. January 31, '91, read first, revision of laws.
February 14, '91, adverse.

Lewis—
H. 978. January 31, '91, read first, revision of laws.
February 3, '91, favorably, read second.

Sullivan—
H. 979. January 31, '91, read first, revision of laws.
February 3. '91, favorably, read second.
February 10, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, '91, signed.

Ayres—
H. 980. January 31, '91, read first, judiciary.
February 3, '91, returned and referred to local legislation.
February 11, '91, reported favorably, read second.
February 14, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, signed.

Barnett—
H. 981. January 31, '91, read first, ways and means.
February 4, '91, favorably, read second.
February 14, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, signed.

Barnett—
H. 982. January 31, '91, read first, ways and means.
February 4, '91, favorably, lead second.

Barnett—
H. 983. January 31, '91, read first, education.
February 3, '91, adverse.

Longshore (with petition by request)—
H. 984. January 31, '91, read first, special committee consisting of Longshore, Adams, Wilson, Screws and Northington.
February 0, '91, reported favorably, read second.

Wilson—
H. 985. January 31, '91, read first, public roads and highways.
February 5, '91, favorably, read second.
February 6, '91, read third, passed.

Webb—
H. 986. January 31, '91, read first, local legislation.
February 6, '91, reported favorably, read second.
February 7, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, '91, senate amendment concurred in, signed.

Cornelius—
H. 987. January 31, '91, read first, revision of laws.
February 3. '91, favorabl.v, read second.
February 11, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, signed.

Kemp—
H. 988. January 31, '91, read first, ways and means.
February 3, '91, favorably, read second.
February 10, '91, arnended, read third, passed.
February 18, '91, signed.

Kelly—
H. 939. February 2, '91, read first, corporations.
February 3, '91, favorably, read second.
February 4,'91, read third, passed.
February 11, '91, signed.

Tucker of Lauderdale—
H. 990. February 2, '91, read first, judiciary.
February 5, '91, adverse.

Tucker of Lauderdale—
H. 991. February 2, '91, read first, education.
February 6, '91, reported lavorably, read second.
February 9, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, '91, signed.

Tucker of Lauderilale—
H. 992. February 2, '91, read first, revision of laws.
February 14, '91, adverse.

Davis of Lamar—
H. 993. Febraary 2, '91, read first, fees and salaries.
February 6, '91, reported favorably with substitute, read second.
Henry—
H. 994. February 2, '91, read first, corporations.
February 5, '91, favorably, read second.
February 6, '91, recommitted to corporations.
February 12, '91, reported favorably, read second.
Longshore—
H. 995. February 2, '91, read first, local legislation.
February 12, '91, adverse.

Smaw (by request)—
H. 996. February 2, '91, read first, revision of laws.
February 14, '91, adverse.

Webb—
H. 997. February 2, '91, read first, corporations.
February 5, '91, favorably, read second.
February 11, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, '91, signed.

Cooper—
H. 998. Febrnary 2, '91, read first, corporations.
February 9, '91, reported favorably, read second.
February 13, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, signed.

Parks—
H. 999. February 2, '91, read first, corporations.
February 5, '91, favorably, read second.
February 9,'91, read third, passed.
February 18, signed.

Quarles—
H. 1000. February 2, '91, read first, judiciary.
February 10, '91, reported f'avorably, read second.

Clayton—
H. 1001. February 2, '91, read first, judiciary.

February 3, '91, favorably, read second.
February 3, '91, read third, passed.
February 14, '91, concur in senate amendment.
February 18, '91, signed.

Henry—
H. 1002. Febrnary 2, '91, read first, ways and means.

Lewis—
H. 1003. February 2, '91, read first, revision of laws.
February 7, '91, favorably, read second.

Amason of Sumter—
H. 1004. February 2, '91, read first, local legislation.
February 6, '91, reported favorably, read second.
February 11, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, '91, signed.

Brown—
H. 1005. February 2, '91, read first, local legislation.
February 10, '91, reported l'avorably, read second.
February 12, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, '91, signed.

Brown—
H. 1006. February 2, '91, read first, judiciary.
February 7, '91, favorably, read second.

Brown—
H. 1007. February 2, ‘91, read firstjudiciary.
February 5, '91, favorably, read second.

Davis of Fayette—
H. 1008. February 2, '91, read first, education.

Davis of Fayette—
H. 1009. February 2, '91, read first, education.
February 4, '91, favorably, read second.
February 9, '91, read third, lost.

Cooper—
H. 1010. February 3, ‘91, read first, ways and means.
February 4, '91, favorably with amendment, read second.
February 9, '91, amended, read third, passed.
February 18, '91, signed.

Northington (with petition)—
H. 1011. February 3, '91, read first, temperance.

Crews—
H. 1012. February 3, '91, read first, public health.
February 6, '91. referred to judiciary.
February 7, '91, favorably, read second.

Almon—
H. 1013. February 3, 91, read first, education.
February 11, '91, l'avorably, read second.
February 13, '91, read third, passed.

Edwards—
H. 1014. February 3. '91, read first, temperance.
February 10, '91, favorably, read second.

Wade—
H. 1015. February 3,91, read first, corporationa.
February 10,'91, favorably, read gecond.

Henry—
H. 1016. February 3, '91, read first, education.
February 9, '91, favorably, read second.

Moore of Madison—
H. 1017. February 3, '91, read first, military.
February 6, '91, favorably, read second, with amendment.
H. 1018. February 3, 91, read first, temperanae.

Lewis—
H. 1019. February 3, 91, read first, revision of laws.
February 14, '91, adverse. 72 h

Sullivan (by request)—
H. 1020. February 3, '91, read first, public health.
February 6, '91, adverse.
February 7, '91, recommmitted, public health,
February 10, '91, adverse, read second.
February 13, '91, amended, read third, passed.
February 16, '91, concur in senate amendment.
February 16, '91, signed.

Wilson—
H. 1021. February 3, '91, read first, corporations.
February 5, '91, favorably, read second.

Amason of Tallapoosa—
H. 1022. February 3, '91, read first, temperance:
February 10, '91, adverse.

Long—
H. 1023. February 3, '91, read first, local legislation.
February 6, '91, adverse.
February 9, '91, taken up, read second.
February 13, '91, read third, passed.

Hill—
H. 1024. February 3, '91, read first, federal relations.
February 4, '91, favorably, read second, calendar.

Pettus—
H. 1023. February 3,'91, read first, judiciary.
February 5, '91, favorably, read second.

Howell—
H. 1026. February 4, '91, read first, temperance.
February 10, '91, adverse.
Edwards—
H. 1027. February 4, '91, read first, appropriations.
February 10, '91, adverse.

Clayton (by request)
H. 1028. February 4, '91, read first, appropriations.
February 11, '91, favorably, read second.
February 12, '91, read third, passed.
February 16,'91, signed.

Hufham—
H. 1029. February 4, '91, read first, temperance.
February 10, '91, favorably, read second.
February 11, '91, read third, passed.

Guthrie (with petition)—
H. 1030. February 4, '91, read first, education.
February 7, '91,favorably, read second.

Davis of Fayette—
H. 1031. February 4, '91, read first, temperance.

Sullivan (by request)—
H. 1032. February 4, '91, read first, revision of laws.
February 14, '91, adverse.

Foster—
H. 1033, February 4, 91, read first, privileges and elections.
Steeele (by request)
H. 1034. February 4, '91, read first, temperance.
February 10, '91, adverse.

Armistead—
H. 1035. February 4, '91, read first, judiciary.
February 11, '91, adverse.

Guthrie—
H. 1036. February 4, '91, read first, revision of laws.
February 10, '91, favorably, read second.
February 11, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, signed.

Clements—
H. 1037. February 5, '91, read first, ways and means.
February 9, 91, favorably, read second.
February 14, '91, read third, passed.

Harrell—
H. 1038. February 5, '91, read first, local legislation.
Febniary 11, '91, adverse.

Gass—
H. 1039. February 5, '91, read first, ways and ineans.
February 6, '91, favorably, read second.
February 10, '91, ameuded, read third, passed.
February 17, '91, concur in senate amendment.
February 18, '91, signed.

Langley (with petition)—
H. 1040. February 5, '91,read first, corporations.

Finch—
H.1041. February 5, '91, read first, local legislation.
February 11, '91, reported favorably, read second.
February 12, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, signed.
Screws—
H. 1042. February 5, '91. read first, commerce and common carriers.
February 10, recommitted to revision of laws.
February 15, '91, reported favorably, read second.

Lee of Conecuh—
H. 1043. February 5, '91, read first, revision of laws.

Lee of Conecuh—
H. 1044. February 5, '91, read first, agriculture.
February 14, '91, adverse.

Tucker of Crenshaw—
H. 1045. February 5, '91, read first, revision of laws.
Febniary 14, '91, adverse.
Appleton—
H. 1046. February 5, '91, read first, education.
February 7, '91, favorably, read second.
Edwards—
H. 1047. February 5, '91, read first, temperance.

Peacock—
H. 1048. February 5, '91, read first, revision of laws.
February 14, '91, adverse.
Coleman—
H. 1049. February 5, '91, read first, corporations.
February 10, '91, reported favorably, read second.
February 12, '91, read third, passed,
Leslie—
H. 1050. February 5, '91, read first, temperance.

Davis of Lamar—
H. 1051. February 5, '91, read first, temperance.

Gilchrist—
H. 1052. February 5, '91, read first, ways and means.

Sparkman (by request)—
H. 1053. February 5, '91, read first, judiciary.
February 7, '91, tavorably, read second.
February 12, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, '91, signed.
Peacock—
H. 1054. February 5, '91, read first, judiciary.
February 7, '91, favorably, read second.
February 12, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, '91, signed.

Brown—
H. 1055. February 5, '91, read first, penitentiary and criminal administration.
February 10, '91, reported favorably, read second.
February 12, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, signed.

Pettus—
H. 1056. February 5, '91, read first, judiciary.
February 6, '91, favorably, read second.

February 7, '91, read third, passed.
February 16, '91, signed.

Davis of Fayette—
H. 1057. February 5, '91, read first, ways and means.
February 10, '91, adverse.
February 13, '91, reported favorably, read second.

Foster—
H. 1058. February 5, '91, read first, local legislation/

Brewer—
H. 1059. February 5, '91, read first, ways and means.
February 9, '91, reported favorably, read second.

Ayers—
H. 1060. February 5, '91, read first, judiciary.
February 31, '93, reported iavorably, read second.

Brown—
H. 1061. February 6, '91, read first, corporations.
February 10, '91, reported favorably with amendment, read second.

Henry—
H. 1062. February 6, '91, read first, ways and means.
February 9, '91,reported favorably, read second.

Hufham—
H. 1063. February 6, '91, read first, judiciary.
February 11, '91, adverse.

Johnson—
H. 1064. February 6, '91, read first, revision of laws.
February 11, '91, reported favorably, read second.
February 12, '91, amended, read third, passed.
February 18, signed.

Barnett—
H. 1065. February 6, '91, read first, judiciary.
February 11, '91, adverse.
Lee of Conecuh—
H. 1066. February 6, '91, read first, temperance.
February 10, '91, reported favorably, read sec-
ond.
February 11, '91, read third, passed.
February 16, '91, signed.

Nolen (with petition)—
H. 1067. February 6, '91, read first, temperance.

Langley—
H. 1068. February 6, '91, read first, ways and means.
February 9, '91, reported favorably, read second.
February 11, '91, read third, passed.
February 16, '91, signed.

Leslie—
H. 1069. February 6, '91, read first, corporations.
February 9, '91, reported favorably, read second.
February 11, '91, read third, passed.
February 16, '91, signed.

Clayton—
H. 1070. February 6, '91,read first, judiciary.
February 7, '91, favorably, read second.
February 9, '91, read third, passed.
February 14, '91, signed.

Ayers—
H. 1071. February 6, '91, read first, judiciary.
February 10, ‘91, adverse.

Webb—
H. 1072. February 7, '91, read first, corporations.
February 9, '91, reported favorably, read second.
February 11, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, signed.

Pettus—
H. 1073. February 7, '91, read first, special committee.
February 9, '91, reported favorably, read second.
February 10, '91, read third, passed.
February 13, '91, signed.

Longshore—
H. 1071. February 7, '91, read first, ways and means.

Crews—
H. 1075. February 7, '91, read first, revision of laws.
February 14, '91, adverse.

Davis of Fayette (by request)—
H. 1076. February 7, '91, read first, local legislation.

Davis of Fayette (by request)—
H. 1077. February 7, '91, read first, local legislation.

Cooper (by request)—
H. 1078. February 7, '91, read first, corporations.
February 9, '91, reported favorably, read second.

Buck (by request)—
H. 1079. February 7, '91, read first, ways and means.

Buck (by reqnest)—
H. 1080. February 7, '91, read first, ways and means.
February 10, '91, adverse.

Quarles—
H. 1081. February7, '91, read first, military.
February 13, '91, adverse.

Meador (by request)—
H. 1082. February 7, '91, read first, education.
February 10, '91, reported favorably, read second.
February 13, '91, read third, passed.

Clanton—
H. 1083. February 7, '91, read first, public health.
February 10, '91, adverse.

Moore of Madison—
H. 1084. February 7, '91, read first, public buildings and institutions.
February 9, '91, reported favorably, read second.
February 12, '91, read third, passed.
February 14, '91, concur in senate amendment.

Davis of Lamar—
H. 1085. February 7, '91, read first, revision of laws.
February 10, '91, reported favorably.
February 13, '91, read third, passed.

Northington—
H. 1086. February 9, '91, read first, corporations.

Watters—
H. 1087. February 9,'91, read first, local legislation.

Screws—
H. 1088. February 9, '91, read first, military.
February 14, '91, reported favorably, read second.

Clayton—
H. 1089. February 9, '91, read first, judiciary.
February 11, adverse.

Clayton—
H. 1090. February 9, '91, read first, judiciary.
February 10, '91, reported favorably, read second.

Clayton—
H. 1091. February 9, '91, read first, fees and salaries.

Leslie—
H. 1092. February 9, '91, read first, ways and means.
February 10, '91, reported favorably, read second.
February 11, '91, read third, passed.
February 16, '91, signed.

Whatley—
H. 1093. February 9, '91, read first, public roads and highways.

February 10, '91, reported favorably, read second.
February 12, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, signed.

Longshore—
H. 1094. February 9, '91, read first, corporations.
February 10,'91, reported favorably, read second.
February 12, recommitted to corporations, reported back adverse.

Jackson—
H. 1095. February 9, '91, read first, corporations.
February 11, '91, reported favorably, read second.
February 13, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, signed.

Brown—
H. 1096. February 9, '91, read first judiciary.
February 11, '91, adverse.

Davis of Fayette—
H. 1097. February 9, '91, read first, education.,
Febrnary 10, '91, reported favorably, read second.

Srnith of Russell—
H. 1098. February 9, '91, read first, local legislation.
February 14, '91, adverse.

Bass—
H. 1009. February 10, '91, read first, corporations.
February 11, '91, favorably, read second.

Davis of Lamar—
H. 1100. February 10, '91, read first, corporations.
February 12, '91, favorably, read second.

Amason of Sumter—
H. 1101. February 10, ‘91, read first, ways and means.
February 13, '91, favorably, read second.

Meador—
H. 1102. February 10; '91, read first special committee.
February 11, '91, favorably, read second.

Henry—
H. 1103. February 11, '91, read first, corporatious.

Rather—
H. 1104. February 11, '91, read first, corporations.
February 12, '93, favorably, read second.

Brown (by request)—
H. 1105. February 11, '91, read first, temperance.
February 13, '91, favorably, read second.

Davis of Fayette—
H. 1106. February 11, '91, read first, judiciary.
February 18, '91, adverse.

Leigh (by request—
H. 1107. February 11, '91, read first local legislation.
February 12, '91, adverse.

H. 1108. February 12, '91, read first, special committee.
February 13, favorably, read second.
February 14, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, signed.

Brown—
H. 1109. February 12, '91, read first, special committee.
February 13, '91, favorably, read second.
February 14, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, signed.

Brown—
H. 1110. February 12, '91, read first, special committee.
February 13, '91, tavorably, read second.
February 14, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, signed.

Meador—
H. 1102. February 10; '91, read first special committee.
February 11, '91, favorably, read second.

Henry—
H. 1103. February 11, '91, read first, corporatious.

Rather—
H. 1104. February 11, '91, read first, corporations.
February 12, '93, favorably, read second.

Brown (by request)—
H. 1105. February 11, '91, read first, temperance.
February 13, '91, favorably, read second.

Davis of Fayette—
H. 1106. February 11, '91, read first, judiciary.
February 18, '91, adverse.

Leigh (by request—
H. 1107. February 11, '91, read first local legislation.
February 12, '91, adverse.

H. 1108. February 12, '91, read first, special committee.
February 13, favorably, read second.
February 14, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, signed.

Brown—
H. 1109. February 12, '91, read first, special committee.
February 13, '91, favorably, read second.
February 14, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, signed.

Brown—
H. 1110. February 12, '91, read first, special committee.
February 13, '91, tavorably, read second.
February 14, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, signed.

HOUSE REGISTER,
Showing action of House on Senate Bills.
[See Journal of corresponding date for action by the House.]

Hundley—
s. 1. November 25, '90, read first, public health.
November 27, '90, adverse.

Hundley—
s. 2. January 23, '91, read first, judiciary.
February 5, '91, adverse.

Haralson—
s. 4. November 24, '90, read first, corporations.
December 4, '90, favorably, read second, calendar.
December 9, '90, read third, passed.
December 10, '90, signed.

Inzer—
s. 5. December 9, '90, read first, judiciary.
February 5, '91, favorably, read second.

Milner—
s. 9. November 20, '90, read first, privileges and elections.
November 22, '90, favorably, read second, calendar.
December 3, '90, read third, passed.
December 9, '91, signed.

Harris of Lee—
s. 11. January 21, '91, read first, appropriations.
January 23, '91, favorably, read second.
February 5, '91, read third, passed.
February 7, '91, signed.

Harris of Lee—
s. 12. January 21, ’91, read first, appropriations.
January 23, ’91, favorably, read second.
February 5, ’91, read third, passed.
February 7, ’91, signed.

Haralson—
s. 14. November 22, ’90, read first, corporations.
November 28, ’90, favorably, read second, calendar
February 12, amended, read third, passed.
February 13, ’91, signed.

Skeggs—
s. 17. November 20, ’90, read first, judiciary.
November 22, ’90, reported favorably, read second, calendar.
December 4, ’90, read third, passed.

Haralson—
s. 18. November 21, ’90, read first, corporations.
November 24, ’90, favorably, read second, calendar.
December 3, ’90, read third, passed.
December 9, signed.

Harris of Lee.
s. 20. November 20, ’90, read first, local legislation.
December 10, ’90, favorably, read second.
January 29, ’91, read third, passed.
February 5, ’91, signed.

Smith of Mobile—
s. 21. November 19, ’90, read first, revision of laws.
November 21, ’90, favorably, read second.
November 24, ’90, read third, passed.
November 29, ’90, signed.

Smith of Mobile—
s. 22. November 19, ’90, read first, revision of laws.
November 21, ’90, favorably, read second, calendar.

November 24, '90, read third, passed.
November 29, '90, signed.

Smith of Mobile—
s. 24. November 22, '90, read first, revision of laws.
December 6, ‘90, adverse.
January 22, '91, called up, read second, calendar.
January 26, '91, read third, passed.
January 28, '91, signed.
February 16, '91, reconsidered and amended, read third, passed.
February 18, '91, signed.

Smith of Mobile—
s. 25. November 22, '90, read first, commerce and common carriers.
November 28, '90, favorably, read second, calendar.
December 3, '91, recommitted to revision of laws.
January 28, '91, favorably, read second.
January 31, '91, read third, passed.

Smith of Mobile
s. 27. November 19, '90, read first, temperance.
November 21, '90, favorably, read second, calendar.
December 3, '90, substitute adopted, read third, passed.
December 6, '90, concur in conference report.
December 9, signed.

Milner—
s. 30. November 22, 90, read first, corporations.
November 28, '90, favorably, read second, calendar.

Milner—
s. 31. November 20, '91, read first, local legislation.
December 10, '90, favorably, read second.

Nesmith—
s. 32. November 20, '90, read first, corporations.
November 22, '90, favorably, read second, calendar.

December 3, '90, read third, passed.
December 9, signed.

Hargrove—
s. 33. November 25, '90, read first, corporations.
December, '90, favorably, read second, calendar.
February 3, '91, read third, passed.
February 5, '91, signed.

Hargrove—
s. 34. January 26, '91, read first, ways and means.
January 27, '91, favorably, read second.
January 28, '91, special order January 30, '91, at 3 p. m.
January 30, '91, special order 11 a. m., February 2, '91.
January 30, '91, special order 11 a. m., February 4, '91.
February 4, '91, read third, passed.
February 6, '91, signed.

Harris of Lee—
s. 36. November 22, '90, read first, agriculture.
November 28, '90, favorably, read second, calendar.
November 29, '90, amended, read third, passed.
November 30, '90, conference committee appointed.
January 27, '91, house conference committee reported and committee discharged.
February 16, '91, reconsidered, amendment withdrawn, read third, passed.
February 18, '91, signed.

Smith of Mobile—
s. 38. November 22, '90, read first, revision of laws.
November 28, '90, favorably, read second, calendar.
December 10, '90, read third passed.
January 23, '90, read third, passed.
January 23, '91, signed.

Compton—
s. 40. November 22, '90, read first, judiciary.
November 26, '90, favorably, with amendment, read second, calendar.

January 31, '91, amended, read third, passed.
February 5, '91, signed.

Wiley—
s. 41. November 22, '90, read first, judiciary.
November 26, '90, adverse.

Hundley—
s. 42. November 22,'90, read first, judiciary.
November 24, '90, favorably, read second, calendar.
January 31, '90, amended, read third, passed.
February 5, '91, signed.

Haralson—
s. 43. November 21, '90, read first, corporations.
November 26, '90, favorably, read second, calendar.
December 3, '90, amended, read third, passed.
December 9, signed.

Bradley—
s. 44. November 23, '90, read first, judiciary.
November 24, '90,favorably, read second, calendar.
December 3, '90, amended, read third, passed.
December 9, signed.

Stallworth—
s. 45. November 25, '90, read first, judiciary.
December 4, '90, adverse.

Downey—
s. 46. December 6, '90, read first, ways and means.
January 22, '91, favorably, read second.
January 26, '91, read third, passed.
January 28, '91, signed.
January 30, '91, recalled, amended and passed.
February 5, 91, signed.

Cowan—
s. 47. November 23, '90, read first, judiciary.
November 24, '90, favorably, read second, calendar.
January 31, '91, read third, passed.
February 3, '91, signed.

Minge—
s. 48. February 12, '91, read first, corporations.
February 13, '91, favorably read second.
February 16, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, '91, signed.

Wiley—
s. 50. November 25, '90, read first, corporations.
December 4, '90, favorably, read second, calendar.
January 22, '91, read third, passed.
January 26, '91, signed.

Hargrove—
s. 51. November 22, '90, read first, appropriations.
December 9, '90, favorably, read second.
December 10, '90, read third, passed, signed.
Hargrove—
s. 52. November 22, '90, read first, public buildings and improvements.
November 28, '90, favorably, read second, calendar.
January 31, '91, read third, passed.
February 3, signed.

Hargrove—
s. 53. November 22, '90, read first, judiciary.
November 24, '90, favorably, read second, calendar.
January 31, '91, amended, read third, passed.
February 7, '91, signed.

Reynolds—
s. 55. November 29, '90, read first, judiciary.
December 6, '90, iavorably, read second.
February 5, '91, read third, passed.
February 7, '91, signed.

Wiley—
s. 57. November 24, '90, read first, corporafcions.
November 28, '90, favorably, read second, calendar.
January 31, '81, amended, read third, passed.
February 5, '91, signed.

Wiley—
s. 58. November 24, '90, read first, corporations.
December 4, '90, favorably, read second, calendar.
February 16, '91, amended, read third, passed.
February 16, '91, insist on amendment and appoint conference committee.
February 18, '91, conference report concurred in.
February 18, signed.

Wiley—
s. 59. November 24, '90, read first, judiciary.
November 28, '90, favorably, read second, calendar.
December 10, '90, read third, passed, signed.

Compton—
s. 60. November 26, '90, read first, judiciary.
December 6, '90, favorably, read second.
January 28, '91, read third, passed.
February 7, '91, signed.

Stansel—
s. 61. January 23, '91, read first, judiciary.
February 11, '91, adverse.

Lackey—
s. 62. November 22, '90, read first, education.
November 29, '90, favorably, read second, calendar.
December 4, '90, read third, passed.
December 9, signed.

Inzer—
s. 63. November 26, '90, read first, corporations.
December 6, '90, favorably with amendment, read second.
December 8, '90, read third, passed.
December 9, signed.

Inzer—
s. 64. November 29, '90, read first,judiciary.
January 22, '91, favorably, read second.

Grant—
s. 65. November 24, '90, read first, ways and means.
November 29, '90, favorably, read second, calendar.
February 16, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, '91, signed.

Grant—
s. 66. November 29, '90, read first, education.
December 6, '90, favorably, read second.
January 26, '91, read third, passed.
January 28, '91, signed.

Smith of Autauga—
s. 69. November 29, '90, read first, mining and manufacturing.
December 4, '90, favorably, read second, calendar.
December 5, '90, read third, passed.
December 9, signed.

Bloch—
s. 71. November 25, '90, read first, penifcentiary and criminal administration.
December 4, '90, favorably, read second, calendar.

Compton—
s. 72. December 3, '90, read first, education.
December 6, '90, favorably, read second.
December 9, '90, read third, passed.
December 10, signed.

Williams—
s. 74. November 25,'90, read first, temperance.
November 29, '90, favorably, read second, calendar.

Inzer—
s. 75. January 30, '91, read first, judiciary.

Handley—
s. 76. December 3, '90, read first, corporations.
December 8, '90, favorably, read second.

December 9, '90, read third, passed.
December 10, '90, signed.

Bloch—
s. 78. November 29, '90, read first, local legislation.
January 22, '91, favorably, read second.
February 3, '91, read third, passed.
February 5, '91, signed.

Bloch—
s. 79. November 29, '90, read first, public roads and highways.
December 3, '90, favorably, read second, calendar.

Stansell—
s. 80. November 29, '90, read first, judiciary.

Harris of Hale—
s. 81. January 30, '91, read first, judiciary.
February 10, '91, reported favorably, read second.
February 18, '91, amended, read third, passed, H. recedes from amendment, reconsidered, tabled.

Smith of Mobile—
s. 82. November 29, '90, read first, revision of laws.
December 6, '90, adverse.

Smith of Mobile—
s. 83. December 3, '90, read first, revision of laws.
December 6, '90, favorably, read second.
January 22, '91, indefinitely postponed.

Smith of Mobile—
s. 84. December 3, '90, read first, revision of laws.
December 6, '90, favorably, read second.

Smith of Mobile—
s. 85. December 3, '90, read first, revision of laws.
December 6, '90, adverse.

Smith of Mobile—
s. 86. November 29, '90, read first, revision of laws.

December 4, '90, favorably, read second, calendar.
December 8, '90, read third, passed.
December 9, signed.

Stansell—
s. 87. January 30, read first, judiciary.
February 3, reported favorably with amendment, read second.
February 18,tabled.

Stansell—
s. 88. November 29, '90, read first, temperance.
December 2, '90, favorably with amendment, read second, calendar.
February 9, '91, omnibus committee.
February 10, '91, reported favorably with substitute, read second.
February 14, '91, substitnte adopted, amended, read third, passed.
February 16, '91, conference committee appointed, concur in conference report.
February 18, signed.

Hundley—
s. 89. November 29, '90, read first, judiciary.
December 6, '90, favorably, read second.

Grant—
s. 90. December 3, '90, read first, ways and means.
January 31,'91, reported favorably, read second.
February 16, '91, read third, passed, signed.

Compton—
s. 91. November 29, '90, read first, local legislation.
December 10, '90, reported favorably, read second.
February 12, '91, read third, passed.
February 14, '91, signed.

Godfrey—
s. 92. December 2. '90, read first, penitentiary and criminal administration.
January 24, '91, favorably, read second.
February 18, '91, read third, passed, signed.

Godfrey—
s. 93. December 3, '90, read first, penitentiary and criminal administration.
December 8, '90, favorably, read second.
December 10, '90, read third, passed, signed.
Lackey—
s. 96. December 3, '90, read first, fees aud salaries.
December 6, '90, favorably, read second.
December 10, '90, read third, passed, signed.

Hargrove—
s. 97. December 3, '90, read first, temperance.
January 22, '91, favorably, read second.
February 9, '91, omnibus committee.

Bloch—
s. 98. November 29, '90, read first, corporations.
December 6, '90, favorably, read second.
December 9, '90, read third, passed.
December 10, '90, signed.

Bloch—
s. 99. November 29, '90, read first, local legislation.

Parks—
s. 100. November 29, '90, read first, judiciary.
February 5, '91, favorably, read second.

Reynolds—
s. 101. November 29, '90, read first, judiciary.
December 6, '90, favorably, read second.
December 10, '90, read third, passed.
January 23, '91, signed.

Godfrey—
s. 102. November 26, '90, read first, judiciary.
December 6, '90, favorably, read second.

Stansell—
s. 103. December 8, '90, read first, corporations.
January 30, '91, reported favorably, read second.

February 11, '91, read third, passed.
February 12, '91, signed.
Stansell—
S. 104. December 3, '90, read first, temperance.
January 22, '91, favorably, read second.
February 9, '91, omnibus committee.

Hargrove—
s. 106. December 9,'90, read first, judiciary.
January 27, '91, favorably, read second.
February 18, '91, tabled, taken from table,
amended, read third, passed, signed.

Hargrove—
s. 107. December 3, '90, read first, ways and means, favorably, read second.
February 18, amended, read third, passed, signed.

Stansel—
s. 108. February 9, '91, read first, revision of laws.
February 14, '91, adverse.

Inzer—
s. 109. Decernber 2, '90, read first, penitentiary and criminal administration.
January 24, '91, favorably, read secoud.
February 9, '91, amended, read third, passed.
February 12, '91, signed.

Hargrove—
s. 110. December 3, '90, read first, judiciary.
February 5, '91, favorably, read second.
February 16, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, signed.

Hargrove—
s. 111. December 8, '90, read first, fees and salaries.

Bradley—
s. 113. December 5, '90, read first, local legislation.
December 10, reported favorably, read second.
February 18, read third, passed, signed.

Wiley—
s. 114. December 8, '90, read first, corporations.
February 9, '91, reported favorably, read second.
February 16, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, signed.

Grant—
s. 115. December 5, '90, read first, local legislation.
December 10, '90, reported favorably, read second.
February 18, '91, read third, passed, signed.

NeSmith—
s. 116. December 4,'90, read first, judiciary.
December 6, '90, favorably, read second.
January 29, '91, read third, passed.
February 5, '91, signed.

Inzer—
s. 117. February 7, '91, read first, judiciary.
February 10, '91, reported favorably, read second.
February 16, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, '91, signed.

Inzer—
s. 118. December 6, '90, read first,judiciary.
Jauuary 22, '91, favorably, read second.
February 6, '91, amended, read third, passed.
February 10, '91, reconsidered, amended, read third, passed.
February 12, '91, signed.
Inzer—
s. 119. January 30, '91, read first, judiciary.
February 5, '91, favorably, read second.

Inzer—
January 28, '91,read first, corporations.
February 4, '91, favorably, read second.
February 5, '91, read third, passed.
February 10, '91, signed.

Skeggs—
s. 123. December 8, '90, read first, local legislation.
December 10, '90, reported favorably, read second.
February 11, '91, read third, passed.
February 12, '91, signed.
s. 124. December 8, '90, lead first, local legislation.
December 10, '90, reported favorably, read second.

Grant—
s. 126. December 6, '90, read first, judiciary.

Grant—
s. 127. January 30,'91, judiciary.
February 11,'91, adverse.

Berry—
s. 128. December 3, '90, read first, judiciary.
December 4, '90, favorably, read second, calendar.
December 8, '90, read third, passed.
December 9, signed.

Hargrove—
s. 129. December 8, '90, read first, corporations.
February 12, '91, reported favorably, read second.

Cowan—
s. 131. January 28, '91, read first, ways and means.
February 12, '91, amended, tabled.
February 14, '91, reconsidered, lost.

Stegall—
s. 132. February 4, '91, judiciary.

Compton (by request)—
s. 133. December 8, '90, read first, fees and salaries.
February 11, '91, reported favorably, read second.
February 18, '91, read third, passed.
February 18. '91, signed.

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Compton—
s. 140. January 22, '91, read first, ways and means.
February 3, '91, adverse. February 4, '91, recommitted to judiciary.
February 6, '91, reported favorably, read second, amendment.
February 9, '91, substitue adopted, read third, passed.
February 10, '91, signed.

Compton (by request)
s. 143. December 8, '90, read first, fees and salaries.
February 11, '91, reported favorably, read second.

Compton (by request)—
s. 145. December 8, '90, read first, judiciary.
January 22, '91, favorably, read second.

Parker—
s. 146. January 21, '91, read first, mining and manufacturing.

Parker—
s. 147. December 10, '90, read first, revision of laws.
January 22, '91, favorably, read second.

Inzer—
s. 148. December 8, '90, read first, judiciary.
January 22, '91, favorably, read second.

Inzer—
s. 148. December 8, '91, read first, fees and salaries.

Inzer—
s. 149. January 30, '91, read first, jndiciary.
February 11, '91, adverse.
Stallworth—
s. 150. December 2, '90, read first, judiciary.
December 4, '90, favorably, read second, calendar.
December 8, '90, read third, passed.
December 9, signed.

Reynolds—
s. 151. February 13, '91, read first, revision of laws.

Godfrey—
s. 152. January 31, '91, read first, judiciary.
February 5, '91, favorably, read second.

Godfrey—
s. 154. February 2, '91, read first, judiciary.
February 5, '91, favorably, read second.
February 16, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, '91, signed.

Godfrey—
s. 157. February 2, '91, read first, judiciary.
February 5, '91, adverse.

Smith of Mobile—
s. 158. December 5, '90, read first, revision of laws.
February 14, '91, adverse.

Stallworth—
s. 161. December 3, '90, read first, corporations.
December 9, '90, favorably, read second.
February 13, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, signed.

Inzer—
s. 163. December 9, '90, read first, local legislation.
January 22, '91, favorably, read second.
February 3, '91, read third, passed.
February 5, '91, signed.

Hundley—
s. 166. December 6, '90, read first, corporations.
December 8, '90, favorably, read second.
December 9, '90, read third, passed.
December 10, '90, signed.

Milner—
s. 168. December 8, '90, read first, penitentiary and criminal administration.

January 24, '91, favorably, read second.
February 2, '91, special order February 7, after journal.
February 7, '91, read third, passed.

Skeggs—
s. 170. January 30, '91, read first, corporations.
February 10, '91, favorably, read second.
February 18, '91, amended, read third, passed.
February 18, '91, signed.

Hays—
s. 171. December 8, '90, read first, local legislation.
December 10, adverse.

Inzer—
s. 172. December 9, '90, read first, jndiciary.

Inzer—
s. 173. January 29, '91, read first, revision of laws.
February 3, '91,adverse.

Grant—
s. 174. December 6, '90, read first, corporations.
January 26, '91, favorably, read second, calendar.
February 3, '91, read third, passed.
February 6, 91', signed.
Lackey—
s. 175. February 2, '91, read first, judiciary.
February 5, '91, adverse.

Hargrove—
s. 177. December 8, '90, read first, judiciary.
January 24, ‘91, favorably, read second.

Hargrove—
s. 178. December 9, '90, read first, judiciary.
February 5, 91, favorably, read second.

Minge—
s. 179. February 3, '91, read first, education.
February 12, '91, read third, passed.
February 14, '91, signed.

Minge—
s. 180. December 8, 90, read first, temperance.
January 22, '91, favorably, read second.
February 11, '91, read third, passed.
February 14, 91, signed.

Davie—
s. 181. December 9, 90, read first, judiciary.
Jannary 22, '91, favorably, read second.
February 14, '91, amended, read third, passed.
February 14, '91, conference committee appointed.
February 14, '91, concur in conference report.
February 14, '91, signad.

Handley—
s. 184. December 5, '90, read first, ways and means.
January 22, favorably, read second.

Bloch—
s. 187. January 21, '91, read first, agriculture.
January 23, '91, favorably, read second.
February 3, '91, read third, passed.
February 5, '91, signed.

Bloch—
s. 188. December 9, '90, read first, education.
January 27, '91, favorably, read second.
February 11,'91, read third, passed.
February 14, '91, signed.

Inzer—
s. 190. December 10, '90, read first, judiciary.
January 27, '91, '91, favorably, read second.
February 7, '91, substitute, adopted, read third, passed.
February 10, '91, signed.

Inzer—
s. 192. February 13, '91, read first, judiciary.

Berry—
s. 194. February 6, '91, read first, appropriations.
February 13, '91, favorably, read second.

February 16, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, '91, signed.
Parker—
s. 197. December 9, '90, read first, judiciary.
January 24, '91, favorably, read second.

Smith of Mobile—
s. 200. February 4, '91, read first, revision of laws.
February 5, '91, tavorably, read second.
February 16, '91,amended, read third, passed.
February 16, '91, insist on amendment and appoint committee of conference.
February 16, '91, non-concur in conference report and appoint new committee.
February 16, '91, concur in report of second conference committee. 18, signed.

Cowan—
s. 204. January 29, '91, read first, judiciary.
February 10, '91, reported favorably with amendment, read second.

Waddell—
s. 206. February 13, '91, read first, public health.
February 16, adverse.

Milner—
s. 208. January 22, '91, read first, privileges and elections.
January 24, '91, favorably, read second.
January 24, '91, special order January 27, after journal till disposed of.
January 28, '91, read third, passed.
February 3, '91, signed.
Milner—
s. 209. January 22, '91, read first, privileges and elections.
January 24, '90, favorably, read second.
January 24, '91, special order January 27, at 12 m. from day to day.
January 27, '91, read third, passed.
February 3. '91, signed.

Hargrove—
s. 211. January 22, '91, read first, corporations.
January 30, '91, reported favorably, read second.

Smith of Mobile—
s. 215. February 13, '91, read first, local legislation.
February 14, '91, reported. favorably, read second.
February 18, read third, passed, signed.

Parker—
s. 218. January 30, '91, read first, penitentiary and criminal administration.
February 10, '91, reported favorably, read second.

Stallworth—
s. 219. December 10, '90, read first, corporations.
February 10, '91, reported favorably with amendment, read second.
February 13, '91, read third, passed.
February 14, '91, senate requested to return to house.
February 14,'91, conference committee appointed.
February 14, '91, conference report concurred in.
Febrnary 16, '91, returned from senate.
February 16, '91, conference report withdrawn.
February 16, '91, concur in 2d conference report.
February 16, '91, signed.

Stallworth—
s. 220. December 10, '90, read first, corporations.
January 31, '91, reported favorably, read second.
Milner—
s. 222. January 31, '91, read first, corporations.

Harris of Lee—
s. 223. January 21,'91, read first, privileges and elections.
January 23, '91, favorably, read second.
February 9, '91, amended, read third, passed.
February 12, '91, signed.
Godfrey—
s. 224. January 22, '91, read first, federal relations.

January 26, '91, reported favorably, read second.
February 3, '91, read third, passed.
February 5, '91, signed.

Smith—
s. 224. January 31, '91, read first, revision of laws.

Parker—
s. 228. January 31, '91, read first, judiciary.
February 5, '91, favorably, read second.

Harris of Hale—
s. 229. January 31, '91, read first, privileges and elections.
February 9, '91, adverse.
February 12, '91, read second, taken from adverse report.
February 12, '91, taken up, read second.

Smith of Mobile—
s. 230. February 5, '91, read first, revision of laws.
February 13, '91, reported favorably, read second.

Milner—
s. 233. January 29, '91, read first, corporations.
January 31, '91, reported favorably, read second.
February 4, '91, read third, passed.
February 5, '91, signed.

Milner—
s. 233. February 2, '91, read first, corporations.
February 6, '91, reported favorably with amendment, read second.
February 11, '91, read third, passed.
February 12, '91, signed.

Smith of Autauga—
s. 234. January 22, '91, read first, privileges and elections.
January 23, '91, favorably, read second.
February 4, '91, read third, passed.
February 7, '91, signed.

Smith of Autauga—
S. 235. January 22, '91, read first, privileges and elections.
January 23, '91, favorably, read second.
January 26, '91, read third, passed.
January 28, '91, signed.

Compton—
s. 236. January 30, '91, read first, education.
February 7, '91, favorably, read second.
February 12, '91, read third, passed.
February 14, '91, signed.

Grant—
s. 257. February 7,'91, corporations.
February 9, '91, reported favorably, read second.
February 16, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, signed.

Hayes—
s. 238. Febrnary 6, '91, read third, local legislation.
February 11, '91, reported favorably, read second.

Skeggs—
s. 239. January 30, '91, read first, corporations.
February 6, '91, reported favorably, read second.
February 16, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, '91, signed.

Hundley—
s. 240. January 30, ‘91, read first, corporations.
February 10, '91, reported favorably, read second.
February 13, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, '91, reconsidered, amended, read third, passed.
February 18, '91, signed.

Hundley—
s. 241. February 11, '91, read first, revision of laws.
February 12, '91, reported favorably, read second.
February 16, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, '91, signed.

Hundley—
s. 242. January 24, ‘91, read lirst, local legislation.
January 30, '91, reported favorably, read second.
February 13, '91, read third, passed.
February 14, '91, signed.

Haralson—
s. 243. January 23, '91, read first, local legislation.
January 24, '91, favorably, read second.
February 4, '91, read third, passed.
February 5, '91, signed.

Haralson—
s. 244. February 4, '91, read first, revision of laws.
February 9, '91, reported favorably, read second.

Haralson—
s. 243. January 23, '91, read first, corporations.
January 30, '91, reported favorably, read second.
January 31, '91, read third, passed.
February 3, '91, signed.

Hundley—
s. 246. January 28, '91, corpurations.
January 30, '91, reported favorably, read second.
January 31, '91, read third, passed.
February 3, '91, signed.

Inzer—
s. 247. January 29, '91, read first, local legislation.
January 31, '91, reportcd favorably, read second.
February 2, '91, read third, passed.
February 5, '91, signed.
February 7, '91, reconsidered, amended, read
third, passed.
February 10, '91, signed.

Inzer—
s. 248. January 26, '91, read first, corporations.
January 30, '91, reported favorably, read second.
February 16, read third, passed.
February 18, signed.

Grant—
s. 249. January 31, ’91, read first, privileges and elections.
February 6, ’91, reported favorably, read second.
February 11, ’91, read third, passed.
February 14, ’91, signed.

Handley—
s. 250. February 2, ’91, read first, local legislation.
February 13, ’91, reported favorably, read second.
February 16, ’91, read third, passed.
February 18, ’91, signed.

Godfrey—
s. 252. February 4, ’91, read first, judiciary.
February 10, ’91, adverse.
February 14, ’91, read second.
February 16, ’91, tabled.
February 18, taken from table, read third, passed, signed.

Harris of Lee—
s. 259. January 28, ’91, read first, judiciary.
February 5, ’91, favorably, read second.
February 16, ’91, read third, passed.
February 18, ’91, signed.

Harris of Lee—
s. 260. January 30, ’91, read first, temperance.

Wiley—
s. 261. January 28, ’91, read first, education.
February 14, ’91, favorably, read second.
February 9, read third, passed.
February 12, ’91, signed.

Wiley—
s. 262. January 30, ’91, read first.
February 6, ’91, reported favorably, read second.

February 16, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, '91, signed.

Godfrey—
s. 263. January 30, '91, read first, ways and means.
February 3, '91, favorably with amendment, read second.
February 10, '91, amended, read third, passed.
February 18, '91, signed.

Godfrey—
s. 264. January 20, '91, read first, judiciary.
February 11, '91, reported favorably, read second.
February 18, '91, read third, passed, signed.

Godfrey—
s. 265. January 30, '91, penitentiary and criminal administration.
February 10, '91, reported favorably, read second.

Grant—
s. 267. January 24, '91, read first, local legislation.
January 30, '91, reported favorably, read second.
February 11, '91, read third, passed.
February 14, '91, signed.

Davie—
s. 269. February 2, '91, read first, appropriations.
February 6, '91, reported favorably, read second.
February 16, '91, amended, tabled.
February 18, '91, taken from table, read third, passed.
February 18, '91, signed.

Smith of Autauga—
s. 270. January 26, '91, read first, local legislation.
January 30, '91, reported favorably, read second.

Stansell—
s. 271. January 28, '91, read first, special committee of 6.
January 29, '91, reported favorably, read second.
January 30, '91, read third, passed.
February 3, '91, signed.

Milner—
s. 273. January 31,'91, read first, corporations.
February 6, '91, reported favorably, read second
Hayes—
s. 274. January 30, '91, read first, judiciary.
February 5, '91, favorably, read second.
February 14, '91, read third, passed.
February 16, '91, signed.
Hargrove—
s. 276. February 9, '91, read first, appropriations.

Smith of Autauga—
s. 281. January 31, '91, read first, revision of laws.
February 3, '91, adverse.

Parks—
s. 282. February 2, '91, read first, revision of laws.
February 14, '91, adverse.
February 14, '91, taken up, read second.
February 18, '90, amended, read third, passed, signed.

Stansel—
s. 283. January 30, '91, read first, corporations.
February 6, '91, reported favorably, read second.
February 18, '91, read third, passed, signed.

Parker—
s. 284. February 7, '91, read first, local legislation.
February 13, '91, reported favorably, read second.
February 14, '91, amended, read second, passed.
February 18, '91, signed.

Grant—
s. 285. February 9, '91, read first, corporations.
February 11, '91, read second.
February 18, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, '91, signed.

Milner—
s. 286. January 31, '91, read first, corporations.
February 6, '91, reported favorably, read second.
February 11, '91, read third, passed.
February 13, '91, signed.

Bradley—
s. 287. January 29, '91, read first, corporations.
January 31, '91, reported favorably, read second.
February 13, '91, read third, passed.
February 14, '91, signed.

Bradley—
s. 288. Jannary 30, '91, read first, counties and county boundaries.
February 4, '91, favorably, read second.
February 5, '91, amended, read third, passed.
February 6, '91, signed.

Hargrove—
s. 289. February 7, '91, read first, penitentiary and criminal administration.
February 7, '91. reported favorably, read second.
February 16, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, '91, signed.

Bradley—
s. 295. February 3, '91, read first, ways and means.
February 10, '91, adverse.

Milner—
s. 296. February 3, '91, read first, corporations.
February 4, '91, favorably, read second.
February 5, '91, read third, passed.
February 7, '91, signed.

Parker—
s. 297. January 31, '91, read first, corporations.
February 4, '91, favorably, read second.
February 16, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, '91, signed.

Parker—
s. 298. February 2, '91, read first, corporations.
February 3, '91, favorably, read second.
February 6, '91, read third, passed.
February 7, '91, signed.

Smith of Autauga—
s. 299. January 31, '91, read first, local legislation.
February 11, '91, returned to committee on corporations.
February 13, '91, reported favorably, read secoud.
February 14, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, '91, signed.

Stallworth—
s. 300. February 13, '91, read first, speeial committee.
February 14, '91, reported favorably, read second.
February 16, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, signed.

Bloch—
s. 302. February 6, '91, read first, judiciary.
February 10, '91, adverse.

Godfrey—
s. 303. January 26, '91, read first, privileges and elections.
January 27, '91, favorably, read second.
February 3, '91, read third, passed.
February 7, '91, signed.

Hundley—
s. 304. February 12, '91, read first, commerce and common carriers.
February 13, '91, reported favorably, read second.

Hundley—
s. 305. February 6, '91, read first, corporations.
February 7, '91, favorably, read second.
February 11, 91, read third, passed.
February 14, '91, signed.

Hundley—
s. 306. January 31, '91, read first, judiciary.
February 5, '91, favorably, read second.

Bradley—
s. 307. February 13, '91, read first, ways and means.

Smith of Mobile—
s. 308. January 31, '91, read first, ways and means.

Smith of Mobile—
s. 309. January 31, 91, read first, revision of laws.
February 3, '91, favorably, read second.
February 13, '91, read third, passed.
February 14, '91, signed.

Wiley—
s. 310. February 2, '93, read first, appropriations.
February 6, '91, adverse.
February 16,'91, favorably, read second.
February 18, tabled.

Haralson—
s. 312. February 4, '91, read first, revision of laws.
February 13, '91, favorably, read second.

Haralson—
s. 315. February 4, '91, read first, revision of laws.
February 13, '91, favorably, read second.
Haralson—
s. 319. February 4, '91, read first, penitentiary and criminal administration.
February 31, '91, favorably, read second.
February 18, '91, read third and lost.

Milner—
s. 320. February 13, 91, read first, judiciary.
February 14, '91, favorably, read second.

Milner—
s. 321. January 30, '91, read first, judiciary.
February 3, '91, favorably, read second.

Milner—
s. 322. January 31, '91, read first, corporations.

February 6, '91, favorably, read second.
February 18, read third, passed, signed.
Milner—
s. 323. February 6, '91, read firsfc, local legislation.
February 11, '91, favorably, read second.
February 16. '91, amended, read third, passed.
February 16, '91, signed.

Milner—
s. 324. January 31, '91, read first, corporations.
February 6, '91, reported favorably, read second.

Smith of Autauga—
s. 324. January 31, '91, read first, revision of laws.
February 3, '91, adverse.

Milner—
s. 325. February 5, '91, read first, corporations.
February 6, '91, reported favorably, read second.

Milner—
s. 326. February 6, '91, read first, corporations.
February 14, adverse.

Lackey—
s. 329. February 13, '91, read first, judiciary.
February 16, '91, favorably, read second.

Smith of Mobile—
s. 331. Februay 2, '91, read first, education.
February 7, '91, favorably, read second.

Handley—
s. 337. January 31,'91, read first, privileges and elections.
February 3, '91, favorably, read second, amend-
ment.
February 7, '91, read third, passed.
February 10, '91, signed.

Harris of Lee—
s. 339. January 31, '91,read first, agriculture.
February 6, '91, favorably, read second.

February 18, 91, read third, passed.
February 18, signed.

Godfrey—
s. 340. January 30,'91, read first, judiciary.
February 3, '91, favorably, read second.
February 5, '91, read third, passed.
February 7, '91, signed.

Harris of Hale—
s. 341. January 29, '91, read first, local legislation.
January 31, '91, favorably, read second.
February 3, '91, read third, passed.
February 5, '91, signed.

Smith of Mobile—
s. 344. January 31, '91, read first, revision of laws.
February 4, '91, favorably, read second.
February 12, '91, read third, passed.
February 16, '91, signed.

Smith of Mobile—
s. 345. February 7, '91, read first, revision of laws.
February 10, 91, favorably, read second.
February 13, '91, read third, passed.
February 14, '91, signed.

NeSmith—
s. 347. February 6, '91, read first, corporations.
February 10, '91, reported favorably, read second.
February 18, read third, passed, signed.

NeSmith—
s. 348. Febraary 6, '91, read first, corporations.
February 30, '91, reported favorably, read second.
February 18, read third, passed, signed.

Skeggs—
s. 349. February 4, '91, read first, fees and salaries.
February 6, '91, reported favorably, read second.
February 18, tabled.

Skeggs—
s. 350. February 4, '91, read first, education.
February 10, '91, reported favorably, read second.

Inzer—
s. 351. February 14,'91, read first, corporations.

Berry—
s. 352. February 4, '91, read first, judiciary.
February 10, '91, reported favorably, read second.

Hargrove—
s. 353. February 13, '91, read first, revision of laws.

Hargrove—
s. 354. February 2, '91, read first, public roads and high-
ways.
February 5, '91, favorably, read second.
February 9, '91, amended, read third, passed.
February 9, '91, reconsidered, amended, read
third, passed.
February 12, '91, insist on amendment and ap-
point committee of conference.
February 16, '91, concur in conference report.
February 18, signed.

Milner—
s. 355. February 3, '91, read first,judiciary.
February 5, '91, favorably, read second.
February 18, read third, passed, signed.

Milner—
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Williams—
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February 16, ‘91, amended, read third, passed.
February 18, '91, signed.

Nesmith—
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February 9, '91, reported favorably, read second.
February 13, '91, read third, passed.
February 14, '91, signed.

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Skeggs—
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February 9, '91, reported favorably, read second.
February 12, 91, amended, read third, passed.
February 16, signed.

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February 9, '91, reported favorably, read second.
February 16, '91, read third, passed.
February 18, signed.

Inzer—
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February 11, '91, reported favorably, read second.
February 13, '91, read third, passed.
February 14, '91, signed.

Parker—
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February 11, '91, reported favorably, read second.
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Parker—
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Park—
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February 18, signed.

Parker—
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Hayes—
s. 421. February 9, '91, read first, corporations.
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February 12, '91, read third, passed.
February 13, '91, signed.

Inzer—
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February 18, read third, passed, signed.

Hargrove—
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February 16, '91, reported favorably, read second. February 18, read third, passed, signed.
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February 18, read third, passed, signed.

Parks—
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Berry—
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February 18, 91, signed.
Hayes—
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February 13, '91, favorably, read second.
Febrnary 18, '91, read third, passed, signed.
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February 18, '91, signed.
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February 13, '91, favorably, read second.
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Milner—
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Wiley—
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